

# ARCHDIOCESE OF CHICAGO - INFORMATION SHEET

## ACCUSED PRIESTS: HOW MANY, WHERE THEY ARE NOW, WHEN OCCURRED

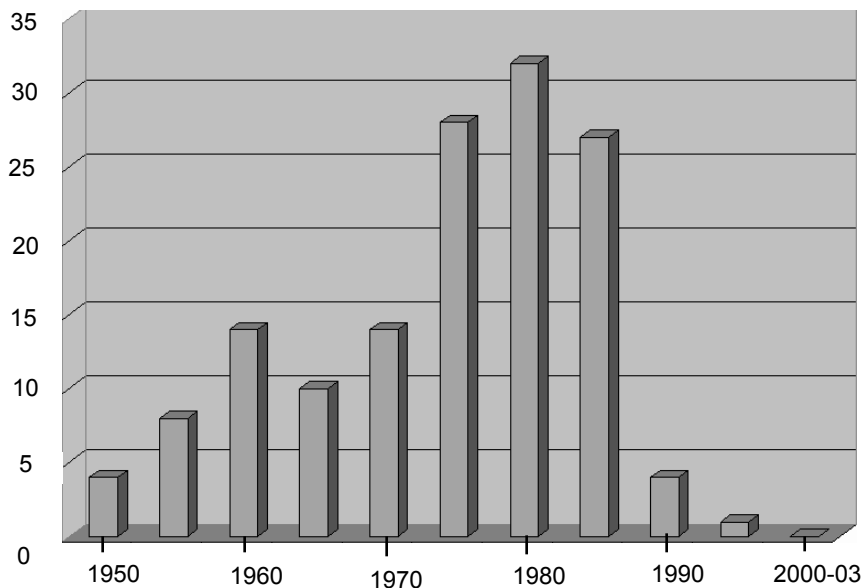
The Archdiocese of Chicago found reasonable cause to suspect that sexual misconduct with a minor had occurred in 142 cases involving 55 Archdiocesan priests in the period 1950-2003. None is currently in ministry. Most incidents occurred between 1970 and 1985.

deceased 13

withdrawn from ministry 20

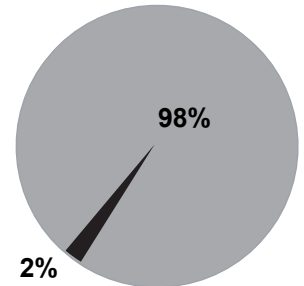
resigned from the priesthood 22

## DATE OF INCIDENTS



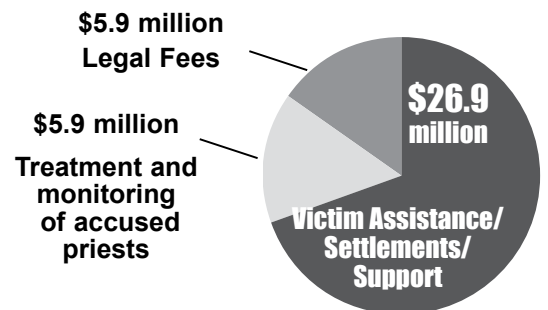
## ACCUSED PRIESTS AS PART OF TOTAL POPULATION

Archdiocesan records reflect that 2,513 archdiocesan priests served in the Archdiocese between 1950 and 2003. Those priests for whom there was reason to suspect that they had engaged in sexual misconduct with a minor represent about two percent of the total number.



## FINANCIAL IMPACT

The Archdiocese has spent \$38.7 million on clerical sexual abuse since from 1950 to 2003.



## TO REPORT A CASE OF ABUSE

### To The Archdiocese

To report suspected sexual abuse of a minor by a priest or deacon ~presently or in the past~ call:

**Leah McCluskey, MSW, LSW Administrator**  
Office of Professional Responsibility  
(800) 994-6200

(Lake and Cook counties only)  
or (312) 751-5205

Send written allegations to:

**Leah McCluskey, Administrator**  
Office of Professional Responsibility  
Archdiocese of Chicago  
Post Office Box 1979  
Chicago, Illinois 60690-1979  
Email: [lmcccluskey@archchicago.org](mailto:lmcccluskey@archchicago.org)  
Fax: (312) 751-5279

### To Other Authorities

To report allegations directly to civil authorities, call:

The Department of Children and Family Services (D.C.F.S.)  
(800) 252-2873

Cook County State's Attorney  
(312) 603-5440

Lake County State's Attorney  
(847) 377-3000

## COMPLETE INFORMATION ON OUR WEB SITE

The sexual misconduct policies and procedures of the Archdiocese of Chicago and materials related to victim assistance, professional responsibility, safe environments and open communications are available on our web site

[www.archchicago.org](http://www.archchicago.org)

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