2022-2023 Annual Report



MISSION STATEMENT: The staff and volunteers of Catholic Charities Indianapolis are called by the Gospel to uphold the dignity of all people. Guided by Catholic social teaching, we consider it a privilege to deliver compassionate and caring service to help and empower those in need.





Dear Friends,

Humans are inherently designed for companionship, bearing hearts that yearn for connection and the warmth of love. The essence of community lies at the heart of Catholic Charities' foundational purpose. For over a century, our commitment has been to meet individuals and families precisely where they stand, extending aid to anyone in distress, regardless of their beliefs, gender, race, or background.

Serving means more than just providing assistance; it means walking in solidarity with our neighbors in need, ensuring that they are not only seen but also heard. It means sharing in some measure of their hardships, forging genuine connections, and guiding them toward the services and resources that can alleviate their burdens.

In the midst of our world grappling with the economic, political, and social repercussions of the pandemic, those we serve continue to navigate a challenging path. This is why our steadfast calling to deliver a message of compassion and hope to a world in crisis remains unwavering.

As evidenced in this report, our donors continue to step up with unwavering enthusiasm to support our mission. Your generosity enables us to extend our assistance to each individual we serve while reducing our dependence on government funding with its accompanying constraints. Nevertheless, there is still work to be done to bridge the funding gap, and there is an abundance of good that we aspire to achieve.

We maintain our faith that, as we serve and innovate, divine providence will continue to bless us, as it has during the pandemic. Extraordinary acts of generosity have enabled us not only to endure this challenging period but also to serve with greater depth. We are deeply appreciative of every gift, for every dollar contributes to advancing our mission. We cannot fulfill our mission without your support.

The calling to connect and serve, to stand alongside our neighbors in their times of need, is a fundamental aspect of Catholic Charities. We exist for one another, and with your steadfast support, we can impart a message of compassion and hope to a world that is still in great need.



David J. Bethuram
Executive Director
Secretariat for Catholic Charities

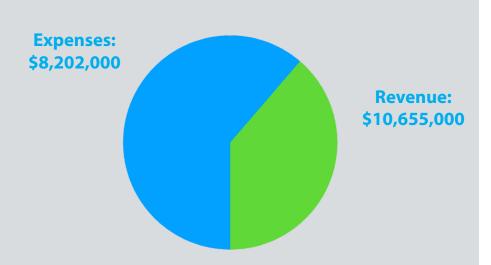






2022–2023 Fiscal Year in Review

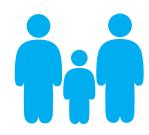
2022-2023 Financials



Impact:
103,639
People Served
by Catholic
Charities



68,838
Served by Crisis Relief and Shelter Services



5,085
Served through Family Counseling and Social Work Services



4,008
Served by Refugee and Immigration Services



712Assisted through Senior Services



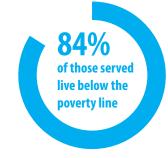
20,228
Received information and referrals to other support programs



805
Assisted with pregnancy and adoption services

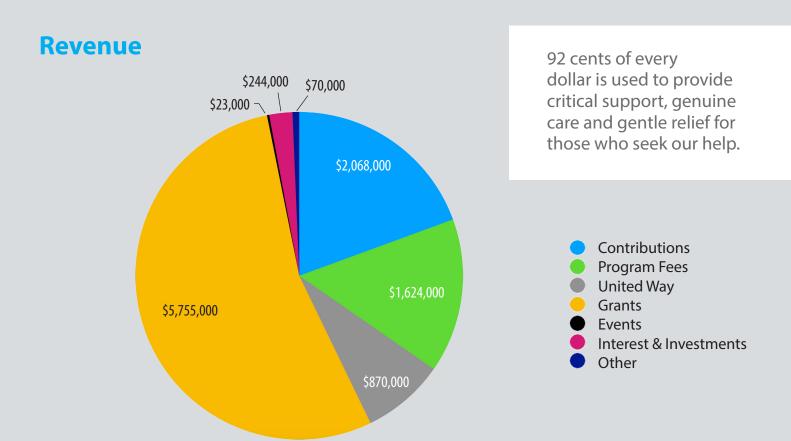


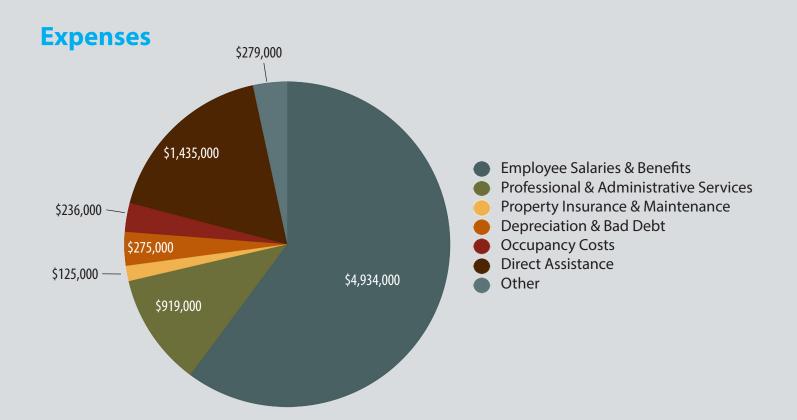
3,963
Served by the Christmas Store



Financial Information

Operating Funds Only – Fiscal Year Ended 6/30/23









SENIOR SERVICES

RSVP (**Retired and Senior Volunteer Program**): Worked with over 30 community partners to find volunteer opportunities for 148 adults 55 and older looking to use their knowledge and skill to impact the community. Catholic Charities Indianapolis sponsors AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP program. AmeriCorps Seniors, a federal agency, provides major funds and administration to for the purpose of engaging persons 55+ in volunteer service to meet critical community needs and to provide a high quality experience to the volunteers.

Caregiver Support: Impacted the lives of 183 caregivers through support groups, home modifications and resource assistance. Funding provided in part by CICOA Aging & In-Home Solutions.

Adult Day Services: Provided safe, therapeutic and recreational day services to 56 adults with physical and/or cognitive impairments. A Caring Place has a registered nurse on-site to assist residents. This ministry also provides transportation to and from the program site if needed.

Senior Companions: Provided the gift of friendship and home visits to 325 struggling seniors during the year and over 1,500 hours of service a week. Catholic Charities Indianapolis sponsors the Senior Companion Program. AmeriCorps Seniors provides major funds and administration.



Catholic Charities 2022-2023 Agency Council

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Service Review

CRISIS RELIEF & SHELTER SERVICES

Holy Family Services: Assisted over 918 homeless adults and children with emergency shelter and transitional housing services. Holy Family Shelter reopened the shelter and continues to serve families in temporary housing. Holy Family Shelter continues to serve families both at the shelter and in temporary housing. Follow on Facebook at "Holy Family Shelter."

The Crisis Office: Helped over 67,900 people in need of food, clothing, transportation and utility assistance. Assistance is given by linking clients with community resources and providing direct assistance where gaps occur. The Crisis Office continues to see an increase in demand for services because of evictions, inflation and economic uncertainty.



The Christmas Store: Collaborated with 85 community service providers in helping over 3,900 individuals in need with clothes and gifts for Christmas. More than 200 people donated their time to assist at the Christmas Store and help families in need.

Refugee and Immigrant Services: Aided over 4,000 refugees and immigrants with services and support. Citizenship classes were offered, and families were welcomed to their new home. Follow on Facebook at "Catholic Charities Indianapolis Refugee and Immigrant Services."



2022-2023 Grants

AmeriCorps Seniors - Annual

Braveheart Foundation

CICOA Aging and In-Home Solutions

Citizens' Energy

Family and Social Services Administration

Franciscan Health Social Impact Partnership Program

Hickey McCarthy Fund

Home and Community Based Services Provider Readiness Grant

Hoover Family Foundation

Indianapolis Rotary Club

IndyStar Our Children's Fund

James P. Scott Capital Fund

Jeffrey Cave

Kendrick Foundation

Lilly Endowment

Lilly Summer Youth Program

Nicolas Noyes Foundation

Office Refugee Resettlement - State Funding

Realtor Foundation

Shaw-Burckhard-Benner Foundation

State Health Grant

State of Indiana – Neighborhood Assistance Program

U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services Grant

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops/Migration and Refugee Services

United Way of Central Indiana

Service Review

FAMILY SERVICES

Counseling: Provided 1,527 individuals, families and couples with professional counseling services. The counseling program continues to offer telehealth services to patients. There has been a significant increase in the demand for these services. The counseling program in Martinsville continues to grow, thanks to the support of a grant from the Kendrick Foundation.

School Social Work: Provided professional counseling services to over 3,500 school children in 27 Indianapolis Metro Catholic schools along with consultation services for teachers and parents. The 24 social workers and 4 Social Emotional Learning interventionists on staff work year-round to help struggling students overcome barriers to their education.



PREGNANCY & ADOPTION SERVICES

St. Elizabeth|Coleman: Provided pregnancy and adoption counseling, support groups, adoption assistance, search and reunion services and adoption education services to 805 people. St. Elizabeth|Coleman provided families in need with baby clothes, supplies and basic needs. Follow on Facebook at "St. Elizabeth | Coleman Pregnancy & Adoption Services." St. Elizabeth|Coleman relocated their offices to 3388 Founders Rd, Indianapolis in late 2022 and have settled in well to their new location.



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