



CATHOLIC IMPACT

District 24

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1 million+ Maryland Catholics transform lives every day

statewide and in your district through parishes, schools, social services, homeless services, child and family support, immigration assistance, legal aid, workforce training, domestic violence prevention, senior housing and services, safe streets programs, & much more



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Catholic parishes



170

students in 1 Catholic school



\$3.3 million

in tax dollars saved by the Catholic school

Contact us about the Catholic impact

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The public policy advocate for Maryland Catholics



**MARYLAND
CATHOLIC
CONFERENCE**

Catholic Services and Programs in District 24 *(partial list)*

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

St. Vincent de Paul Society of St. Joseph, Largo

Parish-based volunteer outreach offering person-to-person support to those in need, maintains a food pantry, distributes food baskets, serves at a local shelter and more

Catholic Charities offers a range of programs to residents, including:

- **Family Peace**
Prevents family abuse and promotes family peace by training archdiocesan first responders to recognize the symptoms of domestic violence, respond with compassion and refer survivors to assistance
- **Financial Stability Network**
Pro bono financial services, including financial coaching, education, and tax assistance for low income families to increase income, build and sustain assets
- **Pre-Apprenticeship Green Construction Program**
Prepares students for a career in green building
- **Immigration Legal Services**
Pro bono immigration legal services
- **SHARE Food Network**
Wholesome and nutritious food at a reduced cost through host sites
- **Legal Network**
Pro bono legal services including issues with debt, employment, family law, landlord-tenant, public benefits, wills and probate, guardianship and conservatorship
- **Parish Partners Program**
Connects Catholic parishes assisting local families with Catholic Charities' expertise and services; support for the development of parish social ministries; county emergency service guide
- **Sanctuaries for Life**
Support for women facing an unintended pregnancy through a network of emotional, material and spiritual support during and beyond pregnancy, including prenatal care, labor/delivery

- **Trafficking Victims Assistance Program**
Comprehensive and strength-based services for children and adult survivors of human trafficking
- **Welcome Home Reentry Program**
Volunteer mentoring to men and women returning to their communities after incarceration

Ladies of Charity | 9475 Annapolis Rd., Lanham

Serve the underprivileged and disenfranchised in the community with humility, simplicity and charity

HEALTH CARE AND RELATED SERVICES

Holy Cross Dialysis Center at Woodmore

11721 Woodmore Road, Mitchellville

Provides dialytic therapy to patients with acute renal failure or end-stage renal disease

Catholic Charities health care programs available to residents:

- **Anchor Mental Health Counseling**
Individual counseling and therapeutic groups
- **Catholic Charities Health Care Network**
Connects low-income and uninsured patients with specialized, pro bono health care services
- **Catholic Charities Volunteer Medical Clinic**
Free primary and specialized health care from volunteer doctors, nurses, and other health care professionals for people who do not have access to medical care through public benefits or private insurance
- **Catholic Charities Dental Clinics**
Preventive, diagnostic, emergency and restorative oral health care for adults and children who are uninsured

Catholic Parishes and Schools in District 24

CATHOLIC PARISHES

St. Bernardine of Siena | Founded: 1966
2400 Brooks Dr., Suitland

St. Joseph | Founded: 1922
2020 St. Joseph's Dr., Largo

St. Margaret of Scotland | Founded: 1908
408 Addison Rd. S., Capitol Heights

St. Matthias the Apostle | Founded: 1901
9475 Annapolis Rd., Lanham

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Academy of Saint Matthias the Apostle
Founded: 1961
9473 Annapolis Rd., Lanham