



2017 Annual Report

Thanks to the generous support of our friends and donors, 2017 was the year for introducing Henri Nouwen and his writings to new audiences and expanding the reach of the Henri Nouwen Society in Canada and the United States.

We organized high-profile events at the Yale Divinity School, Saint Matthew Catholic Church in Charlotte, North Carolina, Bethel School of Theology in Minnesota, and the Summer Institute at the Oblate School of Theology in San Antonio, Texas with talks by distinguished speakers and Nouwen experts including Ron Rolheiser, Sr. Sue Mosteller, Shane Claiborne, Jim Forest, Robert Ellsberg and many more.

We also partnered with a number of organizations in North America to present the very popular *Love, Henri* featuring Gabrielle Earnshaw and actor Joe Abbey-Colborne. This wonderful presentation continues to entertain and inspire all who see it.

In December, we presented our first *Courage for Caregivers One-Day Retreat*. This was the culmination of two years of focus, hard work and dedication by many people to bring to fruition this needed and effective ministry to professional and at-home caregivers. We are especially grateful to Church Health for their partnership in the project and to Marjorie Thompson who created the new *Courage for Caregivers* book and retreat participant workbook.

Our Daily Meditations continue to be a source of spiritual nourishment and encouragement to more than 40,000 subscribers.

In April, two long-serving members of our Board of Directors resigned in order to pursue new opportunities. Hume Martin served as our Board Chair for 10 years and David Parkinson was our Treasurer for the same period. We are immensely thankful to them for their leadership, service and friendship, and we wish them great success in their new endeavors.

We are delighted to welcome to our Board of Directors Dr. Sean Mulrooney as our new Board Chair and Raymond Glennon as Treasurer. Both men bring an exceptional level of expertise and wisdom to their roles, and each has a genuine love of Henri Nouwen's writings and a deep desire to help extend his legacy.

Our sincere thanks to the many of you who have chosen to support our efforts with your prayers and finances. We couldn't do what we do without you!

Sincerely,

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Karen Pascal
Executive Director

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Sean Mulrooney
Chair



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2017 Financial Report

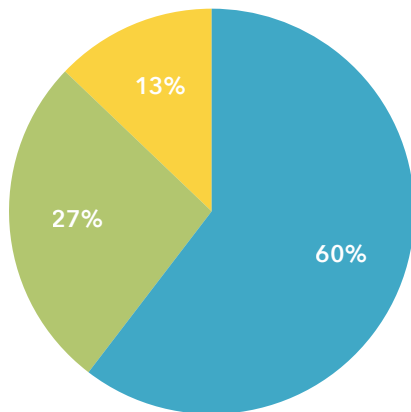
The **Nouwen Society and Trust** has three core operational activities; Literary works, conferences and workshops and relationship building with people and organizations that have a desire to see us extend Henri Nouwen's Legacy .

Each of these core areas provide financial capacity with related costs to continue the work of the Society. Having established sound operating practices and controls , we look forward to offering more programmes in the near future.

Once again, our friends and donors came through with much-needed support that helped to close the funding gap last year which resulted in a budget surplus.

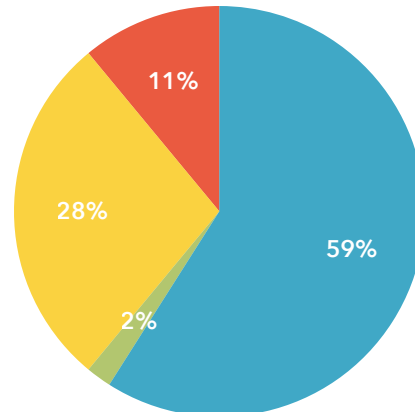
Copies of the financial statements are available for review by contacting our office at **1 866 226 2158**.

2017 Revenue



- Literary Grants
- Donations
- Conferences & Events

2017 Expenses



- Operations
- Promotion
- Programming
- General & Admin

Statement of Operations 2017

Revenue		Expenses		2017
	2017		2017	
Literary Grants	374,714	Operations	335,426	Surplus
Donations	163,929	Promotion	12,234	
Conferences & Events	79,327	Programming	157,814	48,898
TOTAL	617,970	General & Admin	63,598	
		TOTAL	569,072	