

STBAFF SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM 2022-2023
Please submit this form with your Sponsorship
Due by December 31, 2022

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS—Circle Your Level of Sponsorship

Full Meal-----\$250 Meal for Weekly Volunteer-----\$60

$\frac{1}{2}$ Meal-----\$125 Your Choice-----\$_____

Two Meal Sponsor-----\$500 Tuition for One Student-----\$120

Bus Sponsor for Feed My Starving Children Trip-----\$200

SPONSOR INFORMATION- Sponsorships can be submitted at either parish—
Please label your envelope—**SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM.**

Please write your check to whichever parish you submit your sponsorship too.

NAME _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____



MAILING ADDRESSES

Ascension Catholic Church
323 Reform Street N.
NYA, MN 55368

St Bernard Catholic Church
212 Church Street E.
Cologne, MN 55322

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SPONSORSHIP GOAL---\$5500

Your support helps Create a strong environment for sharing our Catholic faith

We are THANKFUL for the opportunity to learn, grow and participate in our faith.

Here are some of the blessings --

- ❖ We have new families, new catechists, and new parent volunteers. We are blessed by the gifts that these new people share with us.
- ❖ Our grade 4-10 students start weekly class in the church with lectio divina. They are listening to the Sunday gospel reading and journaling.
- ❖ We continue to have a Service Night—grades 6-10 completed yard clean up around the church and made 1000 sandwiches for the homeless. Check out Allan Law, Sandwich Man to learn more. Love One Another is his message.
- ❖ Younger students will be having their service night soon—with a focus on helping at our local food shelf.
- ❖ We are so thankful for the many people in our parish who continue to offer their support and encouragement, and most importantly continued prayer for all of us.

Here is a breakdown of our numbers for the program this year—

- 107 Total Students Enrolled—grades prek-10
- 85 People signed up for our weekly fellowship meal

Here is some feedback from our weekly fellowship meal participants—

- ❖ Its quality time we can spend as a family and church community.
- ❖ I like eating at the weekly fellowship meal because it's delicious!
- ❖ The weekly meal helps make a more stress free evening for our family. So grateful to have the fellowship meals.
- ❖ I like it because mom doesn't have to rush and cook dinner and I can see my friends. *Without our volunteers, this would not be possible. We have been blessed with a wonderful team of volunteers that prepares, serves, and cleans up each week. They are the reason this is all possible.*

SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM DETAILS

We are seeking sponsorships as a way to continue to strengthen our programs and to meet our budgets. Each year we have had this program, parishioners, local organizations and businesses have helped us reach our goal. Sponsors of the program will receive a THANK YOU note from students in our program and a tax statement. For business/organizations, we will promote your group through our flyers at our fellowship meals; mention your support in the bulletin and in our faith formation updates to our families.

We appreciate your support,

Fr Abraham

Julie Clemensen

Julie Kleindl



CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT WORKING ON THE MARGINS

I should no longer say that I have neighbors to help,
but that I must myself be a neighbor to others.

—Pope Francis, *Fratelli Tutti*, no. 81

For more than 50 years, the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) has supported organizations that combat poverty and improve the lives of people in communities across the United States. From empowering immigrants in towns along the southern border to advocating for improved housing and educational opportunities in northern and midwestern cities, CCHD-funded groups tackle a wide range of economic and social justice challenges that affect local communities in rural and urban areas.

In areas of Tennessee where coal-mining operations and landfills have caused water pollution and other environmental damage, Statewide Organizing for Community eMpowerment (SOCM) works with governments and regulatory agencies to limit hazardous waste disposal in landfills and to require environmental cleanup as part of the permitting process for new business operations.

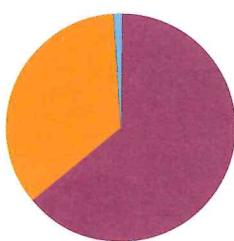
Environmental damage affects all of us, most especially low-income people who are affected by water pollution resulting from mineral extraction, lack of access to healthy foods in urban “food deserts,” and natural disasters caused by climate change. The Church teaches that “the natural environment is

a collective good, the patrimony of all humanity and the responsibility of everyone” (Pope Francis, *Laudato Si'*, no. 95). Since the release of *Laudato Si'* in 2015, CCHD has invested more than \$4.3 million in organizations that work to protect the environment and combat pollution. When you support CCHD, you support organizations that work to protect the air, soil, and water for all the members of their communities.

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

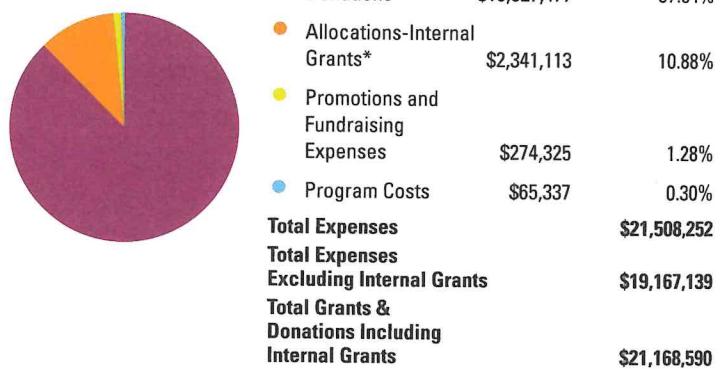
- **LEARN** about those living in poverty.
- **ACT** and spread the word about poverty by sharing this flier.
- **CONNECT** with the work of CCHD by supporting the collection.
- **PRAY** for those who benefit from this collection.

2020-2021 GRANTS



Category	Dollars	Number of Grants
Community Development Grants	\$11,557,000	219
Strategic National Grants	\$6,452,837	16
Technical Assistance Grants	\$195,700	6
Total	\$18,205,537	

2020 EXPENSES



*Internal grants include a distribution from the Catholic Campaign for Human Development Collection for CCHD operations expenses and for the USCCB Justice, Peace and Human Development's education and outreach program, which includes engaging Catholics in our faith-filled call to address the root causes of poverty.



Office of National Collections

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CAMPAÑA CATÓLICA PARA EL DESARROLLO HUMANO TRABAJANDO DESDE LA PERIFERIA

Entonces, ya no digo que tengo “prójimos” a quienes debo ayudar, sino que me siento llamado a volverme yo un prójimo de los otros.

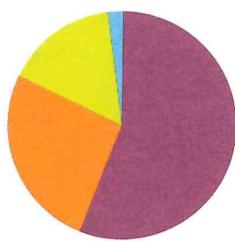
—Papa Francisco, *Fratelli Tutti*, no. 81

Por más de 50 años, la Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano (CCHD) ha apoyado a organizaciones que luchan contra la pobreza y mejoran la vida de las personas en comunidades en Estados Unidos. Desde capacitar a los inmigrantes en los pueblos a lo largo de la frontera sur hasta abogar por mejores oportunidades para la vivienda y la educación en ciudades del norte y del medio oeste, los grupos financiados por CCHD se enfrentan a una gran cantidad de desafíos económicos y de justicia social que afectan a las comunidades locales en áreas urbanas y rurales.

En áreas de Tennessee, en donde las operaciones para la extracción del carbón y para el relleno sanitario han causado la contaminación del agua y otros daños ambientales, el Statewide Organizing for Community eMpowerment (SOCM) trabaja con el gobierno y las agencias reguladoras a fin de limitar la eliminación de desechos peligrosos en los rellenos sanitarios y para exigir la limpieza ambiental como parte del proceso para la obtención de permisos en las nuevas operaciones comerciales.

El daño ambiental nos afecta a todos, pero especialmente a las personas de bajos recursos quienes son afectadas por la contaminación del agua que resulta de la extracción del mineral, por la falta de acceso a alimentos saludables en los “desiertos alimentarios” urbanos y los desastres naturales causados por el cambio climático. La Iglesia enseña que “El medio ambiente es un bien colectivo,

SUBVENCIONES 2020-2021



Categoría	Dólares	Número de subvenciones
Subvenciones para el desarrollo de la comunidad	\$11,557,000	219
Subvenciones para las estrategias a nivel nacional	\$6,452,837	16
Subvenciones para la asistencia técnica	\$195,700	6
Total	\$18,205,537	

patrimonio de toda la humanidad y responsabilidad de todos” (Papa Francisco, *Laudato Si'*, no. 95). Desde la publicación de *Laudato Si'* en el 2015, CCHD ha invertido más de \$4.3 millones en organizaciones que trabajan para proteger el ambiente y combatir la contaminación. Cuando ustedes apoyan a CCHD, están apoyando a organizaciones que trabajan para proteger el aire, el suelo y el agua para todos los miembros de sus comunidades.

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

• **APRENDAN** acerca de aquellos que viven en la pobreza.

• **ACTÚEN** y diseminen 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.

GASTOS EN EL 2020

Categoría	Dólares	Porcentaje
Subvenciones y donaciones	\$18,827,477	87.54%
Asignaciones-subvenciones internas*	\$2,341,113	10.88%
Gastos de promoción y recaudación de fondos	\$274,325	1.28%
Costos del programa	\$65,337	0.30%
Total de gastos	\$21,508,252	
Total de gastos excluyendo las subvenciones internas	\$19,167,139	
Total de subvenciones & donaciones incluyendo las subvenciones internas	\$21,168,590	

*Las subvenciones internas incluyen una distribución de la colecta de la Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano para los gastos de operación de CCHD y para el programa de educación y extensión de la USCCB para la Justicia, Paz y Desarrollo Humano el cual incluye el compromiso de los católicos a nuestro llamado pleno de fe para abordar las causas raíz de la pobreza.

Oficina de Colectas Nacionales

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