



## the *Catholic* footprint

*"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 36**. 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 36

**12** parishes in your district

**3,673** parishioners

**3** Catholic schools

**\$2.2** million tax dollars saved  
by Catholic schools in your district

**2** social services & agencies

# OUR SERVICES

## **Benedictine Programs and Services**

*14299 Benedictine Ln., Ridgely*

**[www.benschool.org](http://www.benschool.org)**

Educational, residential and day services for children and adults with developmental disabilities, ages 5 through 60.

## **St. Gertrude Monastery**

*14259 Benedictine Ln., Ridgely*

**[www.osbridgely.com](http://www.osbridgely.com)**

Home of the Benedictine Sisters.

## **Washington College Catholic Campus Ministry**

*508 High St., Chestertown*

**[www.washcoll.edu](http://www.washcoll.edu)**

Catholic Campus Ministry offers social and religious activities for the Washington College community.

# OUR PARISHES

## **Immaculate Conception Parish**

Founded: 1916  
522 Main St., Marydel  
[www.iccmarydel.org](http://www.iccmarydel.org)

## **St. Jude Mission Church**

Founded: 1849  
454 Bow St. Extension, Elkton  
[iccp parish.weconnect.com](http://iccp parish.weconnect.com)  
Mission church to Immaculate Conception in Marydel.

## **Our Mother of Sorrows Parish**

Founded: 1892  
301 Chesterfield Ave., Centreville  
[www.sorrowsparish.org](http://www.sorrowsparish.org)

## **St. Peter the Apostle Church**

Founded: 1765  
5319 Ocean Gateway, Queenstown  
[www.sorrowsparish.org](http://www.sorrowsparish.org)  
Mission church to Our Mother of Sorrows Parish in Centreville.

## **Sacred Heart**

Founded: 1876  
508 High St., Chestertown  
[www.sacredparish.org](http://www.sacredparish.org)

## **St. John Catholic Church**

West Main St., Rock Hall  
[www.sacredparish.org](http://www.sacredparish.org)  
Mission church to Sacred Heart in Chestertown.

## **St. Benedict Parish**

Founded: 1896  
408 Central Ave., Ridgely  
[www.beparish.com](http://www.beparish.com)

## **St. Elizabeth of Hungary Church**

108 S. First St., Denton  
[www.beparish.com](http://www.beparish.com)  
Mission church of St. Benedict Parish in Ridgely.

## **St. Christopher Church**

Founded: 1954  
1861 Harbor Dr., Chester  
[www.stchristopherski.org](http://www.stchristopherski.org)

## **St. Dennis Catholic Church**

Founded: 1855  
153 N. Main St., Galena  
[www.stdennischurch.org](http://www.stdennischurch.org)

## **St. Francis Xavier Shrine**

Founded: 1704  
1699 Church Rd., Warwick  
[www.stjosephmiddletown.com](http://www.stjosephmiddletown.com)  
Mission church of St. Joseph Parish in Middletown, DE.

## **St. Rose of Lima Mission**

Founded: 1874  
301 Lock St., Chesapeake City  
[www.stjosephmiddletown.com](http://www.stjosephmiddletown.com)  
Mission church of St. Joseph Parish in Middletown, DE.

# OUR SCHOOLS

## **The Benedictine School**

Founded: 1959

*14299 Benedictine Ln., Ridgely*

**[www.benschool.org](http://www.benschool.org)**

The Benedictine School accepts male and female referrals, ages 5-21 with mild to severe intellectual disabilities, multiple disabilities, and autism. Non-graded, 12-month school, provides both day and residential programming.

## **Immaculate Conception School**

Founded: 1927

*452 Bow St., Elkton*

**[www.icschoolweb.org](http://www.icschoolweb.org)**

Tuition: \$5,455

Grades: PreK to 8

## **St. Christopher's Preschool**

1861 Harbor Dr., Chester

**[www.stchristopherski.org](http://www.stchristopherski.org)**

Grades: PreK

