



# CATHOLIC IMPACT

## District 28



**1 million+ Maryland Catholics transform lives every day**

statewide and in your district through parishes, schools, social services, homeless services, child and family support, immigration assistance, legal aid, workforce training, domestic violence prevention, senior housing and services, safe streets programs, & much more



**11**

Catholic parishes & missions



**210**

units of affordable housing for the elderly



**500**

students in 2 Catholic schools & 1 early learning center



**\$8.2 million**

in tax dollars saved by 3 Catholic schools

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# Catholic Services and Programs in District 28 *(partial list)*

## SENIOR SERVICES | VICTORY HOUSING

**210 units of affordable housing for low-income seniors:**

- **LaPlata Manor** | 1 Hickory Ln., La Plata
- **Victory Brookside** | 2008 Wingate Ct., Waldorf
- **Victory Lakeside** | 2005 St. Thomas Dr., Waldorf

## HOUSING AND SERVICES FOR THE HOMELESS

**These Catholic Charities programs serve Southern Maryland**

- **Angel's Watch Shelter**  
Safe housing and new beginnings for women and their children fleeing domestic violence or homelessness in Southern Maryland
- **Fortitude Housing**  
Permanent supportive housing program providing case management that focuses on budgeting, bill paying, and apartment maintenance
- **Project PATH**  
Outreach program for homeless Charles County residents, focusing on men and women with mental health issues or problems with substance abuse
- **St. Sebastian Townhouses**  
Permanent supportive housing along with case management services for the homeless, along with resources for mental health issues or physical disabilities

## COMMUNITY RESOURCES

**Parishes serve their community in many ways, including**

- **Parish food pantries, A Grateful Plate** hot meal program for the homeless, coat drives, and more

**Catholic Charities offers a range of services for residents:**

- **SHARE Food Network**  
Discount grocery program that is community-based and open to all, possible through high-volume purchasing and volunteer engagement
- **Southern Maryland Food Bank** | 22A Irongate Dr., Waldorf  
Supplies 30 food pantries in Southern Maryland, maintains a community garden, and delivers healthy groceries to at-risk children and senior citizens

- **Welcome Home Reentry Program** | 22A Irongate Dr., Waldorf  
Volunteer mentoring to men and women returning to their communities after incarceration
- **Legal Network**  
Pro bono legal services including issues with debt, employment, family law, landlord-tenant, public benefits, wills and probate, guardianship and conservatorship
- **Parish Partners Program**  
Connects Catholic parishes seeking to assist local families with Catholic Charities' expertise and services; also provides training, networking and support for the development of parish social ministries, and an emergency service guide for the county

## HEALTH CARE AND RELATED SERVICES

**Catholic Charities Health Care Network**

Connects low-income and uninsured patients with specialized, pro bono health care services

## OTHER CATHOLIC ORGANIZATIONS

**Camp St. Charles** | 15375 Stella Maris Dr., Newburg

Catholic summer camp and retreat center owned by the Salvatorians

**Loyola on the Potomac Retreat House** | 9270 Loyola Retreat Rd., Faulkner

House of prayer and discernment, with daily and longer-term spiritual retreats; owned by the Jesuits and located on 235 acres of wooded land

**Serra Club of Southern Maryland** | meets at St. Joseph, Morganza  
Volunteer organization dedicated to promoting vocations to the priesthood and religious life, and personal spiritual development

## Catholic Parishes and Schools in District 28

### CATHOLIC PARISHES

**Holy Ghost** | Founded: 1904  
15848 Rock Point Rd., Newburg

**St. Francis de Sales** | 13675 Furbush Rd.,  
Newburg (mission of Holy Ghost parish)

**Our Lady Help of Christians** | Founded: 1980  
930 Barrington Dr., Waldorf

**Sacred Heart** | Founded: 1948  
201 St. Mary's Ave., La Plata

**St. Catherine of Alexandria** | Founded: 1911  
7865 Port Tobacco Rd., Port Tobacco

**St. Ignatius Chapel Point** | Founded: 1641  
8855 Chapel Point Rd., Port Tobacco  
*One of the oldest Catholic parishes in continuous service in the US*

**St. Ignatius Loyola Hilltop** | Founded: 1851  
6455 Port Tobacco Rd., La Plata

**St. Joseph** | Founded: 1763  
4590 St. Joseph Way, Pomfret

**St. Mary's** | Founded: 1793  
13715 Notre Dame Pl., Bryantown

**St. Mary's Newport** | Founded: 1674  
11555 Saint Mary's Church Rd., Charlotte Hall

**St. Mary Star of the Sea** | Founded: 1909  
30 Mattingly Ave., Indian Head

### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

**Archbishop Neale School** | Founded: 1927  
104 Port Tobacco Rd., La Plata

**Our Lady's Little Christians Preschool**  
100 Village St., Waldorf

**St. Mary School** | Founded: 1915  
13735 Notre Dame Pl., Bryantown