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Leadership
Catholic Charities serves all those in need, putting our faith into action every day and upholding the dignity of all people in all that we do.
Responding to the cry of the poor

New Jersey is one of only three states where poverty levels increased in 2014 from the previous year. More people than ever turn to Catholic Charities, Diocese of Metuchen, for help.

59,000 people received
218,954 hours of service through
110 programs with the help of
609 volunteers who gave
31,138 hours of their time.

MISSION STATEMENT

“To change the world we must be good to those who cannot repay us.”

Pope Francis

“Driven by the social teachings of the Church, Catholic Charities, Diocese of Metuchen, provides quality services with dignity and respect to the poor, vulnerable and all people in need, and partners with families and communities to improve the quality of life.”
RESPONDING TO THE NEEDS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

HELPING TO MEET BASIC NEEDS

Food insecurity is not just a problem for poor nations; it is one of the leading challenges in Warren County. The pantry at the Social Service Center in Phillipsburg provides food assistance to people so they are better able to face their other daily struggles -- sustaining housing, paying rent, pursuing jobs and completing education.

Our agency is a voice for the economically disadvantaged. We believe having access to adequate nourishment is a basic human right and must be addressed. The Catholic Charities Social Service Center provides basic necessities to the working poor, homeless, seniors and the mentally and physically challenged.

The Catholic Charities Food Pantry, the largest in Warren County, assisted more than 1,000 households in 2014.

PROVIDING SHELTER

Foreclosure rates in NJ increased 70% in 2014, and the number of children experiencing homelessness has never been higher. One in 30 children will experience homelessness in their lifetime. The Ozanam Shelters provide a safe, supportive environment where residents can work towards self-sufficiency and an improved quality of life.

In 2014, The Ozanam Family Shelter in Edison provided 31,941 days of care, and 95,823 meals to 475 women and children from 230 families. The Ozanam Men's Shelter in New Brunswick provided 14,033 nights of care, and 28,066 meals to 217 men.

Did You Know?

NJ's poverty rate has gone up for the 3rd year in a row, despite being the third wealthiest state in the nation.

998,549 people in NJ are living in poverty.

11.4% of households in the state are food insecure and may not eat today.

NJ ranks 47th in the nation in providing affordable housing to very low income residents.
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WORKING WITH PARTNERS TO STRENGTHEN COMMUNITIES

Unity Square, a community development and social justice initiative of Catholic Charities moved from a temporary location to a new home in 2014. A former New Brunswick firehouse was renovated and transformed into the Unity Square Community Center. This was accomplished in partnership with Johnson & Johnson and other private entities through a program and with the City of New Brunswick.

Unity Square encourages working-poor families, including Mexican immigrants in the Second Ward neighborhood, to be involved in issues important to the community. The Center hosts programs in job training, tenant rights counseling, Crime Watch meetings, English as a Second Language classes, immigrant rights, after school 4-H groups, social events, and meetings on civic and community issues.

In 2014, Unity Square successfully advocated for pedestrian safety improvements on nearby Livingston Avenue, and for the first local anti-wage-theft ordinance in the state.

INTERFAITH REBUILDING

Catholic Charities partnered with the Mennonite Disaster Service to rebuild Sandy-damaged homes in Middlesex County. More than 100 Mennonites came from all over the country bringing their own tools and equipment to do needed reconstruction with supplies provided by Catholic Charities USA. Their lodgings were provided by Catholic Charities, Diocese of Metuchen.

"There is no way I would ever be able to do even a part of the repairs that were needed. I have no way to thank you for what you have done."

More than 1,500 Unity Square residents participated in community organizing and development in 2014.
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COUNSELING SERVICES

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The Crisis Intervention Mobile Response Team is on call 24/7

Due to an unfortunate family situation, an extremely shy 12-year old boy, living with his grandparents, was a victim of bullying and had become seriously depressed. His grandparents were desperate for help. They called the Mobile Response Team, who responded to the family’s home within an hour. Arrangements were made for the boy that included ongoing counseling, a mentor, a membership to the YMCA and a donated bicycle. The family reports that he is doing well, working toward a healthy weight and has made a friend at the YMCA.
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**YOUTH ENRICHMENT SERVICES**

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“"I feel secure and happy when my child is in the program and he shows happiness when I pick him up. It’s really good to have this program in the community. ”

“I like the dinners because they are healthy and they are good.”
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Financial Summary FY 2014

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Catholic Charities, Diocese of Metuchen, welcomes volunteer inquiries since the generous contribution of time and talent from individuals enables us to offer a higher level of quality service to those in need. Opportunities include but are not limited to: office assistance, mentoring, food preparation for our shelters and shopping and friendly visits to homebound. CALL: 732-324-8200

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LEAVE A LEGACY OF HOPE:
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Please consider naming Catholic Charities, Diocese of Metuchen, as a beneficiary of your will. A gift through your will evidences your strong commitment to the needy and less fortunate that lasts beyond your lifetime. It is suggested that you use the following language:

I hereby give and devise to Catholic Charities, Diocese of Metuchen, a charitable organization located at 319 Maple Street, Perth Amboy, New Jersey 08861, $ to be used for its general charitable purposes.

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Paul Shane Spear
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