



Wish Lists for Children

Many people are led to give a special donation in support of our children's services. In whatever way you choose to give, you will have a positive impact on the lives of children in need!

Catholic Charities strives to bring safety, stability, self-sufficiency, wellness, healing and empowerment to children and youth, struggling with the effects of poverty. Through programs at St. Joseph's Home for Children and Northside Child Development Center, Catholic Charities takes a holistic approach to caring for children.

The impact your financial gift can have:

- \$50 pays a weekly stipend for the Native American elder that comes to St. Joe's to talk to Native American and other children about this culture and its practices.
- \$142 pays for a comprehensive well teen check up for a teenager at St. Joe's.
- \$150 can sponsor a family workshop at Northside Child Development Center.
- \$450 buys art supplies used in both educational and therapeutic activities.
- \$500 pays for 10 sessions with a spiritual care advocate to help a youth cope with grief and loss.
- \$1,000 keeps gas in the vans for a month to transport children and youth to activities such as recreation centers, parks and other interesting outings and to and from school.
- \$1,020 covers the annual contract for the public health nurse that visits NCDC monthly.

Items needed:

New clothing

Socks
 Robes and pajamas
 Team athletic shirts/hats
 Mittens and hats

Sporting goods

Basketballs
 Footballs
 Soccer balls

Tickets

Plays
 Bowling
 Roller Skating
 Skiing/Tubing
 Science Museum
 Minnesota Zoo
 Movies

Personal items

Hair accessories
 Lotion
 Hair products for African American kids
 Bristle brushes
 Electric shavers
 Watches
 Wallets
 Cosmetics/cosmetic bags
 Earrings and other jewelry

Toys (non-violent) and learning supplies

Multi-cultural dolls
 Computer games
 Board games
 Models w/non-toxic glue or snap together
 Playing cards
 Lego kits for all ages
 Art/craft supplies
 Puzzles
 Books
 Stamping kits
 Movies/DVD
 Diaries/journals
 Scrapbooks
 Markers, chubby crayons and paints