

Catholic Charities

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\$5,000 Becky's Place Matching Challenge

In response to the challenge to match a \$5,000 gift from an anonymous donor, we raised \$18,067.53, for a grand total of \$23,067.53! Wow! This will enable us to provide meals, case management, counseling, vocational training, life skills, shelter, support services, educational resources, budgeting classes and funds for first month's rent after program completion.

Back-to-School Update

The Becky's Place "Back-to-School" appeal was a huge success, too! A special thank you to GM and Caravan Knights and IU Health for their tremendous support. Gift cards were also donated and allowed families to shop together for personal items such as socks, underwear and undershirts, as well as other needed hard-to-fit clothing items.

Catholic Charities in Bloomington is Awarded Four Grants

Jack Hopkins Grant

The Jack Hopkins Grant will allow the staff at Catholic Charities to provide more play therapy and offer 2 Positive Parenting groups. For more information on these programs, please call (812) 332-1262.

Sophia Travis Grant

The Sophia Travis Grant will enable us to upgrade and expand our technology to provide quality and cutting edge support for families.

- With permission, cameras can be used to film parent-child interactions and then replay for feedback and to provide support for parents.
- Donated Smartboards will be installed and staff will be trained on how to use them for group therapy sessions. They can also be used to provide staff training and supervision support.

Bloomington Realtor Grant

The Bloomington Realtor Grant will allow us to purchase important items for our play therapy program like new sand trays and puppets.

Neighborhood Assistance Program Update (NAP tax credits for giving)

A huge thank you to all of our donors who have made donations for NAP tax credits. We are at 98% of our goal! We are able to receive \$555.06 more in donations for this program. If you are able to make a gift at this time, please contact Cheri Bush cbush@archindy.org

More about NAP: Tax credits are distributed to donors at 50% of the contribution amount and are subtracted from a donor's state income tax liability. Indiana Code 6-3.1-9 established the NAP program.

Ways to Give

Help out Catholic Charities by Shopping for Groceries!

Help out Catholic Charities Bloomington simply by shopping for groceries at no extra cost to you! Simply register your Kroger Plus Card at Kroger.com/communityrewards (if you do not have one, they are available at the Customer Service desk at any Kroger,) click on 'Sign In' or 'Create an Account,' search for 'Catholic Charities Bloomington' or enter '15757,' click 'enroll' and you will be helping CCB every time you shop!

Supplies Needed: Catholic Charities in Bloomington

Coloring books, puzzles, books, colored sand, Fisher Price little people, Band-Aids (plain-with nothing on them), lots and lots (and lots) of glitter glue tubes, clean, unused bird or gerbil cages, Play Doh, crayons, colored pencils, paper, all plastic (realistic looking) baby dolls, a play stove or kitchen, and costume/dress-up materials.

Supplies Needed: Becky's Place

Anti-bacterial cleaning wipes, laundry soap, paper towels, toiletries, Tylenol, Ibuprophen and 30 and 13-gallon trash bags.

Visit Buffalo Wings & Rings on 11/11 from 11am-11pm
and 5% of your bill will be donated to Becky's Place



Take a slice out of homelessness

The entire sale price of your \$1.99 fruit pie goes to help homeless women and children at Becky's Place.



What's Your Slice?

Where: Pappas, 2615 Mitchell Road, Bedford, IN 47421 (NEW LOCATION)

What: The entire sale price of your \$1.99 fruit pie goes to help the homeless

When: Every Thursday starting August 10

Upcoming Events

Beer tasting &

NETWORKING EVENT
at **THE TAP** 

October 5th 2017

TICKETS ON SALE STARTING SEPTEMBER 1ST

BEERTASTING.CCBIN.ORG

TICKETS ARE \$40/PERSON AND INCLUDE

BEER TASTING
AND ONE BEER OF YOUR CHOICE

Heavy Appetizers

AND A DONATION TO
CATHOLIC CHARITIES IN BLOOMINGTON

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

Join us in Bedford!

On Saturday, October 21st, the Limestone Café will once again provide heavy appetizers (which are delicious!) at the newly refurbished Downtown Depot.

[Watch our Facebook page for ticket information.](#)

We are humbled by your prayers and support for doing what Jesus calls us to do: clothe the naked, feed the hungry, visit the sick and give shelter to the homeless. We offer this blessing for you:

"May the Lord bless you and protect you. May the Lord smile on you and be gracious to you. May the Lord show you His favor and give you His peace."
Num. 6:24-26



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