



ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Diocese of
Fort Wayne-South Bend

MASS TIMES

Saturday: English Vigil Mass of Sunday at 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: English 10:00 a.m. / Spanish 12:30 p.m.

Weekdays: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday at 9:30 a.m.
and Thursday 6:30 p.m. (Spanish)

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: From 6:15 p.m. until last penitent.

Sunday: From 11:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

Weekdays: Tuesday & Wednesday from 9:00 a.m. to 9:20 a.m.
Thursday from 10:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. and
from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

EUCHARTISTIC ADORATION

Thursday: From 10:00 a.m. to 6:15 p.m.

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

By appointment.

ENGLISH MASS DEDICATED TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

First Friday of the month:

At 9:30 a.m. and coffee & donuts after Mass.

MASSES WITH THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

First Wednesday of the month:

English at 9:30 a.m. with Litany to St. Joseph.

First Thursday of the month:

Spanish at 6:30 p.m.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Telephone number: (260) 463 - 3472

Tuesday & Wednesday: From 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Thursday: from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and
from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Monday & Friday: **Closed!**

"Turkey Bingo"

On Friday, November 21st
In the Social Hall
of St. Joseph Parish, LaGrange, IN

Cost: \$25 for 20 bingo cards

Raffles and Turkeys

Proceeds go to Compassion Pregnancy Center

Come and join us for an evening of fun, fellowship, and win a turkey.

Sponsor by the Knights of Columbus Council 7839



A SPIRITUAL DROP FROM OUR PASTOR

XXXIII SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

November 16th, 2025

I'm often surprised when I hear so many Christians express surprise about the things happening in the world today. I know—I have to explain what I mean. Many Christians often say things like, "What terrible things are happening in the world," or "Why is there so much injustice against the Catholic Church?" Others worry, "How frightening—this must be the end of the world!" or ask, "Father, please explain why all these things are happening." Etc., etc., etc. And then I ask myself, in wonder: Have these people never read today's Gospel? Fear is one of the devil's most powerful weapons. He uses it to make us distrust God's providence and to sow anxiety within our hearts. Yet a faithful Catholic knows that pain and persecution are part of our earthly journey. None of the trials or tragedies we face should truly surprise us, for Christ foretold all these things nearly two thousand years ago. What we must do is strengthen our faith—through prayer and total surrender to God—so that when the hour of great trial comes, He will find us prepared like good soldiers of Christ. Blind trust in God, daily intimacy with Him, a constant sacramental life, and the unyielding rule of love—these are what strengthen us and prepare our spiritual armor for the great battle of life, for the spiritual and even social struggles we must face. Christians are not called to be mere toy dolls—beautiful to look at yet lifeless within. We are called to be strong and proud warriors of faith, fighting peacefully but wholeheartedly for the Kingdom of Christ to be established in the world. Let us remember what St. Paul tells us: "What will separate us from the love of Christ? Will anguish, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or the sword? As it is written: 'For your sake we are being slain all the day; we are looked upon as sheep to be slaughtered.'" No, in all these things we conquer overwhelmingly through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor present things, nor future things, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord." (Romans 8: 35-39)

Me sorprende mucho cuando muchos cristianos se sorprenden mucho sobre muchas cosas que pasan mucho. Lo sé... tengo que explicar lo que quiero decir. Muchos cristianos suelen decir: "Que cosas mas terribles están pasando en el mundo", "¿Por qué tanta injusticia contra la Iglesia Católica?", "¿Qué miedo, que miedo, ya viene el fin del mundo", "¿Padre, explíquenos porque pasan estas cosas, por favor?" etc... etc... etc... Y entonces yo me preguntó sorprendido: ¿Estas personas nunca han leído en sus vidas el evangelio de hoy...? El miedo es una de las principales herramientas que el demonio usa para hacernos desconfiar de Dios y sembrar en nosotros la ansiedad. Un buen católico debe saber que el dolor y la persecución forman parte de la vida y que todas las cosas terribles que nos pasen no deben ser nada nuevo para nosotros pues Cristo ya lo anunció hace dos mil años. Lo que debemos hacer es fortalecer nuestra fe a base de oración y de entrega total a Dios para que cuando nos llegue un momento fuerte de prueba Dios nos encuentre preparados como buenos soldados. La confianza ciega en Dios, la intimidad diaria con Él, la vida sacramental constante, y el regla del amor nos robustecen y preparan nuestro armamento espiritual para la batalla de la vida y para las guerras espirituales e incluso sociales que podamos enfrentar. Los cristianos no estamos llamados a ser muñequitas de juguetes, muy bonitas pero que no tienen vida. Los cristianos estamos llamados a ser guerreros fuertes y orgullosos que pelean pacíficamente pero con todo el corazón para el Reino de Cristo se establezca en el mundo. Nunca olvidemos lo que San Pablo nos dice: "¿Quién nos separará del amor de Cristo? ¿Tribulación, o angustia, o persecución, o hambre, o desnudez, o peligro, o espada? Como está escrito: 'Por causa de ti somos muertos todo el tiempo; Somos contados como ovejas de matadero.' Antes, en todas estas cosas somos más que vencedores por medio de aquel que nos amó. Por lo cual estoy seguro de que ni la muerte, ni la vida, ni ángeles, ni principados, ni potestades, ni lo presente, ni lo por venir, ni lo alto, ni lo profundo, ni ninguna otra cosa creada nos podrá separar del amor de Dios, que es en Cristo Jesús Señor nuestro" (Romanos 8, 35-39).

God loves you with great tenderness, Happy Sunday!

Fr. Osman Ramos, FM



Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

NOVEMBER - MASS INTENTIONS

2025

Saturday, November 1st

- 5:00 p.m. +Santos Nieves

Sunday, November 2nd

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
- 6:30 p.m. (Spanish) +Nestor Rodriguez

Tuesday, November 4th

- 9:30 a.m. +Purgatory Souls

Wednesday, November 5th

- 9:30 a.m. +Cesar Garcia

Thursday, November 6th

- 9:30 a.m. +Francisco Garcia
- 6:30 p.m. (Spanish) Mario Sanchez (B-day)

Friday, November 7th

- 9:30 a.m. Alexia Carmona (B-day)

Saturday, November 8th

- 5:00 p.m. +Alfonso Caballero Albor

Sunday, November 9th

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
- 12:30 p.m. (Spanish) +Ulises Rodriguez

Tuesday, November 11th

- 9:30 a.m. For the health of Jonathan Garcia

Wednesday, November 12th

- 9:30 a.m. Aleyda Guzman (B-day)

Thursday, November 13th

- 9:30 a.m. For the health of Mitzy Jimenez
- 6:30 p.m. +Alex Bucio Cardenas

Saturday, November 15th

- 9:30 a.m. Humberto Carmona (B-day)

Sunday, November 16th

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
- 12:30 p.m. +Alberto Garcia

Tuesday, November 18th

- 9:30 a.m. +Frank Jagoda

Wednesday, November 19th

- 9:30 a.m. For the living and deceased members of the Knights of Columbus

Thursday, November 20th

- 9:30 a.m. +Melchor Montoya
- 6:30 p.m. (Spanish) +Alex Bucio Cardenas

Saturday, November 22nd

- 5:00 p.m. +Karen Harber

Sunday, November 23rd

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
- 12:30 p.m. (Spanish) +Alberto Garcia

Tuesday, November 25th

- 9:30 a.m. Frank Jagoda

Misa de Acción de Gracias en Español

- 6:30 p.m. Angelica Ballines (B-day)

Wednesday, November 26th
Thanksgiving English Mass

- 9:30 a.m. Lupita Hurtado (B-day)

Thursday, November 27

No religious services this day!

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday!

Saturday, November 29th

- In thanksgiving to God for the blessings received by the Cruz Jimenez family.

Sunday, November 30th

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish
- 12:30 p.m. +Alberto Garcia



REGULAR COLLECTION REPORT

Saturday & Sunday

• \$3,074.00

Votives

• \$61.75

Charity Box

• \$5.01

Maintenance Fund

• n/a

Franciscans of Mary

• \$136.01

Flowers

• n/a

Archdiocese for the Military

• \$527.00

Donations Ceiling repair Fund

• \$250.00

Donations - Baptisms

• \$140.00

#39 Annual Bishop's Appeal

• \$1,040.00

All Souls & All Saints

• \$55.00

Our Lady of Guadalupe
Feast donations

• \$609.00

Social Hall Rental

• \$250.00

Total: \$6,147.77

OFFERING MASS INTENTIONS

Remember that you can offer intentions for your deceased, sick relatives or for any other intention by coming to the Parish Office during office's hours. According to Canon Law, the bishops of a Providence determine the offering amount the offering amount that seems appropriate. The bishops of the Indiana Providence have determined that the appropriate offering is \$10.00.

OFRECER INTENCIONES PARA LA MISA

Recuerde que puede ofrecer intenciones por sus difuntos, familiares enfermos o por cualquier otra intención viniendo a la oficina Parroquial durante el horario de oficina. Según el Derecho Canónico, los obispos de una Providencia determinan el monto de la ofrenda que les parece apropiado. Los obispos de la Providencia de Indiana han determinado que la ofrenda apropiada es de \$10.00.

PRAYER REQUEST

Please remember to pray for those who are sick or suffering. If you have any prayer request and you would like us to post it in the Bulletin please contact the parish office.

We are here to pray for you and your needs!

Please pray for:
- **Gloria Davis**



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION - NOVEMBER NEWS

- **November 2nd** - Class & Safe Environment instruction in class.
- **November 9th** - Class & prayer review for all students.
- **November 16th** - Class
- **November 23rd** - **Class & prayer review for all students.**
- **November 30th** - **No class, Thanksgiving break!**

IMPORTANT!

On Sunday, November 16th we have the **Rite of Commitment ONLY for 8th grade class at 10 a.m.** English Mass. Students from 8th grade **MUST ATTEND** with both parents to this Mass.

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time



WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

*The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe*



Mass Time & Date	Altar Servers	Lectors	Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers	Ushers
Saturday Vigil, November 22nd at 5:00 p.m.	- Isabel Ballines - Fatima Hurtado	- Nathan Stroop	- Dolly North	- Pat Mynhier - Aaron Keith
Sunday, November 23rd at 10:00 a.m.	- Emilia Mendoza - Rene Rangel - Gessury Rangel - Gaby Medina	- Delores Henderson	- Tom McCue	- Alejandro Medina - Maria Medina
Domingo, 23 de noviembre a las 12:30 p.m.	- Alex Barajas - Andres Barajas - Alondra Arroyo - Annely arroyo	- Adriana Gomez - Sofia Ceballos	- Maria Hernandez - Victor Rodriguez - Celia Rodriguez	- Adriana Alvarez - Jesus Luna - Julio Luna - Javier Anicua

~ YOUTH GROUP ~



St. Joseph Parish wants to express to Celina Gonzalez our sincere gratitude for the time, dedication, and service she contributed during your involvement with the Youth Group.
God Bless you!

Welcome

**To Nathan Cook, Daniela Mendoza,
and Ruben Jr. Hurtado
in the new Youth Ministry
Leadership of our Parish.**

Estimados feligreses de la Misa dominical de 12:30 p.m.

En los próximos fines de semanas estaremos teniendo una segunda colecta en las Misas dominicales de español para recaudar fondos para el 12 de diciembre la festividad de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe.

Las colectas se realizaran los siguientes domingos de **Noviembre 2, 9, 16, 30 y 7 de Diciembre.**

Agradecemos mucho de su apoyo y generosidad.

BYOB CHRISTMAS PARTY

On Wed. December 10th
5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
In the Social Hall of our Parish



- COST: \$20 per person PAID IN ADVANCE.
- MENU: CHICKEN OR SALISBURY STEAK, MASHED POTATOES, GREEN BEANS, SALAD, PIE BYOB.
- SIGN UP in the church's vestibule after each Mass thru NOVEMBER 23. Sorry NO walk-ins.
- No need to bring a gift... just yourselves & BYOB
- CHRISTMAS GIFT BOX for our 3 priests will also be in the vestibule until after morning Mass on DECEMBER 10.
- Doors open at 4:30 p.m. for fellowship.

"PEREGRINACIÓN DE LA CARIDAD A TIERRA SANTA"



**Acompaña al
P. Santiago Martín, FM
a la Peregrinación de la Caridad
del 5 al 15 de marzo, 2026.**



**Inscripciones:
peregrinacion@frmaria.org**



LAS POSADAS

Del 15 al 23 de diciembre
de 6 p.m. a 8 p.m.
En el salón parroquial

Las familias que gusten
anotarse para donar
aguinaldos por favor
comunicarse con Pedro Flores
al final de la Misa o
llamándole al
(269) 200 - 6672.

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SERVE THE LORD
Become an Altar Server!

SIRVE AL SEÑOR
¡Hazte monaguillo!

Registrations OPEN

From 2nd grade to 12th grade and to sign up please contact
Lupita Barajas at (630) 731-1515 baragasmag26@hotmail.com

Inscripciones ABIERTAS

Desde 2.º grado hasta 12.º grado.

Para inscribirse, póngase en contacto con Lupita Barajas

"Give thanks to the LORD for he is good,
his mercy endures forever!"
(Psalm 107:1)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
LaGrange, IN

JOIN US FOR

Thanksgiving Mass

On Wednesday, November 26th
English Mass at 9:30 a.m.



"¡Den gracias al Señor porque él es bueno,
porque es eterna su misericordia!"
(Salmo 107,1)



Misa de Acción de Gracias en Español

Acompañenos con sus familias
el Martes 25 de noviembre a las 6:30 p.m.



On Thursday Nov. 27th and Friday Nov. 28th
No religious services and the Church
and the Parish office will be **CLOSED!**
Due to the Thanksgiving holiday!

El jueves 27 y el viernes 28 de noviembre
no habrá servicios religiosos y la iglesia y la
oficina parroquial permanecerán **CERRADAS.**
¡Debido al día feriado de Acción de Gracias!



CHRISTMAS AT GIBALT



These gifts are for children that they don't have a home.
If you would like to donate some toys from the list, please
bring them to church and deposit them in the big wood box
that it will be located in the gathering area.

Due date is December 7th.

Estos regalos son para niños que no tienen un hogar.
Si usted desea donar algunos juguetes de la lista, por favor
traerlos a la Iglesia y depositarlos en la caja grande de
madera que esta en el área de la entrada.

Fecha limite es 7 de diciembre.

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PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

On Wednesday, November 19th

- We will have a guest priest, Fr. Jerry Madathiparambil will celebrate 9:30 a.m. Mass because one of our priests will be in Wisconsin attending a Pastoral Commitment.

On Friday, November 21st

- We have our Annual Turkey Bingo at 7 p.m. in the social hall of our Parish.
- Bring your family & friends to have a fun night.

On the weekend of November 22nd & 23rd

- We have a special collection to support Catholic Campaign for Human Development.

On the weekend of November 22nd & 23rd

- Land of Peace from Holy Land will sale religious articles after all Masses to support Christian people in the Holy Land.

On Wednesday, November 26th

- Thanksgiving English Mass at 9:30 a.m.
- Everyone is welcome to come with their families.

On Thursday Nov. 27th and Friday Nov. 28th

- **No** religious services and the Church and the Parish office will be **CLOSED!**
- Due to the Thanksgiving holiday!

On Tuesday, December 2nd

- We are going to have the Anointing of the sick on Tuesday morning Mass instead of Wednesday because Fr. Osman will be out of town attending to his personal Advent Retreat from December 1st to 5th.

On Wednesday, December 3rd

- We are going to have a guest priest, Fr. David Langford will celebrate 9:30 a.m. English Mass.
- **No morning confessions this day!**

On Thursday, December 4

- There will be **no morning or evening services**, as the priests will be attending the Advent Retreat for Priests in Syracuse, IN.
- The parish office will remain open during its regular hours.

ANUNCIOS PARROQUIALES

El viernes 21 de noviembre

- Tendremos nuestro Bingo Anual del Pavo a las 7 p.m. en el salón parroquial de nuestra parroquia. Traiga a su familia y amigos para pasar una noche divertida. **(Esta actividad es completamente en inglés)**

El próximo domingo 23 de noviembre

- Tenemos una colecta especial para apoyar la Campaña Católica del desarrollo humano.
- **Grupo Juvenil** de 5 p.m. a 7 p.m. Todos los jóvenes del 8 al 12 grado están invitados a venir. ¡Los esperamos!

El fin de semana del 22 y 23 de noviembre

- Land of Peace de Tierra Santa venderá artículos religiosos después de todas las Misas para apoyar a los cristianos de Tierra Santa.

El martes 25 de noviembre

- Misa de Acción de Gracias en español a las 6:30 p.m. Todos son bienvenidos a venir con sus familias.

El jueves 27 y el viernes 28 de noviembre

- **¡No** habrá servicios religiosos y la Iglesia y la oficina parroquial permanecerán **CERRADAS!**
- ¡Debido al día feriado de Acción de Gracias!

El domingo 30 de noviembre

- Segunda colecta para la Festividad a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe solo en la Misa de español de 12:30 p.m.

El jueves 4 de diciembre

- **NO** habrá servicios religiosos por la mañana ni por la tarde, ya que los sacerdotes asistirán al Retiro de Adviento para sacerdotes en Syracuse, IN.
- La oficina parroquial permanecerá abierta en su horario habitual.

El domingo 7 de diciembre

- Segunda colecta para la Festividad a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe solo en la Misa de español de 12:30 p.m.

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PARISH STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION

Pastor: Fr. Osman Ramos, FM
(osmanramosguzman@hotmail.com)

His office hours are: Thursdays
from 11:15 a.m. to 12:30p.m. / 5p.m. to 8p.m.

Parochial Vicars:

Fr. Raúl Marroquin, FM (raul@frmaria.org)

Fr. Jorge Sis, FM (jorge@frmaria.org)

If you want to talk to any priest, please make an appointment by calling at the Parish Office

Parish Secretary & DRE: Lupita Hurtado

(secretary@saintjosephlagrange.org)

Her office hours are: Tues., Wed., from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Thurs. from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. & in the afternoon from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Business Manager: Anna Mendoza

(accountant@saintjosephlagrange.org)

Her office hours are: Tues. and Thurs. from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. and Wed. / 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Sacristan & Cleaning: Veronica Montoya

Saturday evening Pianist: Kevin Ramer

KEY VOLUNTEERS

Pianist of Sunday morning:
Elizabeth Rogers

Cantors:

Charlie & Megan Hire (Saturday)

John Romer (Sunday)

Spanish Choir:

Luz Piña & Miguel Muñoz

Youth Ministry Coordinators:

Ruben Jr. Hurtado

Parish Council President

Nathan Stroup

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION



To request information for Baptism, Quinceañeras Masses, Weddings, house blessings, Anointing or Communion of the sick, funeral Masses or Masses for 25th, 50th, 60th wedding anniversaries, and also information about social hall rental please call the parish secretary during office hours at (260) 463 -3472.

INFORMACIÓN SACRAMENTAL

Para solicitar información para Bautizos, Misas de Quinceañeras, Bodas, Bendiciones de casas, Unción y Comunión a los enfermos, Misas de funerales o Misas de aniversario de bodas de 25, 50, 60 años y también información para rentar de salón parroquial por favor llame a la secretaria parroquial durante el horario de oficina al (260) 463 -3472.



BLESSING BOX

We ask for your help in donating food for our blessing box, as it allows us to help many families in need.

Any donations you can make would be greatly appreciated specially **Box dinners and Boxes of Cereal.**

Thank you!

Les pedimos su ayuda para donar alimentos para nuestra caja de bendiciones, ya que nos permite ayudar a muchas familias necesitadas.

Cualquier donación que puedan hacer será muy apreciada, especialmente **cajas de comida y cajas de cereales.**

¡Gracias!



Dear Parishioners,

If you would like to make a donation for the works of charity of our Franciscans of Mary priests, you can contact our Parish Secretary. Thank you for your generosity!



CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT WORKING ON THE MARGINS

The Catholic Church has always taught us, through the words of Sacred Scripture and the witness of saints like Francis of Assisi, that the natural world is created by God, that it is good, and that humans have a special duty to care for creation so that it benefits not only themselves but also future generations. Today we live in a time where pollution, climate change, and poor agricultural practices harm creation and place us all in danger.

In 2015, Pope Francis responded to this environmental crisis by issuing the encyclical *Laudato Si'* (*On Care for Our Common Home*), in which he emphasizes the connection between humanity and nature and calls for "the whole human family together to seek a sustainable and integral development" (no. 13).

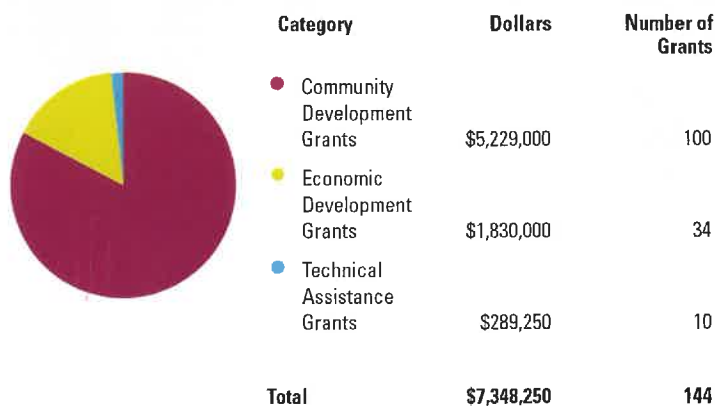
This spirit of cooperation, sustainability, and human dignity animates the work of organizations like La Cosecha Community Supported Agriculture, a cooperative farm network in Albuquerque, New Mexico, which makes

locally grown, sustainable, and nutritious foods available to low-income people. With support from the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD), La Cosecha has expanded its outreach beyond Albuquerque to 11 rural New Mexico counties, increased year-round accessibility to healthy produce and other food products, and obtained a US Department of Agriculture Good Agricultural Practices food-safety certification for its cooperative farm partners.

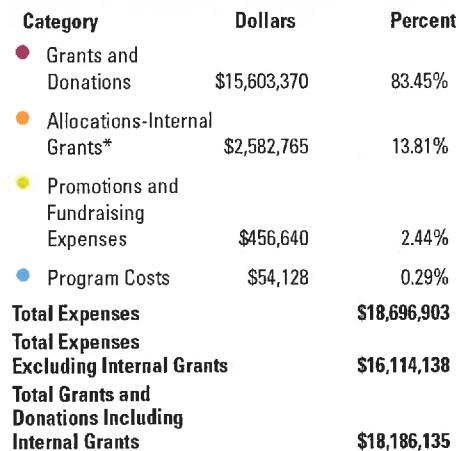
CCHD-funded organizations show how we can care for the environment, address the needs of the poor, and support responsible and sustainable local businesses at the same time. When you participate in the CCHD collection, you help not only other communities but also your own, because 25% of your contribution remains in your diocese to create local solutions to poverty.

To learn more about the collection for the CCHD and the way CCHD upholds the moral and social teachings of the Catholic Church, visit www.usccb.org/cchd.

2023 GRANTS



2023 EXPENSES



*Internal grants include a distribution from the CCHD collection for CCHD operations and for the education and outreach program of the Office of Justice, Peace, and Human Development of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, which engages Catholics in our faith-filled call to address the root causes of poverty.

LEARN about those living in poverty who are working to improve their communities. • **ACT** and spread the word about poverty by sharing this flier. • **CONNECT** with the work of CCHD by supporting the collection. • **PRAY** for those who benefit from this collection.



Office of National Collections

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CAMPAÑA CATÓLICA PARA EL DESARROLLO HUMANO TRABAJANDO DESDE LA PERIFERIA

La Iglesia Católica siempre nos ha enseñado, a través de las palabras de la Sagrada Escritura y del testimonio de santos como Francisco de Asís, que el mundo natural es creado por Dios, que es bueno y que los humanos tienen la singular tarea de cuidar a la creación para que ésta les beneficie no solo a ellos, sino también a las futuras generaciones. Hoy vivimos en un tiempo en el que la contaminación, el cambio climático y las malas prácticas agrícolas están dañando a la creación y nos están poniendo a todos en peligro.

En el 2015, el papa Francisco respondió a esta crisis ambiental publicando la encíclica *Laudato Si'* (*Sobre el Cuidado de la Casa Común*), en la cual él enfatiza la conexión entre la humanidad y la naturaleza y hace un llamado para "unir a toda la familia humana en la búsqueda de un desarrollo sostenible e integral" (n° 13).

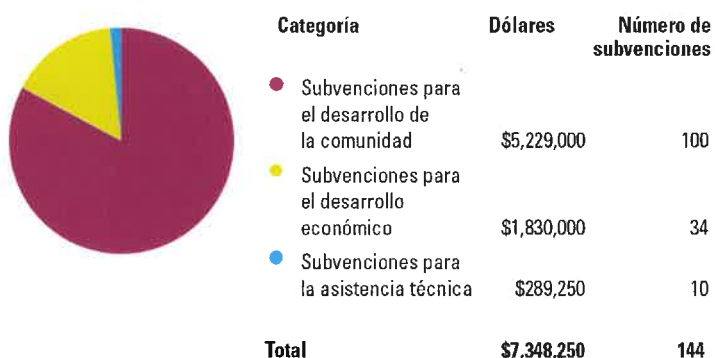
Este espíritu de cooperación, sostenibilidad y dignidad humana alienta la labor de organizaciones como La Cosecha Community Supported Agriculture, una red de cooperativas agrícolas apoyada por la comunidad, en Albuquerque, Nuevo México, la cual pone a disposición de las personas de bajos ingresos, unos alimentos nutritivos y sostenibles y

cultivados localmente. Con el apoyo recibido de la Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano (CCHD), La Cosecha amplió su alcance más allá de Albuquerque llegando a 11 condados rurales en Nuevo México, incrementó el acceso durante todo el año a productos agrícolas saludables y otros productos alimenticios y obtuvo la certificación de seguridad alimentaria de Buenas Prácticas Agrícolas del Departamento de Agricultura de Estados Unidos para sus socios de cooperativas agrícolas.

Las organizaciones que reciben fondos de CCHD nos enseñan a cuidar el medio ambiente, a responder a las necesidades de los pobres y, al mismo tiempo, a brindar nuestro apoyo a las empresas responsables y sostenibles de la localidad. Cuando ustedes participan en la colecta para CCHD, no solo están ayudando a otras comunidades, sino que también están ayudando a las suyas ya que el 25% de sus contribuciones permanecen en su diócesis con el fin de crear soluciones para la pobreza en su localidad.

Para informarse más acerca de esta colecta para CCHD y la manera en que CCHD sostiene las enseñanzas morales y sociales de la Iglesia Católica, visiten www.usccb.org/cchd.

SUBVENCIONES 2023



GASTOS EN EL 2023



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APRENDAN acerca de aquellos que viven en la pobreza y que trabajan para mejorar sus comunidades. • **ACTÚEN** y diseminan información sobre la pobreza compartiendo este folleto. • **CONÉCTENSE** con la labor de CCHD brindando su apoyo a la colecta. • **OREN** por los beneficiarios de esta colecta.



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Christmas at Gibault 2025



The following items are on our kids' wish lists and make great gifts!

Electronics

Portable DVD players (without Wi-Fi access)
FM Radios – “boom boxes”
Nintendo Switches (used as DORM presents – not individual gifts)
Handheld electronics (games, music players)

Arts and Crafts

Diamond Paintings (found at Hobby Lobby or Amazon)
Coloring books for all ages
Play Doh sets

Games

Magic the Gathering Cards
Pokémon Cards
Board games
Card games

Clothing

Nike, Adidas, or Under Armor Shirts (t-shirts, crew sweatshirts, shorts, please no hoodies)
Nike “Slides” (sandals) (variety of adult sizes)

Hygiene

Bodywash gift sets (Old Spice, Axe)

Toys

Lego kits (Minecraft, Marvel, etc.)
Lego Speech Champion Sets
Remote Control cars
Squishmallows
Magnetic tiles
Transformers
K’nex building sets

Books

Goosebumps Series
Hunger Game Series
“I Survived” Series
Warriors Series
The Lunar Chronicles by Marissa Meyer
Magic Tree House Series
Pokémon Books
The Shadow and Bone Trilogy by Leigh Bardugo
Twilight Series
Harry Potter Series
Wings of Fire Series

Girl Specific Gifts

Spa related stuff (Nail Polish, Face Masks)
Make up kits
“Wreck It” Journals
Hairbrushes
Body mist
Fuzzy slippers
Journals

Recreation Supplies

Sports equipment (basketballs, kickballs, soccer, volleyball)
Fishing poles
Tackle boxes
Yoga items (mats, blocks)

Please Note: this list is for children on both of our campuses. Most of our youth are ages 12 -17, there are no more than 32 girls on our campuses

The above is the most asked for things from our kids for Christmas. We always accept new puzzles, board games, sports balls, new sweatshirts with tags still attached in adult sizes without hoods, and art supplies.

Thank you for making a difference!