

PROGRAMS AND SERVICES



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The Church in Central and Southern Indiana

Catholic Charities

Providing Help. Creating Hope. Serving All.

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Catholic Charities Mission Statement:



We, the Church in central and southern Indiana, strive to live the gospel by embodying the compassion of Christ and exercising leadership in:

- Advocating policies and action that protect human life and dignity
- Promoting awareness of human needs and participation in social justice issues in light of Catholic social teaching, providing human services rooted in Catholic social values

We commit ourselves to generosity, accountability, openness and responsiveness to the human needs of diverse people and communities.

Secretariat for Catholic Charities

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Catholic Charities - Archdiocese of Indianapolis

Catholic Charities Agencies and Programs:



Catholic Charities - Bloomington

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- **Mental Health Counseling** - Professional mental health counseling services provided to couples, families, and individuals of all ages on a sliding fee scale through in-person and telehealth options. Medicaid and private insurance also accepted
- **School Counseling** - Counseling and consultation services provided on site at Fairview Elementary in Bloomington
- **Parenting Support** - Partners with Boys and Girls Club to offer Positive Parenting groups for families. Also offers parents one-on-one phone consultations

Becky's Place

Shelter Director: Corrina Hayes
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- A program designed to “provide shelter and create hope” for women and children who are experiencing homelessness and moving toward a life of self-sufficiency. Services include: shelter, meals, case management, life skills, support services, counseling, educational resources and vocational training



Catholic Charities - Indianapolis

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Individual & Family Mental Health and Support Services

- **Individual, Couple and Family Counseling** - professional counseling available on a sliding fee scale, based on income
- **School Social Work Program** - professional services are provided for school children along with consultative services for teachers and parents
- **School Mental Health Counseling** - professional counseling services for children provided in schools

Senior Services

- **A Caring Place Adult Day Services** - therapeutic, safe adult day center for seniors with cognitive and physical impairments
- **Caregiver Support** - monthly caregiver support groups, identification of community resources, and small scale home modifications are available for family and friends for adults 50 years and over
- **Senior Companion Program** - Companions, low income adults 55 years of age and over, visit homebound clients (at no charge to clients)
- **RSVP** - A clearinghouse of volunteer opportunities for adults 55 years old and over. Partnerships with community nonprofits and public agencies offer opportunities for volunteers to meet significant community needs. Volunteers maintain the flexibility to decide which organizations to serve and how frequently

Emergency and Specialized Services

- **The Crisis Office** - food, clothing, limited transportation, rent and utilities money for those in emergency or critical need
- **Holy Family Shelter** - emergency residential shelter for homeless families
- **Holy Family Transitional Housing Services** - extended support for families facing prolonged homelessness
- **Refugee and Immigrant Services** - advocacy, family reunification, job assistance and help in setting up a household for refugees resettling in the Indianapolis community; additionally, provides legal advice and representation to immigrants and their families
- **The Christmas Store** - Christmas gift assistance for needy families

Pregnancy and Adoption Services - St. Elizabeth I Coleman

- **Full Service Birthparent Services** - provides counseling to work through parenting or adoption services with ongoing post-placement counseling
- **Support Groups** - offered for birth-mothers and single mothers
- **Adoption Services** - Domestic adoption placement; provides Home study/ Adoption Preparation and Post Placement services for domestic and International adoptions
- **Transracial/Transcultural Training** - workshop is designed to help prepare and educate adoptive couples on issues associated with adopting a child of another race
- **Adoption Search Services** - Provides helpful and accurate information about the Indiana Adoption Registry to birthparent and adoptee. Provides counseling and guidance when birthparent or adoptee is interested in locating the other party



Catholic Charities - Tell City

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- **Martin's Cloak** - a food pantry for the hungry
- **Lifeline for Families** – provides material support for mothers to be and families with small children such as formula and diapers. In our Early Years Store free merchandise is available such as baby equipment, baby supplies and clothing from maternity to size 2T. Adoption Awareness activities are conducted throughout the year to support the option of adoption. Car seats and Safe Sleep program are also available through grant programs
- **Table of Blessings** - weekly hot meal program, furnishing a nutritious hot meal for anyone needing nourishment of the body or spirit. Collaboration with Evangelical United Church of Christ
- **Winter Coat Program** - new and used coats are collected from the community to be distributed to anyone in need of a warm coat; along with blankets, hats, scarves and gloves
- **Budget Basics Classes** – individuals are given one on one instruction by local volunteers in an effort to make them more self-reliant and hopefully raise them from poverty
- **Emergency Assistance Program** – limited financial assistance for utilities, prescriptions, rent, transportation and other necessities
- **Birthday in a Box** – a collection of birthday party items distributed to each county child who is placed in foster care
- **Perry County Food Coalition** – serving as the fiscal agent for the county's food pantries as they collaborate on best practices. Moneys and non-perishables are distributed to the pantries



Catholic Charities - Terre Haute

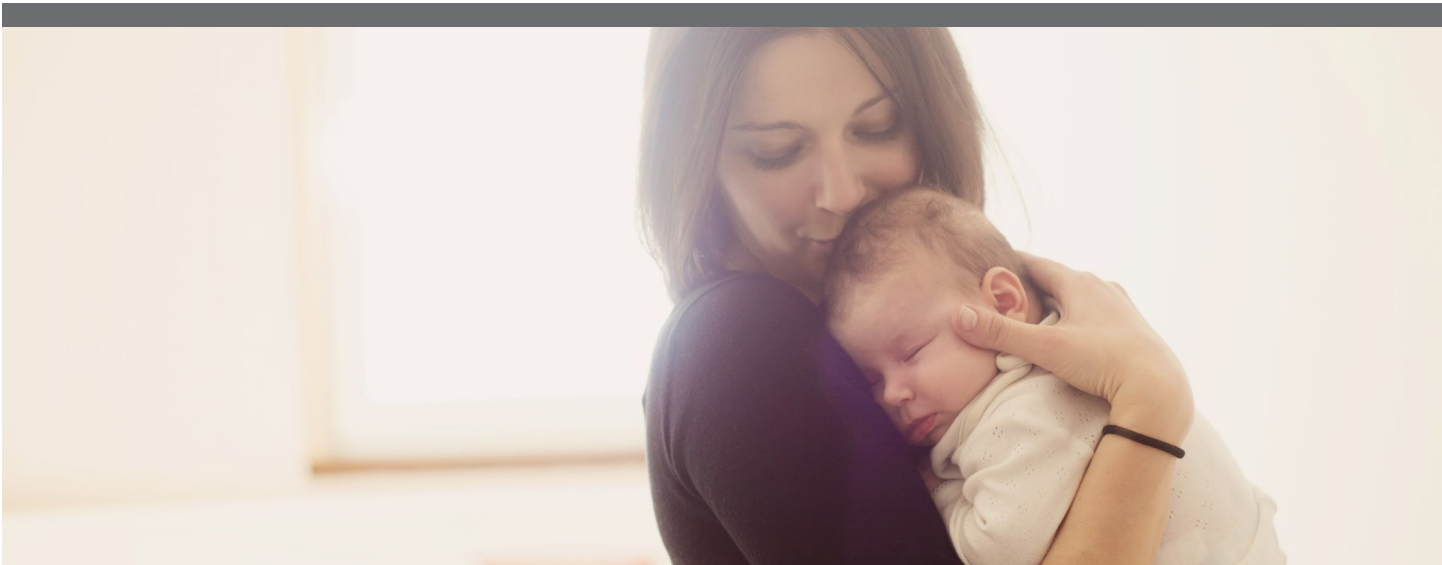
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- **Bethany House** – a homeless shelter for single women, families and married couples providing temporary housing, food, clothing, laundry facility and case management. Operates a free clothes closet for residents and the community
- **Ryves Youth Center at Etling Hall** – provides afterschool programs for children weekday afternoons throughout the year such as mentoring, tutoring, evening meals, weekend BackPacks, Boy Scouts, girls club, sports, games, computer lab and arts and crafts. A full-day preschool is available for homeless and at-risk children
- **Terre Haute Catholic Charities Foodbank** – as a member of Feeding America, the largest domestic emergency food bank network, we collect, warehouse and distribute 4 million pounds of food annually to more than 85 soup kitchens, food pantries, senior centers, youth centers and other charitable agencies in seven west central Indiana counties. Operates a Soup Kitchen – serving the hungry in our community – full meals available at Ryves Youth Center Monday-Friday or a sack lunch on Saturday, Sunday and holidays at Bethany House
- **Christmas Store** – Christmas gift assistance for families in need.



St. Elizabeth Catholic Charities

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St. Elizabeth Catholic Charities is a non-profit human service agency, serving all of Southern Indiana and Metro Louisville. With a deep respect for all life, we are dedicated to providing for the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of our community. We provide comfort and quality services to those in need, and we strive to foster an attitude of self-sufficiency in each of our clients. St. Elizabeth Catholic Charities does not discriminate, we provide help, create hope and serve all.

- **Women & Children's Emergency Shelter** - This is a temporary housing solution for pregnant women and mothers with 1-2 children under the age of 5. Residents receive counseling and intensive case management services.
- **Family Stability Program** - Single mothers reside on our campus along with their young children while receiving intensive case management services. Program participants take steps toward educational and vocational goals, get connected with community resources, receive counseling, pay graduated rent and work towards self-sufficiency.
- **Affordable Supportive Housing** - Families facing homelessness reside in our Affordable Supportive Housing (ASH) units. ASH residents also have access to case management and our other programs.
- **Counseling** - St. Elizabeth Catholic Charities provides counseling services for some program participants. We also provide school counseling services for several local schools.
- **Adoption Bridges of Kentuckiana** - As a licensed adoption agency in Kentucky and Indiana, we provide services to birth mothers and adoptive families including home studies, child placement and personalized support for the adoption process and beyond. Lifelong counseling services are available for birth mothers and children.
- **Marie's Community Distribution Program:** - Families in need can receive essential items free of charge by simply providing a form of identification and proof of a child. Items for distribution may vary and are available on a first come, first serve basis. Items frequently distributed include: baby and maternity clothing, strollers, car seats, cribs, household goods, furniture and appliances. Baby food, formula and diapers are also regularly available.
- **Supported Living Program** - The Supported Living Program (SLP) of St. Elizabeth Catholic Charities offers help for adults and children with developmental disabilities. A Direct Support Professional is assigned to each individual to serve as a mentor, teacher and cheerleader to aid in developing and achieving goals, fostering individual interests and assisting with day-to-day responsibilities.



Catholic Charities – Social Concerns

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Catholic Relief Services: www.archindy.org/crs

Catholic Campaign for Human Development:

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Justice for Immigrants/CARE: www.archindy.org/care

- Social Concerns encourages the Community to grow in a deeper understanding of Catholic Social Teaching by providing resources and strategies for effective action in parishes, schools and surrounding communities. Most importantly, it calls us to a deeper understanding in living out the Two Greatest Commandments, which is to Love God and to Love our Neighbors, both locally and globally
- Social Concerns for the Archdiocesan Secretariat of Catholic Charities encompasses the work of Catholic Charities USA Parish Social Ministry (CCUSA – PSM), Catholic Relief Services (CRS), Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD), Justice for Immigrants (JFI) and Anti-Trafficking Ministry.

Disaster Recovery

Disaster Preparedness & Response Coordinator:

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- Catholic Charities works with local disaster partner agencies to help families prepare for and recover from disasters. To help families prepare for disasters, the Catholic Charities Disaster Services program facilitates disaster preparedness workshops and provides educational information at parishes and other community sites. Following a disaster, Catholic Charities engages with individuals, families, and the community to aid in the relief and recovery process
- The Disaster Services program assists individuals and families by responding to their needs with respect, regardless of their race, color, or faith orientation. The program provides tangible assistance to families immediately after a disaster, then transitions into a client centered approach that recognizes the strengths of the family members to meet their own needs