Gainesville



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Counties Served:

Alachua, Bradford, Dixie, Gilchrist and Levy

Number of Lives Transformed:

27,927

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2019-2020

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OUR IMPACT

Since 1975, Catholic Charities Gainesville has served the community as a compassionate helper, respected leader, and a reliable partner. We are putting our faith into action to transform lives through our programs, which include: emergency financial assistance, food assistance, workforce development, English language literacy, pregnancy counseling, and adoption services.



130,965

provided to 21,815 individuals through our food pantry and Rural Outreach program. The **Rural Outreach Program** delivers food and other basic necessities to 621 families in the rural areas of our region



417 INDIVIDUALS

received financial assistance due to hardships related to the COVID-19 pandemic



809 INDIVIDUALS

received emergency financial assistance for rent, mortgages or utilities



336 INDIVIDUALS

and 12 babies received services to help find their forever families. Our **Pregnancy and Adoptions** Program cover all 17 diocesan counties plus Volusia, Marion and Lake Counties.



129 INDIVIDUALS

benefitted from our Bridges to **Prosperity** poverty reduction program



762 CHILDREN

in 21 schools enrolled in our Weekend Hunger Backpack **Program** that provides nutritious meals to food insecure children.



21 INDIVIDUALS

improved their proficiency and comprehension of English through our English as a Second Language classes



1,856 FAMILIES

received gifts and food as part of our annual Share Your Blessings **Christmas drive**



1,782 INDIVIDUALS

were assisted through Ryan White Program for referrals and case management



"Everything was perfect. Thank you for having a program like this in place to help struggling individuals such as myself."

- Robin*