



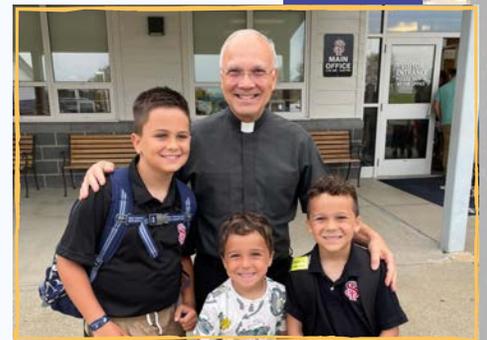
Dear Friend in Christ,

We do not have to look far to see the Lord's work in the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston. Each year, we ask you to prayerfully consider a gift to the *Catholic Sharing Appeal* and support ministries of our diocese that impact thousands of lives in our community. This year, through the generosity of nearly 4,200 contributors, the CSA secured more than \$3 million in gifts. ***Your generosity fills my heart with hope!***

Here in our diocese, we receive with great gratitude, each gift in support of the CSA, and understand that we are responsible for the stewardship of each and every dollar donated to the CSA. These funds support parishes, shared ministries, evangelization, Catholic education, and outreach efforts across our state. These programs are made possible by the generosity of so many including you. ***Thank you for answering the Lord's call this past year and for your unwavering devotion to your local church.***

On behalf of all of the Diocesan programs sustained by the CSA and those who benefit from their services, I again thank you for your generous support and trust.

Sincerely Yours in Christ,
Mark E. Brennan
Bishop of Wheeling-Charleston

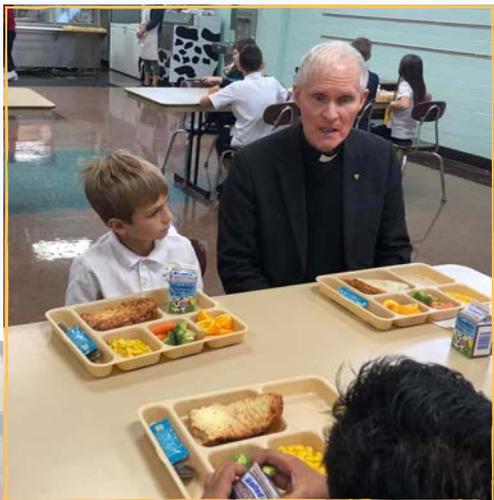


Thank you

for helping to educate our youth

\$380,625 Catholic Education

Your gift to the *Catholic Sharing Appeal* has impacted students and staff in all 24 Catholic schools across the Diocese. Funding from the CSA provides support for School-Based Health programs and religious Sisters in our schools. It also contributes to the Tuition Assistance Program and professional formation for teachers, administration, and staff.



Thank you

for expanding ministry & outreach efforts

\$288,900 Shared Ministries



Because of your support to the CSA, we are able to provide opportunities to grow in faith and expand shared ministries throughout WV. Your gift to the CSA assists ministries, including:

- Walking with Moms
- Blessed Camp Carlo Accutis
- Net Ministry Youth Retreats
- Year of the Eucharist Programs
- PACE Conference
- Catholic Charities West Virginia

You're Invited...

Tuesday, February 20, 2024 at 6PM
St. John XXIII Pastoral Center
100 Hodges Rd., Charleston, WV

Tuesday, March 5, 2024 at 6PM
St. Michael Angelus Center
1225 National Rd., Wheeling, WV

Thursday, March 7, 2024 at 6PM
St. Michael Parish Hall
213 55th St., Vienna, WV

Bishop Brennan would like the opportunity to thank you in person for your support and share the impact your gift has made on the shared ministries and outreach efforts of the Diocese of Wheeling-Charleston.

We hope you will join us!

Drinks and hors d'oeuvres will be served.

Thank you

for providing for those most in need

\$245,000 CSA Grant Program

Through the guidance of the CSA Grant Committee, 48 grants totaling over \$245,000, has been awarded to 17 Parishes, 21 Catholic Schools, and 9 Food Pantries throughout the Diocese.

For a full list of 2023 Grant Recipients, visit the CSA website, dwc.org/CSA.



Thank you

for your dedication to your home parish

\$2.1 million Parish Support

We most often experience Church in our local parish. The portion of the CSA that is awarded to parishes enables them to address their most pressing needs. Gifts to the CSA assist parishes in doing everything from paving parking lots and repairing roofs, to assisting youth ministry and feeding the poor. Each parish is given the opportunity to choose how they utilize their CSA funding.



RSVP to attend:

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Let Us Pray,

Use me God,
show me how to give generously,
pray purposefully,
and serve joyfully
for a purpose greater than myself.

Amen.

We look forward to your continued prayers and generosity for the 2024 Catholic Sharing Appeal!

Krissie Benson, Heidi Sforza, & Cayla Morando
The Office of Stewardship & Development