



WHO WE ARE, WHY IT MATTERS, AND WHAT IT MEANS TO WORK HERE.

Our Mission: Why We Exist

Inspired by the Catholic Church's social teachings, Catholic Charities West Michigan fosters individuals and families to flourish by providing help and creating hope.

Our Catholic Identity: What Guides Our Work

We believe...

- Every human life has inherent dignity
- Families deserve support, stability, and care
- In walking with people through difficult moments
- Faith should be expressed through service, professionalism, and love

Our Impact: What This Looks Like Every Day

Since 1946, Catholic Charities West Michigan has been feeding the hungry, counseling those who struggle, and building strong families.

+74K MEALS SERVED THROUGH
OUR PROGRAMMING

+17K BEHAVIORAL HEALTH
SESSIONS CONDUCTED

+4.4K CHILDREN SUPPORTED
ACROSS OUR PROGRAMS

+5.6K FAMILIES SUPPORTED
ACROSS OUR PROGRAMS

+25K TOTAL INDIVIDUALS SERVED
ACROSS OUR AGENCY



How Our Catholic Mission Shapes Our Services



We support women facing unexpected or difficult pregnancies through resources, counseling, and ongoing care rooted in the dignity of every human life, from conception to natural death. While we do not advise or assist in abortion decisions, we remain committed to serving our clients regardless of their choices.



We serve people regardless of their immigration status.



We serve people of all backgrounds with respect and compassion. Following Catholic Social Teaching, adoption and foster care are limited to marriages of one man and one woman, and same-sex couples may be referred to other community agencies.



We provide marriage, parenting, and family support rooted in Catholic Social Teaching on marriage and family life. At the same time, we treat everyone we serve—whatever their background—with compassion and respect.



We pursue justice through direct service and advocacy rooted in Catholic Social Teaching, prioritizing human dignity, family stability, and care for the vulnerable.



In all cases, we are committed to treating every person with dignity and respect, regardless of life circumstance or personal beliefs.

What This Means for Our Staff

We welcome individuals of all faiths and backgrounds. Staff are expected to serve clients in accordance with the Mission, Vision, and Values of CCWM, as well as be familiar with and support the Catholic Church's 7 Principles of Catholic Social Teaching.

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