

# 2023-2024 CMA Allocations

CMA Goal = \$6,725,000

9%	Serving people in need through Catholic Charities	The CMA provides a subsidy to Catholic Charities to support its regional offices/agencies throughout 12 counties serving the poor, elderly, infirm, and the most vulnerable in our communities.
32%	Providing diocesan-wide services to our parishes and institutions	The CMA provides funding and resources to assist parishes, pastors, staff, Pastoral councils, Finance Councils, ministers and chaplains in serving the faithful through Liturgical, Urban, Rural and Multicultural programs and ministries; Hospital and Jail Chaplaincy; Finance, Human Resources, Facilities Management, Information Technology, Tribunal, Archives, Communications, Stewardship and Pastoral Planning services.
7%	Supporting Seminarians, Deacons & Pastoral Leaders	Your donations to the CMA support the education and professional development of our seminarians, deacons and pastoral leaders.
5%	Educating our young in the Catholic Faith	The CMA helps prepare our youth for fulfilling and faith-centered lives through parish religious education programs, Catholic schools, campus ministry, sacramental preparation, CYO, young adult and youth ministry programs.
33%	Funding Operations & Support Services	The CMA helps to fund operation of diocesan offices/ministries in the Pastoral Center, including maintenance and capital improvements.
9%	Funding the Ministries of our Pope & Bishop	The CMA gives Catholics the opportunity to extend their reach beyond their parish boundaries to support Vatican ministries, the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, New York State Catholic Conference, the work and efforts of Bishop Matano and the lay advisory councils that guide diocesan-wide decisions.
5%	Supporting the CMA Campaign	It costs 5¢ to raise \$1 for the CMA, well below the nonprofit industry average. A portion of funds raised through the CMA is used to develop and execute fundraising efforts associated with the Appeal, including professional expertise, staffing, gift and data processing, promotional materials and postage.



All monies raised in the CMA are only used for the programs, services and ministries outlined above.  
No gifts to the CMA are used to satisfy settlement costs associated with abuse.