

"Christ leads us to go out from ourselves more and more, to give ourselves and to serve others." ~ Pope Francis

Our faith inspires us to seek a common good. We don't help others because they are Catholic, but because we are Catholics. The Maryland Catholic Conference works in Annapolis to give a voice to those have none: the imprisoned, the immigrant, the homeless, the unemployed, the unborn child, the hungry, struggling children and families, the elderly, the sick.

Below is a snapshot of the Catholic "Footprint" in legislative **District 27**. Through our dioceses, parishes, schools, ministries, charities and individuals, we try to make our state a place of fairness for all by providing concrete resources to those in need.

District 27

9 parishes in your district

6,263 parishioners

5 Catholic schools

\$9.6 million tax dollars saved by Catholic schools in your district

6 social services & agencies

OUR SERVICES

Angel's Watch Shelter 27A

P.O. Box 613, Hughesville

www.catholiccharitiesdc.org

For many years Angel's Watch Shelter, located in Charles County has been a source of safety and new beginnings for women and their children fleeing domestic violence or homelessness.

Body of Christ Community and Farm 27A

3325 Martha Place, Waldorf

A 106-acre farm in Malcolm, run by Black Leadership and Christ's Kingdom Society founder Rev. Pittman, where clubs and groups could harvest and sell vegetables and learn the values of hard work and perseverance.

Fortitude Housing 27A

P.O. Box 613, Hughesville

www.catholiccharitiesdc.org

Fortitude Housing is a program that approaches homelessness differently. Each resident in the program is given their own fully furnished apartment, along with one-on-one case management services that help connect residents with employment support, social security benefits, education and other support services that help rebuild a life. With the crisis of homelessness removed, many residents find they can rebuild their lives. Apartments are located in Charles, Calvert and St. Mary's counties.

Project PATH 27A

P.O. Box 613, Hughesville

www.catholiccharitiesdc.org

Project PATH is an outreach program for Charles County residents who are homeless or are at risk of becoming homeless. The program concentrates on men and women with mental health issues, some of whom may have problems with substance abuse.

St. Sebastian Townhomes 27A

P.O. Box 613. Hughesville

www.catholiccharitiesdc.org/stsebastian

The program offers its clients permanent housing and one-on-one case management services that help to connect residents with resources targeting individuals experiencing mental health issues or physical disabilities.

MedStar Southern Maryland Hospital Center 27B

7503 Surratts Rd., Clinton

Catholic chaplain services provides.

OUR PARISHES

St. Francis de Sales Catholic Church 27A

Founded: 1903

7185 Benedict Ave., Benedict www.stfrancisbenedict.org

St. Mary's Catholic Church of Piscataway 27A

Founded: 1640

13401 Piscataway Rd., Clinton www.saintmaryspiscataway.net

St. Michael Parish 27A

Founded: 1957

17502 Aquasco Rd., Brandywine stmichaelsbaden.weconnect.com

St. Dominic Mission 27A

Mission Church of St. Michael Parish 22300 Aquasco Rd., Aquasco stmichaelsbaden.weconnect.com

St. Peter's Church 27A

Founded: 1700

3320 Saint Peter's Dr., Waldorf www.stpeterswaldorf.org

Covenant Community of Jesus the Good Shepherd 27B

Founded: 1985

1555 W. Mount Harmony Rd., Owings

www.ccjgs.org

St. Anthony Catholic Church 27C

Founded: 1962

8816 Chesapeake Ave., North Beach

www.stanthonycal.com

Jesus the Divine Word Catholic Church 27B

Founded: 1994

885 Cox Rd., Huntingtown www.jesusdivineword.com

St. John Vianney Catholic Church 27C

Founded: 1965

105 Vianney Ln., Prince Frederick

www.sjvchurch.net

OUR SCHOOLS

St. Mary School of Piscataway 27A

Founded: 1962

13407 Piscataway Rd., Clinton www.stmaryspiscataway.org

Tuition: \$6,350 Grades: PreK to 8

St. Peter School 27A

Founded: 1956

3310 St. Peter's Dr., Waldorf www.stpetersschoolwaldorf.org

Tuition: \$5,550 Grades: PreK to 8

Good News Preschool Jesus the Divine Word 27B

885 Cox Rd., Huntingtown

www.jesusdivineword.com/preschool

Tuition: 2 mornings/week \$175/month; 3 mornings per week \$250/month

Grades: PreK

Cardinal Hickey Academy 27B

Founded: 1997

1601 W. Mt. Harmony Rd., Owings www.cardinalhickeyacademy.org

Tuition: \$8,410 Grades: PreK to 8

National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence

Christian Beginnings Preschool of St. John Vianney 27C

105 Vianney Ln., Prince Frederick www.sjvchurch.net/Preschool

Grades: PreK

