CATHOLIC CHARITIES



Bishop Burbidge visits with a volunteer at St. Martin de Porres Senior Center



s help pick corn for the St. Lucy Project Volun 1.00

Dear Friends in Christ.

In this year's annual report, we *remember* all that has been done to serve the poor, protect the vulnerable and welcome the newcomer through God's grace and the ministries of Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Arlington. We *rejoice* in the generosity of so many in our community who helped make this work possible. As our diocese embarks on its Golden Jubilee celebration, we *renew* our commitment to compassionately and competently - serve all those entrusted to our care.

Catholic Charities served more than 27,000 men, women and children seeking help this past year. We depended on the hard work and effort of our dedicated employees, committed parishioner and community volunteers, and the extraordinary financial support of parishes and individuals from throughout our diocese.

We are grateful for the leadership of our shepherd, Bishop Michael F. Burbidge and our Board of Directors. We are equally grateful to all the pastors of our diocese for sharing in our ministry of love and service to those in need.

We remain deeply thankful for our partnerships with the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, the Office for New Americans (Commonwealth of Virginia), and the many cities, counties and foundations who provide us with additional resources to carry out our mission and ministry.

Above all, we give thanks to God for the opportunity to provide help and bring hope to the people of the Diocese of Arlington.

Gratefully yours in Christ,

Stephen J. Carattini President & CEO Catholic Charities Diocese of Arlington



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FY23 TOTAL ASSISTANCE PROVIDED JULY 2022-JUNE 2023

Catholic Charities of the **Diocese of Arlington** serves the poor, protects the vulnerable and welcomes the newcomer throughout 21 counties and seven cities in northern, northwestern and central Virginia, and the Northern Neck Region. We rely on partnerships with parishes throughout the Diocese. 190 faith-filled professionals and more than 2,000 volunteers who help bring the love of Christ to men, women and children in need on a daily basis.

\$8.2 MILLION IN SUPPORT PROVIDED





SUPPORT

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE funds enabled **2,196** neighbors to avoid eviction or utilities cutoffs or helped with critical car repairs

\$2.1M IN FREE MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

1,531 patients received care at our MOTHER OF MERCY FREE MEDICAL CLINICS in Woodbridge and Manassas.



736 men, women and children were resettled and 1,397 **MIGRANTS & REFUGEES** received assistance.



& LIFE SKILLS



\$3.4M

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FOOD

The ST. LUCY FOOD PROJECT

fulfilled **59,165** requests,

2.2 million pounds of food.

distributing more than

INDIVIDUALS ASSISTED WITH LEGAL **CONSULTATION &** REPRESENTATION RELATED TO IMMIGRATION MATTERS

359 **INDIVIDUALS** SERVED THROUGH PREGNANCY AND ADOPTION SUPPORT MINISTRIES



ADULTS & TEENS PROVIDED WITH MENTAL HEALTH CARE

6,085 RESPONSES

BY OUR MOBILE RESPONSE CENTER FOR **ESSENTIAL HYGIENE & HOUSEHOLD ASSISTANCE** (A 50% INCREASE OVER THE PREVIOUS YEAR)

CATHOLIC CHARITIES MINISTRIES CAN TRANSFORM LIVES



A volunteer works on an art project with a member of the St. Martin de Porres Senior Center



An asylee speaks with his attorney at Hogar Legal Immigrant Services



"We only went by two things: one was the spirituality, and the other was learning how to sustain life outside of Christ House ... I didn't know I had this much life in me. I never knew I could be doing the things I'm doing. I owe so much of my life to Christ House."

Ronald Redman, 62, who came to Catholic Charities Christ House when he was unemployed, estranged from family and struggling with addiction.

Today he is working, reunited with his family and in recovery.





A nurse at Mother of Mercy Free Med Clinic speaks with a prenatal patient

Catholic Charities President and CEO Stephen Carattini awards a refugee student

CATHOLIC CHARITIES FINANCIAL CHARTS



