

When you give to the Charity and Development Appeal you support more the work of more than 70 organizations and ministries in our Diocese, transforming the lives of thousands of people. Together we can put our faith into action. Together we can do more than any one parish or person can do. Your love gives hope to so many!



Make Your Gift to the CDA Today!

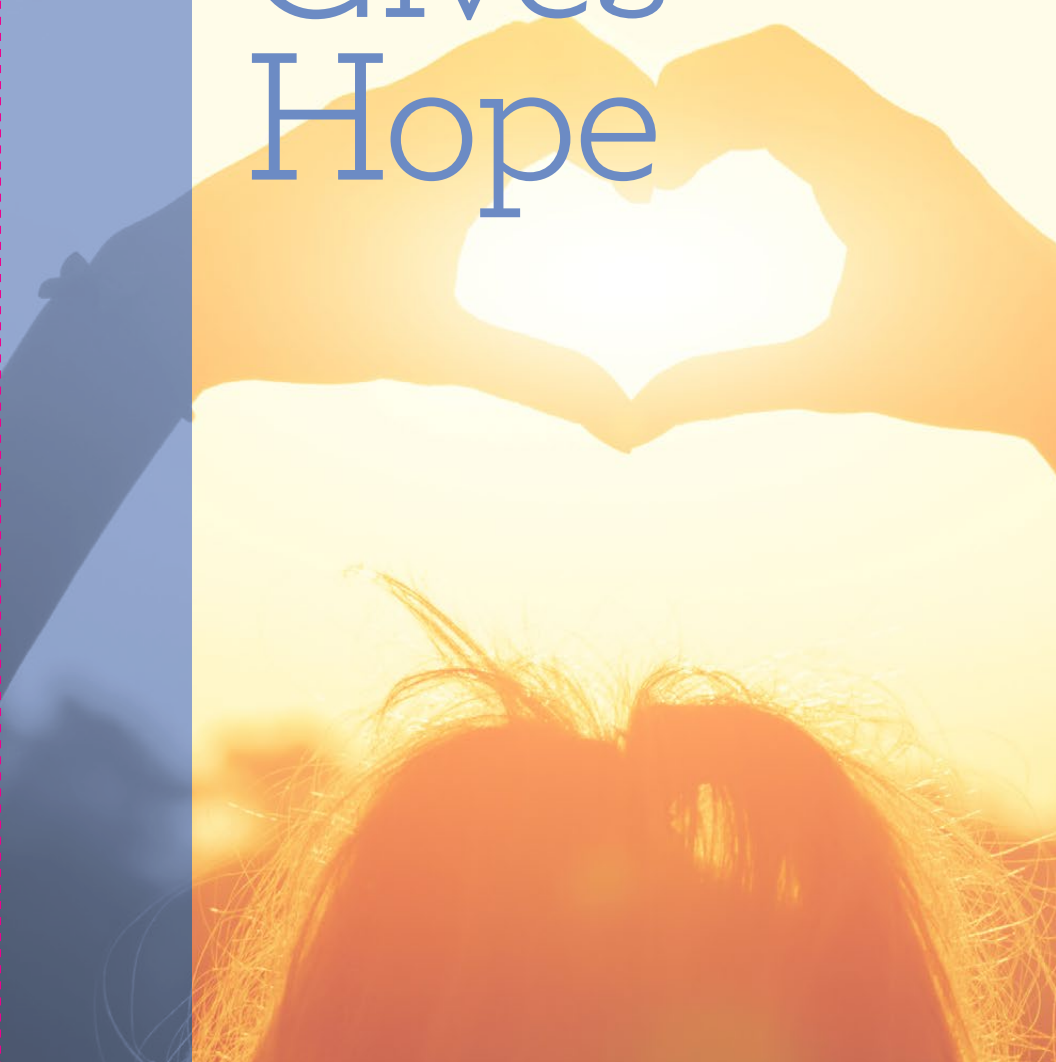
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CHARITY & DEVELOPMENT APPEAL



Love that Gives Hope





Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Loving your neighbor means acting with compassion, and I am so grateful for the love and compassion you share with the people served by the Charity & Development Appeal (CDA). Our Diocese is blessed with people who are moved by the grace of God's love and motivated to share that love with others.

Every gift to the CDA helps transform the lives of people who seek the loving presence of Christ. Thank you for helping 70 ministries, apostolates and organizations to serve people who seek the grace of God's love.

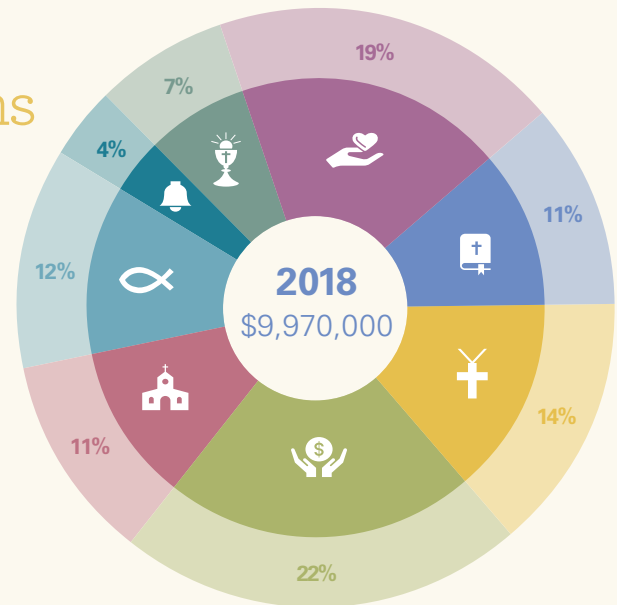
Sincerely Yours in Christ,

Thomas J. Olmsted

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Bishop of Phoenix

2018 Grants & Allocations

	Charitable Organizations	\$1,882,500
	Parishes and Missions	\$1,089,547
	Clergy, Seminarians and Religious	\$1,431,976
	Appeal Costs	\$2,190,390
	Evangelization and Education	\$1,060,000
	Other Services and Support	\$1,224,256
	Catholic Schools	\$424,891
	Sacred Liturgy	\$666,440



Dear Friends,

We are blessed to serve as Co-Chairs for the Charity & Development Appeal! Generosity begins at home and giving is a value that is "caught" rather than taught. When parents model stewardship, children become aware of the joy that comes from giving.

We encourage your family to use **GPS** as your guide... how can you **Give**? **Pray**? And **Serve** together? Set a goal for giving – maybe the cost of a video game or new toy. Pray together, especially for others. And serve – maybe a parish event or toy drive at Christmas. Embrace joy as faithful servants in God's "Ohana" (Family)!

Genuinely in Christ,

(signature)

Barry & Adelaida Severson (and boys!)

Helping people in need

Gestures of love, tenderness and care help people know the Lord is with them. The CDA supports about 16 organizations that open the door for people to receive God's mercy.

Catholic Charities serves 7 Arizona counties with 5 offices, has more than 20 programs, and aids more than 100,000 people each year.

"The CDA is an important source of funding for Catholic Charities Community Services, which allows us to help refugees, veterans, children in foster care, and victims of domestic violence and sex-trafficking. We are grateful for the continued support of the CDA." PAUL S. MULLIGAN, PRESIDENT & CEO, CATHOLIC CHARITIES COMMUNITY SERVICES

Foundation for Senior Living promotes aging in place with dignity in a safe, healthy environment. Their adult day health program welcomes seniors and other at-risk adults into day programs where they receive the loving care and interaction they need. Other FSL programs include care at home, home improvements, and nutrition. More than 10,000 will receive assistance at FSL this year!

Restore Dignity helps survivors of abuse, neglect, and traumatic events to heal through their Grief to Grace Retreats. With programs in English and Spanish, last year over 600 individuals were graced with God's healing presence.



Giving Veterans a Helping Hand

Many veterans struggle to rebuild their lives after service to our country. Catholic Charities provides programs to address post-traumatic stress, homelessness, job placement, financial management, and drug and alcohol addiction. XXX Veterans received assistance through Catholic Charities last year.

Cherishing Life

As Catholics, we place great value on the dignity of human life – for the sick and the vulnerable, the unborn and the elderly. The CDA provides critical support to 9 apostolates that promote the health and well-being of young mothers, their babies and life as parents.

18,245
Individuals
served
at clinics

7,779
Pregnancy tests
provided

000
Couples
attended Natural
Family
Planning Classes

6 **Statewide**
clinics offer
support
for women's health
and pregnancy

*"It is God who gives life.
Let us respect and love human
life, especially vulnerable life
in a mother's womb."*

POPE FRANCIS



Life Choices Women's Clinic

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Encountering Christ

With 1.188 million Catholics in our Diocese, there are countless opportunities for a personal encounter with Jesus. Parishes offer RCIA, adult faith formation, youth ministry, and children's catechesis. Our Diocese delivers programming for marriage prep, natural family planning, prison ministry, and evangelization for diverse ethnic cultures. The CDA provides vital funding for these programs that bring the Good News of Jesus Christ to all!



10 ministries
serve **93**
parishes and
24 Missions

Hand-in-Hand Mentoring Program

For Marina, it is a calling to be a mentor to female inmates at Perryville Prison in Goodyear AZ. She is one of 7 mentors and 40 volunteers who help prepare women to transition out of prison back to the real world.

Female inmates are paired with a mentor about one year before release. "I help inmates who really want to make a change and build a life upon their release. This is such a rewarding opportunity...I love connecting with girls that need help and I give them hope! They can really achieve things and change their lives," says Marina Salazar. "I stay in touch with many of my mentees and look forward to watching them succeed."



34 Professionals graduated from the new Tepeyac Leadership Initiative

Kino Institute averages **100** graduates each year

000 Couples attended Marriage Preparation classes

Prison Ministry serves **000** inmates each year

70,000 Households reached each week for live broadcast of Mass at the Cathedral



Sharing the Joy of the Gospel

Our widespread Diocese encompasses 43,000 square miles, including many remote mission communities. It is a priority to minister to those living in poor areas, spreading the joy of the Gospel, and helping maintain their small parishes.

Three Newman Centers also call our Diocese home, providing a Catholic refuge to college students where they can join others in celebrating their Catholic faith, building their relationship with Jesus.

The CDA helps make it possible to reach out to these special communities and share the joy of the Gospel!

3 Newman Centers



24 Quasi Parishes & Missions

Native American Communities

The CDA provides most of the operating expenses for 9 Native American Missions – these are poor mission communities in outlying areas of AZ. CDA funds salaries and expenses for priests, maintenance, insurance, and utilities – critical to the missions being staffed and open so we can share the joy of the Gospel in these remote areas.



9 Native American Missions



Shepherding the Faithful

Every parish needs a priest to shepherd and lead their community. Deacons are ordained ministers and important servants of the Church. It takes years of formation to become a priest or deacon, and a significant investment of time and money on this journey. Supporting the CDA helps ease the financial commitment for these faith leaders during their education and continuing formation.

40 seminarians in formation

227 permanent deacons

142 diocesan priests

30 deacon candidates



Catholic Schools



Educating the Total Child

Our Catholic Schools offer a solid curriculum educating the mind, spirit, and body of each child in a faith-filled environment. With assistance from CDA funding, schools may provide tuition assistance for Catholic education with well-trained teachers and equip them with strong resources.



St. Matthews School Story

St. Matthew School/family receiving tuition assistance (late September for photos & personal story)

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