



The Catholic Foundation
of Central Florida
Inspire Giving. Fund God's Work.



NOVEMBER

Newsletter



Gratitude and charity toward others are hallmarks of our Catholic tradition. Pope Gregory I, and later Thomas Aquinas list gratitude and charity among the seven heavenly virtues. Charity is our spirit of caring for our neighbors and nurturing the collective well-being of those who dwell in our shared spaces. Being charitable embodies the essence of empathy, kindness and a fundamental understanding that our lives are intricately woven together. [Read more...](#)

Blessings,

Kimberlee Riley, CAP®
President & CEO



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We are called to practice the virtue of Charity.
This Giving Tuesday, give **Catholic**,
give with **joy**, give to make an **impact**.



Support your parish, school and ministry at
CatholicGivingTuesday.org

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LIMITED OFFER

**Increase Your Impact
with a 10% DAF Match**

OF YOUR CONTRIBUTION TO A NEW OR EXISTING
CATHOLIC-COMPLIANT DONOR ADVISED FUND
AT THE CATHOLIC FOUNDATION!

[Year-end Giving Tips](#)



The year's end offers you many amazing opportunities to maximize your philanthropic impact and receive tax benefits for your donations. To learn more [Click here.](#)

[Community Foundation Week](#)



Last week was Community Foundations week. Thank you to our donors for enabling The Catholic Foundation of Central Florida to positively impact our community. [Read more...](#)

[Philanthropy Moment-DAF](#)

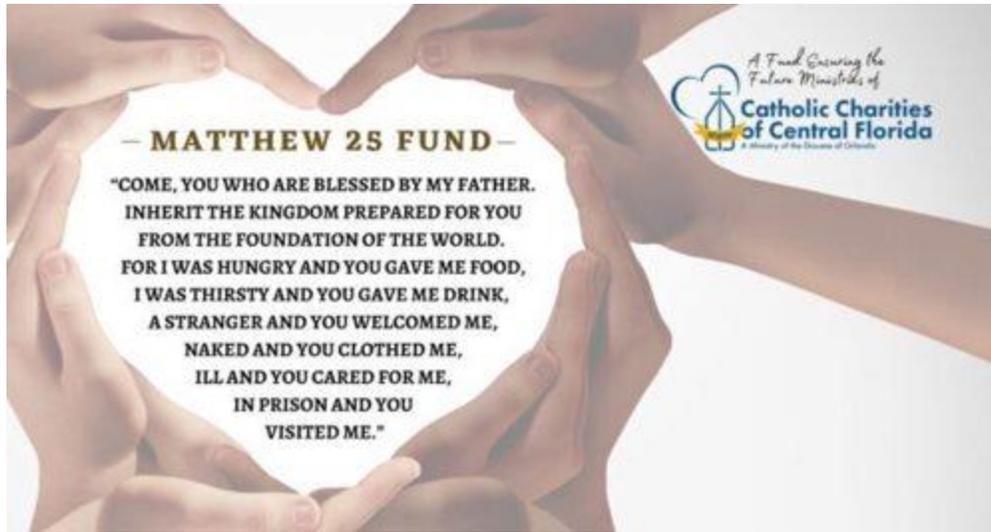


Madelyn Weed CAP® Vice President of Donor Services discusses Donor Advised Funds, the fastest growing giving vehicle. [Click here.](#)

[Annual Board Meeting and Retreat](#)

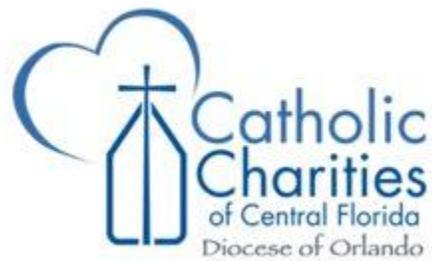


The Catholic Foundation of Central Florida convened their Board of Directors annual meeting and retreat at San Pedro Spiritual Development Center. [Read more...](#)



[Bishop Moore High School Legacy Gala Grant Events Sponsorship](#)

[Catholic Charities' Annual Collection](#)



The Catholic Foundation of Central Florida was honored to be a sponsor for Bishop Moore Catholic (BMC) High School's 2023 Legacy Gala. [Read more..](#)

Whether they are young or old, hungry and homeless, Catholic Charities of Central Florida sees the face of God in those in need. [Read more...](#)

[National Philanthropy Day](#)

CHANGE THE WORLD



The Catholic Foundation of Central Florida was honored to be the Welcome Sponsor at Central Florida's 2023 National Philanthropy Day. [Read more....](#)

[Cristo Rey Groundbreaking](#)



Several of our staff team members attended the Cristo Rey Orlando's historic groundbreaking ceremony. [Read more...](#)



[Learn more about joining St. Katharine Drexel Society](#)



St. Katharine Drexel is the patron saint of Philanthropy. The Catholic Foundation of Central Florida strives to emulate her work by enhancing philanthropic impact which serves those who are most in need in nine counties of Central Florida.

Our Mission:

To inspire and increase giving, to prudently invest the resources entrusted to us, and to capably steward those charitable gifts to support the spiritual and corporal needs of the community of the Diocese of Orlando.

Returning God's Gifts



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Stay Connected With Us Everyday!



The Catholic Foundation is an independent 501(c)(3) nonprofit foundation committed to fostering and stewarding philanthropy to address community issues and meet the spiritual and corporal needs of our community year-round. As a proven trustworthy philanthropic organization to give to and give through, we have received the Guidestar Platinum Seal of Transparency. Fully endorsed by the Diocese of Orlando and its Bishop, we work extensively with Catholic parishes, schools and nonprofit organizations aligned with Catholic social values to help inspire giving and secure resources needed to further their long-term goals.

**Platinum
Transparency
2023**

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