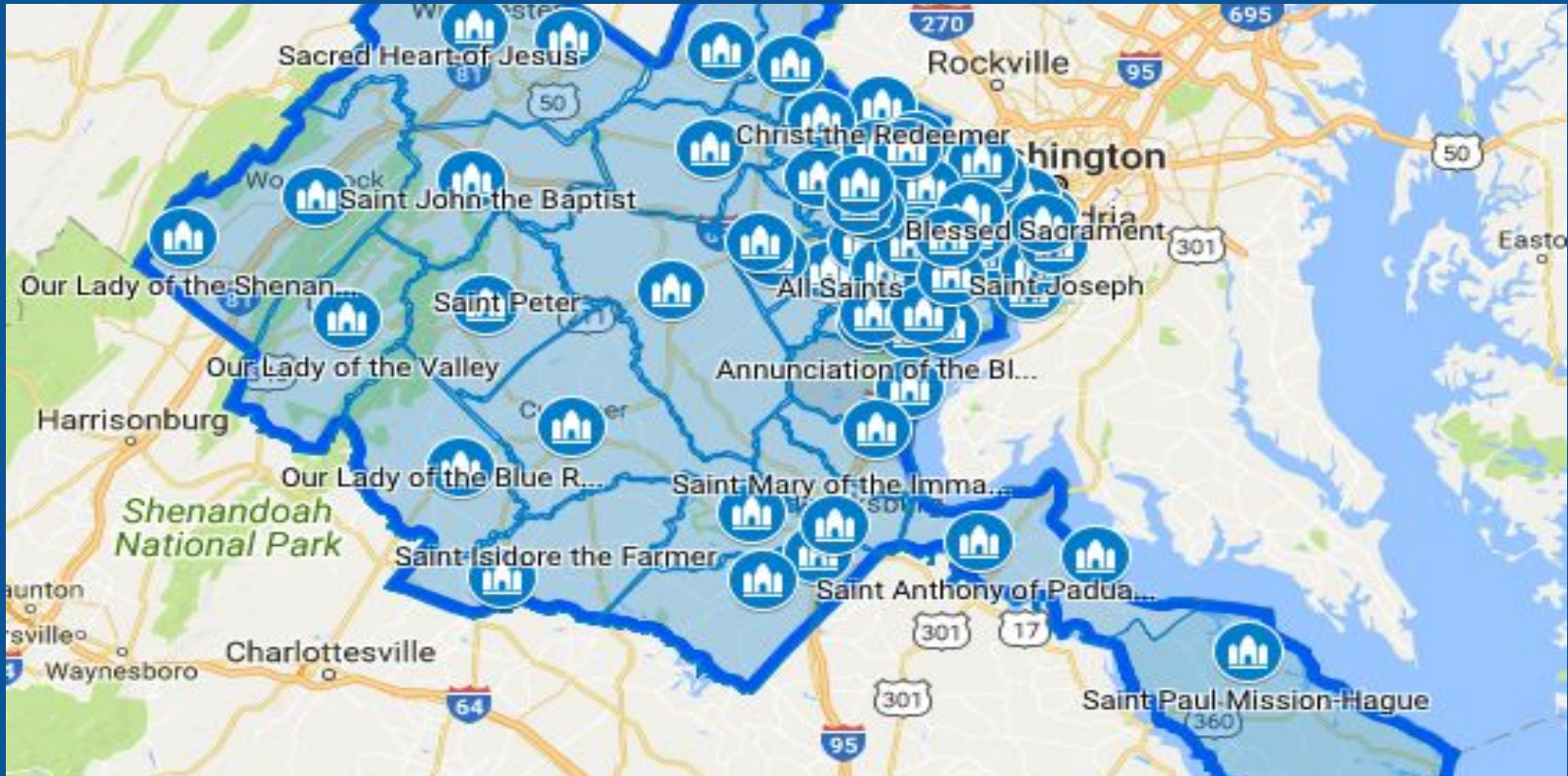




State of Our School 2018-2019



Arlington Diocese



2018-2019 BSS Enrollment by the Numbers

63: Early Childhood Center (ECC)

224: Kindergarten – Grade 8

287: Total Enrollment for ECC and K-8

242: Average BSS K-8 enrollment 2013-14 through 2017-18

91.3%: BSS retention rate K-7

88.9%: Diocesan average retention rate K-7

Student Performance - National Standardized Test Scores

Required testing for Grades 3-7

- **In 2017, Blessed Sacrament Grades 3–7 ALL scored in the TOP 10% nationwide on standardized tests**

2017 Comparison to Arlington Diocese

- Math: Blessed Sacrament 75%; Diocesan Average 70%
- Reading: Blessed Sacrament 83%; Diocesan Average 71%
- Language Arts: Blessed Sacrament 83%; Diocesan Average 78%

Student Performance - High School Placement Test (HSPT)

Required testing for all Arlington Diocese 8th Graders

Blessed Sacrament School scores:

- Reading: 89
- Math: 88
- LA: 82

2017 Comparison to Arlington Diocese

- Reading: 75
- Math: 73
- LA: 70



Qualifications



- Named an Exemplary High Performing School by the US Dept. of Education earning **National Blue Ribbon School** status in both 2008 and 2018.
- Accredited by the Virginia Catholic Education Association (VCEA)
- Exceeded or Fully-Met the 73 benchmarks evaluated in the 2017 Design for Excellence (Diocesan Re-accreditation Process)