

CATHOLIC IMPACT

MARYLAND DISTRICT 36

parishes, schools & ministries serving your community



11

Catholic parishes & missions



330

students in one
Catholic school and
early learning center



\$7.4 million

in tax dollars saved
by the Catholic schools

Contact us about the Catholic impact



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1 million+ Maryland Catholics transform lives every day statewide and in your district through our parishes, schools, social services, homeless services, child and family support programs, immigration assistance, legal aid, medical care, workforce training, domestic violence prevention, senior housing and services, Safe Streets programs, and much more

Catholic Services and Programs in District 36 *(partial list)*

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Catholic Charities offers programs such as

- **Basic Needs Program**
Supports low-income households through financial crises with case management, financial literacy, budget counseling, job readiness, rent/mortgage/utility assistance, clothing, household goods, furniture, diapers, food, and referrals
- **Immigration Assistance**
- **Family Strengthening Services**

Parish outreach

- **Food pantries** at Our Mother of Sorrows, Centreville; St. Christopher, Chester; and Immaculate Conception, Elkton
- **Outreach services** at Immaculate Conception, Elkton, and St. Joseph, Middleton
- **St. Vincent de Paul Society** at Immaculate Conception, Marydel

Campus ministry at Sacred Heart serves the Catholic community at Washington College

HEALTH CARE AND RELATED SERVICES

Catholic Charities

- **Diabetes Prevention**
Free program for people at high risk for Type 2 diabetes: recognizing pre-diabetes and access to CDC-trained coaches to help participants make lifestyle changes that will reduce their risk of developing Type 2 diabetes
- **Pregnancy Counseling**
Medical referrals, pregnancy and parenting counseling to support expectant parents
- **Outpatient Counseling**
Counseling for individuals with emotional, behavioral, and mental health concerns

Mercy Physicians at Kent Island

130 Love Point Rd.

Medical care available from Mercy Physicians, sponsored by the Sisters of Mercy

NURSING HOME

DeSales Center

1120 Blue Ball Rd., Childs

Nursing home for retired members of the Oblates of St. Francis de Sales

Catholic Parishes in District 36

CATHOLIC PARISHES

Immaculate Conception | Founded: 1916

522 Main St., Marydel

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455 Bow Street, Elkton

Our Mother of Sorrows | Founded: 1892

301 Chesterfield Ave., Centreville

Parish also includes: St. Peter the Apostle | Founded: 1765

5319 Ocean Gateway, Queenstown *(renovations, 2025-26)*

Sacred Heart | Founded: 1876

508 High St., Chestertown

St. John | West Main St., Rock Hall

Mission church to Sacred Heart in Chestertown

St. Benedict | Founded: 1896

408 Central Ave., Ridgely

St. Christopher | Founded: 1954

1861 Harbor Dr., Chester

St. Dennis | Founded: 1855

153 N. Main St., Galena

St. Francis Xavier Shrine (Old Bo) | Founded: 1704

1690 Bohemia Church Road, Warwick *(renovations, 2025-26)*

Historical mission church of St. Joseph in Middletown, DE

St. Rose of Lima Mission | Founded: 1874

301 Lock St., Chesapeake City

Mission church of St. Joseph Parish in Middletown, DE

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Mount Aviat Academy | Founded: 1969

399 Childs Rd., Childs

St. Christopher's Preschool

1861 Harbor Dr., Chester