



## Catholic Charities Connections

Fall 2022

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Hello Bea,

Changing weather, changing colors on the trees, changing schedules for back-to-school time...the season of changes is here. This is a busy and exciting time of year for so many, including us at Catholic Charities. We have exciting events planned, a new program starting, and those inevitable changes we all face. We ask for three things today from you - your **patience**, your **prayers**, and your **generosity**.

Happy Fall!

## Update

*Here is where we need your patience.*

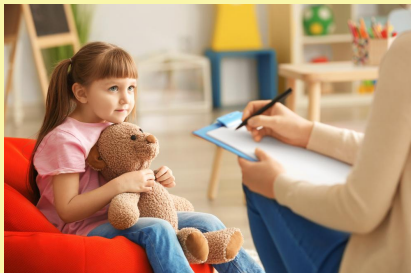
### JCCAC Expansion Update

The long-awaited expansion of our Jackson County Child Advocacy Center has unfortunately been delayed until Spring 2023. While daily work at the JCCAC continues, the schedule for the expansion project has been impacted by the lingering labor and supply shortages. We are determined to make it happen to help us better serve the children in our community. Watch for updates in our newsletter and on our [website](#).



## What's New?

*Here is one place where we need your prayers.*



The Hillsdale County community has stepped up to help us open a new Child Advocacy location. A collaborative effort with strategic community partners, the Hillsdale CAC will begin serving area children through the same forensic interview process as our Jackson and Lenawee locations. Find out more about our important work with abused children [HERE](#).

## Volunteer Corner

*Here is how we need your generosity.*

We have several opportunities for you to get involved.

- We are looking for volunteers to help at our Child Advocacy Centers. Email Jamie at [jlee@catholiccharitiesjlhc.org](mailto:jlee@catholiccharitiesjlhc.org) for more information.
- Our fall event is Tuesday, September 27th and we could use some help with set up. Contact Bea at [bcuthbertson@catholiccharitiesjlhc.org](mailto:bcuthbertson@catholiccharitiesjlhc.org) or call 517.879.0599 to sign up.
- Enjoy yardwork? We could use a hand with fall cleanup at all of our locations. Contact Kristen at 517.263.2191.
- Do you have a background in graphic design and would like to volunteer? Contact Bea at 517.879.0599.
- In November (dates TBD), we will need bulk mailing support. Email Ken at [kveenstra@catholiccharitiesjlhc.org](mailto:kveenstra@catholiccharitiesjlhc.org) to sign up.

Find other ways to help out by going to [www.catholiccharitiesjlhc.org/get-involved/](http://www.catholiccharitiesjlhc.org/get-involved/).

### Foster Parents Needed

We are in need of additional foster homes.  
Start the journey of fostering a child today!  
Call [\(517\) 740-1731](tel:5177401731) to get started.



## Fall Events

# A. D. A. M. Memorial Butterfly Release September 12, 2022



## Our Annual Event Returns this Summer

A.D.A.M continues our annual tradition of remembrance—this year with over 100 butterflies. Each guest will receive 1 butterfly to be released in honor of their loved one (s).

**Time:** 5:30pm—7:00pm

**Location:** Gene Davis & Sons

3575 Francis Street, Jackson, MI 49203

**Deadline:** September 7, 2022

**Register:** [517-782-2551](tel:517-782-2551) or  
[rweber@CatholicCharitiesJLHC.org](mailto:rweber@CatholicCharitiesJLHC.org)

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Memorial Provided for  
Anyone Who Has Lost a  
Loved One

**Free Event**  
**Hot dog dinner,**  
**refreshments, and**  
**butterflies**  
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Can't attend the butterfly event but want to honor your deceased loved one? You can have your loved one's name included on our butterfly memorial plaque wall with your donation. Download the form [here](#).



Our Faith in Action fundraising dinner will be held Tuesday, September 27, 2022 at Our Lady of Fatima parish in Michigan Center. This event focuses on membership in our *St. Teresa of Calcutta Giving Society* through a pledge of



financial support.

Register to attend on our [website](#) or contact us for more information at 517.879.0599.

Join our team - find open positions

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