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A note from our Board President

The volunteer drivers for Catholic Charities hear many stories from our senior citizen clients! Stories of hope...for good health, strong families and resilient faith, often in the midst of difficulties. Our clients help us to remember that we are part of the Body of Christ. Like our clients, the story of Catholic Charities involves responding to God's presence in the elderly, the foster child, the addicted, the imprisoned. Catholic Charities works with the 13 parishes in Jackson, Lenawee and Hillsdale Counties to extend services, counseling, and faith-based support to those in need. We extend special appreciation to the pastors and staff at these parishes for their collaboration and support. As the late Great St. John Paul II said: "The Church draws her life from the Eucharist."



Blessings,



Dan Bishop, 2023 Board President

Executive Director's Message

Dear Friends,

"Let us...persevere in running the race that lies before us while keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus..." (Hebrews 12:2)

Since our four-year strategic plan ended in 2023, I thought it would be a good idea to share with you a brief status report, and our vision for the next four years. Not only do strategic plans serve as a roadmap to ensure our goals align with our mission, but they also hold us accountable, guide decision making, provide timelines and keep us on track to persist during the most challenging times. The 2020 to 2023 plan demonstrated considerable progress in the development of a succession plan for all leadership positions which has already proven beneficial. Our focus on financial stability proved to be successful as you will see in this annual report. We wanted to build new and expand existing relationships with our Catholic parishes and schools. Our continuation of providing a counselor in our four local Catholic elementary schools, adding more service areas at St. Anthony parish in Hillsdale, providing new therapy services at St. Elizabeth parish in Tecumseh, and having a physical presence at Holy Family parish in Adrian, exhibited our commitment to this goal. We are constantly trying to integrate our existing programs and services at the organization to build on our collaborative culture with a focus on our mission.

I project the next four years to be the most challenging in recent history for Catholic Charities. Now more than ever we need to hold strong to our faith as a Catholic organization. When met with challenges, if we keep our eyes on Jesus - who is the ultimate example of perseverance - Catholic Charities will continue to be a beacon of hope for the most vulnerable in our communities.

Sincerely,



Sue Lewis

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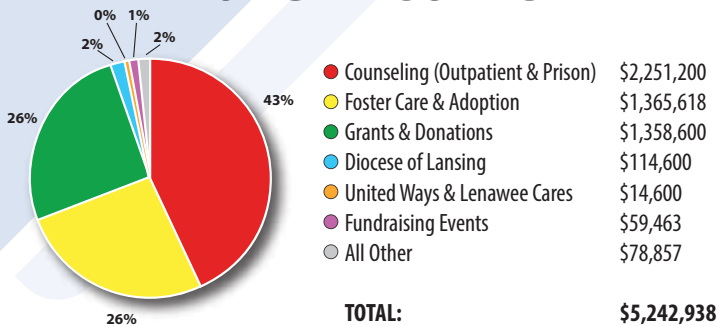
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2023 By The Numbers

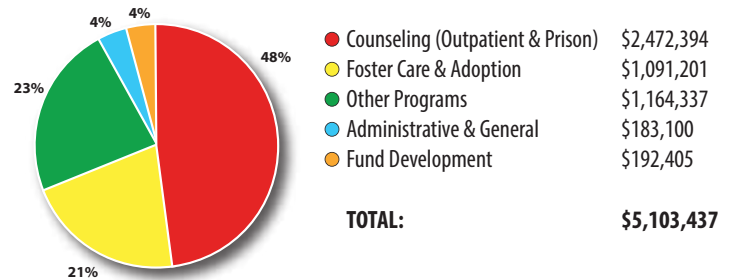
- Outpatient Counseling sessions = **8,562**
- CAC interviews = **425** total for three counties
- Foster children = averaged **36** in care throughout the year
- Adoptions = finalized **13**
- CTAC Assessments completed = **40**
- Transportation trips for seniors to medical appointments = **878**
- Number of Roadmap to Graduation students = **2**
- Prison = We provided Substance Use Disorder services to over **3,000** inmates in eight prisons throughout the state

Financial Update

2023 Income



2023 Expenses



Children's Advocacy Center of South Central Michigan (CACSCMI) Jackson location staff



Creating Hope...

Operation Good Cheer



Operation Good Cheer helps provide Christmas gifts for the children in our foster care program.

ADAM Program -- Butterfly Event

Our ADAM program offers support for those navigating the journey of grief. Our special events and weekly group meetings are attended by an array of community members who come together to remember and honor their loved ones while recognizing they are not alone.



Memorial Tree Planted

This memorial tree was planted in memory of Adam Beiswanger, for whom the ADAM (Another Day, Another Memory) program was established and named.

Our Jackson CAC building once housed the ADAM program prior to it becoming a program of CCJLHC.

Catholic Charities staff thanks our donors, volunteers, and supporters. We could not do all we do without the help of our community.



St. Patrick's Day Box Lunch Event--
Special delivery by Board President
Dan Bishop to the staff at Queen's parish.



Fr. Tim MacDonald shows off his St. Teresa
of Calcutta socks to inspire membership in
our Giving Society named for her.

Children's Advocacy Center of South Central Michigan

In 2023, our three Child Advocacy Centers (one in each county) combined to form the Children's Advocacy Center of South Central Michigan, streamlining processing and working collaboratively to improve efficiency and service delivery. We also completed the final touches on our Jackson CAC location and held an open house to show the impact our donors have made.

(before, during & after construction photos below)



2023 Fundraising Events

We enjoyed our two big fundraising events in 2023, our **Zero K "No Run" FundRACEing** event and our annual **Faith in Action** event. Our sponsors, donors and volunteers helped make them successful, allowing us to continue our important work for those in need. Thank you to all who participated!



Tributes in memory of...

Anatole & Maria Sokolev	Fetzer Family	Kutcha Family	Richard Waffle
Ann Marie Robinson	For Turkey & Syria	Larry Mack	Rita Hill
Anthony Aiello	Gary Edward Farhat, MD	Leo & Margie Konkol	Robert & Christopher Harr
Arthur & Elsie Freebes	George & Diane	Lillian Morris	Robert & Jeanne Lange
Avery Railer	George A. Bradley	Lorraine McDonough	Robert John Fought
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Doris Bauer	& son Joseph M Cabla	Nat & Pat Pulling	in purgatory
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Father Jim Shaver	Kevin Thomas	Richard Applin	
Felix & Stasia Kistka	Konkel & Donahue Families	Richard James 'RJ' Cuthbertson	



Everyone enjoyed the delicious summer meal served by the Knights of Columbus.

Faith in Action Event



- Keynote speaker Mr. Chuck Gaidica, renowned television news personality and Catholic speaker.
- Faith in Action Event Mass

Tributes in honor of...

All of the drivers that have made my appointments possible	Dan Bishop	Len Brown	My Friend, Jean Kaisler	Stevens Family
Angie Atkin	Deacon Todd	Living & Deceased Members of the Georgia Family	Our Lord	Sue Lewis
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- Counseling (individual, group, marriage, family)
- Foster care & Adoption
- Outpatient substance use disorder treatment
- Prison-based substance use disorder counseling
- Sexual abuse treatment
- A.D.A.M. grief and loss support
- Senior transportation services
- Child advocacy centers
- Roadmap to Graduation
- Personal Needs & Linen Closet
- Bags of Hope
- School social work



We love our volunteers!
They make our events possible.

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Your donation to Catholic Charities helps us reach more people in need. To learn more, or for information on how you can donate or volunteer, reach out:

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