# **SRI Intermediate Fixed Income**

## Client Focused | Flexible Solutions | Consistent Results

## As of December 31, 2023

#### Firm

- Traditional Fixed Income and Enhanced Yield Investing
- \$9.8 billion in AUM
- Offices in Chicago and Milwaukee

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- Manages 38 Religious portfolios with \$546MM in AUM
- Proud Supporter of the Diocesan Financial Management Conference

#### **Client Focused** | Flexible Solutions

- Custom fixed income investment solutions
- Direct access to investment team (located in Milwaukee)
- Stable investment team
  - > Averages: 13 years with the firm | 26 years experience
- Firm size allows for market agility

#### Minimum Account Size: \$10 million

### **Product Key Objectives**

- Maximize yield while minimizing risk
- Adhere to client's USCCB SRI guidelines
- Add incremental return by taking advantage of market inefficiencies

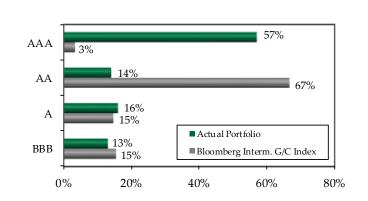
#### **Product Philosophy**

- Focus on issue selection and sector rotation
- Identify relative value securities
- Narrow duration bandwidth from index
- Daily participation in the markets provides insight
- Active trading along the yield curve

#### **Consistent Results**

- Dependable risk-adjusted performance
- Downside protection

### **Quality Distribution**



## **Portfolio Statistics**

|                    | Actual Portfolio                     | Bloomberg<br><u>Intermediate G/C Index</u> |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| Average Yield      | 5.03                                 | 4.37                                       |
| Average Maturity   | 4.14                                 | 4.27                                       |
| Average Coupon     | 2.79                                 | 2.89                                       |
| Effective Duration | 3.55                                 | 3.78                                       |
| Average Quality    | AA                                   | AA   |
|                    | M in Strategy:<br>ounts in Strategy: | \$361 Million<br>15                        |

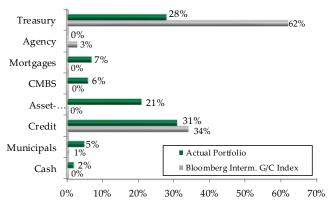
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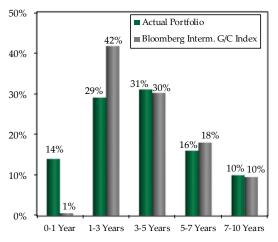
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|                      | Focus                | NIS       | Experience |
| Jason Berrie, CFA    | CIO, Credit          | 20        | 31         |
| Mark Anderson, CFA   | Strategist/Preferred | 23        | 30         |
| James Kaplan, CFA    | Lead PM - Structured | 14        | 41         |
| Barbara Schalla, CFA | Credit               | 32        | 38         |
| Vincent Russo, CFA   | Credit               | 9         | 25         |
| Lesly Barnes         | ABS                  | 16        | 21         |
| Stefan Martin        | CMBS                 | 6         | 24         |
| Stephen Smitley      | Municipal/Structured | 3         | 25         |
|                      |                      |           |            |

## Sector Distribution



## **Duration Distribution**



Disclosure: The Actual Portfolio data shown represents a typical portfolio that NIS believes to be representative of the NIS SRI Intermediate Fixed Income strategy. The strategy includes actively-managed, fully-discretionary fixed income portfolios with an intermediate duration.