MOVING LIVES FORWARD
Leslie’s parents welcomed her into their family when she was only four days old and told her that she was adopted as soon as she could understand. Growing up, Leslie’s family poured out their love and made known to her the special blessings of adoption. At age 17, Leslie found herself pregnant.

“I was so young and scared to death,” Leslie recalls, “I knew giving my baby up for adoption would be the best possible solution. Leslie contacted Catholic Charities New Hampshire, where she met Elaine Langton, the Adoption & Maternity Social Worker. “She was very caring and understanding of all of my needs.”

“I ended up giving birth to a healthy eight-pound baby girl on November 14th, 1992…. I had such a positive experience growing up in a wonderful family, and I wanted to give that experience to her. I would’ve loved her with everything I had, but I knew that wouldn’t be enough, and she deserved so much better.”

“Catholic Charities gave me a little bit of time before I had to go to court to sign over my parental rights, to make sure I wouldn’t change my mind. I knew my mind was made up and this was the best for everyone involved. I was also happy to hear from Elaine after everything was finalized. She told me the parents were so happy and the new mother cried and said that her new daughter, Kelly, was the best gift that anyone could ever give.”

Over the years, Leslie wondered, not about her adoption decision, but about how Kelly was doing. Would she ever want to find her birth mom?

Years after her adoption, Kelly would always wonder about her origins. “As I grew and developed my own personality, I became increasingly curious about my roots—what traits, nationalities, diseases and characteristics ran in my blood, who my birth family was, what they were like, etc. Mostly, I had wondered what my birth mother was like. I remember making a list when I was 8 years old: “What is her name? Is she nice? Is she married? Does she like the Backstreet Boys? Does she have any tattoos?”

“My birth daughter was reaching out and I couldn’t believe it!”

At age 20, guided by faith, Kelly decided to contact her birth mother to thank her for the powerful decision she had made. “Her choice to put me up for adoption through Catholic Charities New Hampshire was the fundamental reason I sat there that day, thanking God for the incredible opportunities I had been presented with in my life.” Just as she had guided and helped Leslie, Elaine Langton was there to assist Kelly.

“In September of 2013, I received a letter from Catholic Charities. All of a sudden, a feeling came over me, and I just knew.” Leslie recalls. “My birth daughter was reaching out and I couldn’t believe it!”

A month later, 21-year-old Kelly and her birth mom met for the first time. Kelly remarks, “It was a beautiful day that I will always remember. I was elated to learn that she leads a healthy, happy, successful
life with her own family here in New England. It was incredibly humbling to finally be able to put a face and a name to the woman who made the biggest sacrifice, and ultimately, the greatest decision, for ME. ...We are both so fortunate and grateful for Elaine and CCNH’s Adoption & Maternity Services in all that they have contributed to our lives."

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Adoption is an act of love with the power to move lives forward for generations as Leslie and Kelly’s story shows. Adoption & Maternity Services at Catholic Charities New Hampshire support adoptive and birth parents with care and understanding in a safe, compassionate environment.

“I could not be happier with how our reunion turned out. Not only was I able to convey my gratitude to Leslie that day—for the decision she had made, but I was able to learn so much about her and her own experiences and begin the most one-of-a-kind friendship with her.... My parents remain eternally thankful to Leslie for bringing me into their world.”

Leslie and Kelly continue to stay in touch. Leslie remembers what was once a difficult situation and marvels: “This entire experience has been amazing. I am so thankful at the way Kelly has turned out, and that’s because of the amazing life her parents have given her. She is an amazing, smart and beautiful young lady now and that was all I ever wanted for her.... I have Catholic Charities and her parents to thank, but more than anything, Elaine Langton.”
A New Life for Lucia

Immigration & Refugee Services

After years of suffering in a highly abusive relationship with her American husband, to save herself and her son, Lucia had no other option but to leave. Through her faith, she put her trust in Catholic Charities’ Immigration & Refugee Services.

One of the goals of Immigration & Refugee Services is to provide legal assistance to immigrants who are low-income survivors of domestic violence or victims of certain crimes. Often, abusers use their position as the person who petitions for the victim’s citizenship as a way of ensuring silence. Immigrant women, men and children who have been abused by U.S. citizens or legal permanent residents have the ability to apply for immigration status on their own.

“My son and I have a dream. Someday, we want to have a home of our own.”

A Catholic Charities legal advocate specializing in domestic violence guided Lucia through the complex legal process of obtaining her work authorization and eventually her Green Card. With this assistance, Lucia could begin to establish a self-sufficient life outside the destructive cycle of violence. “I worked two and even three jobs, cleaning offices, cleaning a childcare center in Manchester and doing whatever I could,” recalls Lucia when describing how she first provided for herself and her son.

Thanks to the work authorization and Green Card that Catholic Charities helped Lucia obtain, new opportunities became possible for Lucia. Working at the childcare center, she watched the teachers working, and knew that she wanted to become a teacher one day.

She saved money to take classes at Manchester Community College, to become licensed as an Assistant Early Childhood Education teacher. When a job at the center opened up, Lucia applied and was hired. Lucia continues to take classes, working toward a full teaching certification.

Our Immigration & Refugee Services assisted Lucia in obtaining full citizenship for herself and her son. Lucia and her son, now fifteen, are looking to the future: “My son and I have a dream. Someday, we want to have a home of our own.”

Lucia’s story is one of the many successes made possible because of your support of Catholic Charities. “The support of Catholic Charities made such a difference in my life. Without their help, I could not get my Green Card, could not get a job… I will always be grateful to Catholic Charities.”

Since 2008, 305 domestic violence victims have come to Catholic Charities for help. 100% of adjudicated cases have been decided in favor of our clients.
# Financial Snapshot

**Fiscal year ending March 31**

*(Audited - in thousands)*

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The figures in our Financial Snapshot include $11,984,554 in free or reduced-cost services to our clients. Our financial information, audited by Howe, Riley & Howe, is available at our Administrative Office in Manchester.
Foundation & Corporate Giving

Gifts received April 1, 2013 to March 31, 2014

A & A Cleaners, Inc.
A Well Kept Secret Antiques
A. R. T. Payroll
A. W. Therrien Company, Inc.
A-1 Steam Cleaning, Inc.
AARP Foundation
AARP New Hampshire
Abas Appraisals
AbiBow Rycycling LLC
Accurate Title, LLC
A-D Archambault Plumbing & Heating, Inc.
Adjutant General’s Dept
Adobe Systems Incorporated
Adobe Systems Incorporated
Aetna, Inc.
Affinity4
Ahold Financial Services
Albertsons
Alexander Eastman Foundation
Alexis Makris
Allano Law Office, PLLC
Alice J. Reen Charitable Trust
Alison Stebbins
Allegro MicroSystems Inc.
Alliance Landscaping
Allstate
Alpco Diagnostics
Alpha Dogs
Alpha Preceptor Chapter
Altos Marketing
Alvin E. Nix, Jr., PC
American Endowment Foundation
American Express Company
American Express Company
American International Group, Inc.
American Traditions Inc
Ameriprise Financial, Inc.
Ames Planning Associates, Inc.
Amica Companies Foundation
Amoskeag Auction Company Inc.
Anagnost Investments, Inc.
Anaplex Technologies
Analog Devices
Anderson Family Charitable Giving Fund
Andover Educational Association
Andrew Wickwire
Angelo’s Pasta & Cheese Shop
Ann Lambert Inc. d/b/a Lamberts Garage
Ann M. Caron Revocable Living Trust
Ansell & Anderson
Anthem Blue Cross
Anvel International
Apple Wood Construction, Inc.
Appledore Medical Group
Appledore Road Rehabilitation Center
Applied Economic Research, Inc.
Applied Materials
Arbel Insurance Foundation, Inc.
The Archibald Foundation
Arcand Associates LTD
Aries Center
Array Enterprises Inc.
The Arthur Getz Charitable Trust, RBS, Citizens, N.A. Trustee
ASC Inc.
ASCNE Inc.
Asphalt & Soils Quality Control Consulting
Associated Buyers Inc.
Associated Grocers of New England
Assurance Technology Corporation
AT&T
ATCO, Inc.
Atlantic Green Energy
Atlantic Surgical Associates, PLLC
A-Top Polymers, Inc.
Aubuchon Hardware
Auger Dental Laboratory LLC
Autodesk, Inc.
Ayco Charitable Foundation
BAE Systems
Bakery 42 LLC
Bank of America
Bank of America Charitable Foundation, Inc.
Bank of New Hampshire
The Barker Foundation, Inc.
Barkin’ Biscuit
Barrington Shores Campground
The Baupost Foundation, Inc.
Bausch Articulating Papers, Inc.
BayCorp Holdings, Ltd.
BBDZIGN
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Beane Family Foundation
The Beckerer Foundation, Inc.
Bedford Ambulatory Surgical Center, LLC
Bedford Hills Care and Rehabilitation Center
Bedford Martial Arts Academy, LLC
Bedford Town Council
Bell Window Cleaning
Bellamy Park Ice Bowl
Bellavance Beverage Co., Inc.
Benefit Strategies, LLC
Benthien Associates, Inc.
Best Jewelry Exchange LLC
Bigelow & Company
Bill Moeller Associates
Birch Hill Terrace
Bishop’s Charitable Assistance Fund, Inc.
Bittware, Inc.
BJ’s Charitable Foundation
Blanche M. Walsh Charity Trust
Blanchet Canadian Rocker & Furniture
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts
Bluejay Motel, Inc.
BMW of Stratham
Bob’s Coins
Bob’s Discount Furniture
The Book Cellar
The Botts Group, LLC
Boyle Law Office
Boynton Engraving
Boys & Girls Club of Souhegan Valley, Inc.
Bristol-Myers Squibb
The Brokerage Realtors - Sue Vachon & Associates
Brookstone Builders, Inc.
Bruce King Logging
Buckley’s Great Steaks
Budget Storage
The Burdick Faulkner Charitable Fund
Burndy, LLC
Burns & Associates
Burns, Bryant, Hinchevy, Cox & Rockefeller, PA
Business Decision Services
C&S Wholesale Grocers Inc.
C.A.B. Services, Inc
C.R. Bard Foundation
Cafe Services
California Property Management, Inc.
Callogix, Inc.
Cambridge Honda
The Campbell Realty Trust
Candida Trailers and Snow Equipment
Candida Woods Golf Links
Capital Kitchen & Bath, Inc.
The Card Works, Inc.
Case Mgmt Society of New England
Castagna Consulting Group, LLC
Catholic Daughters of the Americas
Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc.
CathoNet, LLC
Cause Based Commerce, Inc.
Central New York Community Foundation
Seabrook Tire & Auto, Inc.  
Seacoast Family Promise  
Seacoast Harley-Davidson  
Seacoast Wood Turners  
Seneca Machine, Inc.  
Senior Financial Resources, Inc.  
Service Credit Union  
SFC Engineering Partnership Inc.  
Shake Your Soul NH  
Shanelaris & Schirch PLLC  
Shanware Pottery  
Share our Strength  
Shaw’s Supermarkets Inc.  
Shear Performance Plus  
Sheehan Pinney Bass + Green PA  
The Shirt Factory  
Shorty’s Forward, Inc  
SIG Sauer  
Skip McKeans Petroleum Transport  
SnapDragon Associates, LLC  
Somersworth Nissan Hyundai, Inc.  
SOPHA Studio of Photographic Arts  
Southeastern Container, Inc.  
Southern New Hampshire Endodontics  
Southern New Hampshire University  
Spaulding Composites Inc  
Speedway Children’s Charities  
St. Joseph Hospital  
St. Mary’s Bank  
St. Teresa Healthcare Center  
Stal McLane Incorporated  
Stanvac Consultant  
Star Lit Hollow Farm, Inc.  
State Farm Insurance  
State Street Matching Gift Program  
Stefan H. Wittner, D.M.D., PA  
The Stefano La Sala Foundation, Inc.  
Steiner Buying Services Inc.  
Steven J. Moore Company  
Stewart Property Management, Inc.  
The Stiles & Hart Brick Co.  
Stonehedge Proper, LLC  
Sullivan Construction, Inc.  
Sun Life Financial  
Sunset Park Campground, LLC  
Superior Electric LLC  
Surf Restaurant, Inc.  
Symmetricom  
T. R. O’Connell Inc.  
TD Bank, N. A.  
TD Charitable Foundation  
Team Engineering  
Technical Needs North, Inc.  
Ted Bantis Trucking & Excavating  
Tedeschi Food Shops  
Telegraph Publishing Company  
Temco Tool Co. Inc.  
Terraco  
TF Moran, Inc.  
Three Maples Renaissance Corp  
Tichnor Properties  
The Timberland Company  
Timothy Sabol Memorial Fund  
Title New Hampshire LLC  
The TJX Foundation, Inc.  
Tosa Foundation  
Tower Hill Sales Assoc., Inc.  
Tower, Crocker & Smith, PA  
Toyota of Nashua  
Trans-Mate Inc  
Tremaine Opticians  
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Tuft Painting Co.  
Tulley Automotive Group  
Turbocam Automated Production Systems, Inc.  
Twentieth Skeets and Clays  
Ty Rods Club Inc.  
Tyco Electronics Matching Gift Program  
Tyngsboro Sports Center Inc  
The U.S. Charitable Gift Trust  
UBS Financial Services, Inc.  
UNH Manchester  
Unit 4 Business Software  
United Health Care - Hooksett  
United Technologies  
UnitedHealth Group  
Unilab Service Corporation  
Unum Matching Gifts Program  
Uppercut Hair Salon  
UPS Foundation  
Upton & Hatfield, LLP  
USI New England  
Utility Service & Assistance  
Ux Consulting Company, LLC  
Veano’s Italian Kitchen II  
Vectronix  
Velcro USA, Inc.  
Velocity Performance  
Verani Realty Inc  
Verbout-O’Brien Charitable Foundation  
Verizon Foundation  
Vermont Foodbank  
VetroFuse, Inc.  
Vigilant Capital Management  
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W. R. Berkley Corporation Charitable Foundation  
Wadleigh, Starr & Peters PLLC  
Waitsfield and Champlain Valley Telecom  
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Wayne’s Pools & Spas Inc.  
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Wedu, Inc.  
Weed Family Automotive, Inc.  
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WellPoint Foundation  
Wells Fargo Community Support Campaign  
Western World Insurance Group  
White Mountain Jets  
White Mountain Lumber Co.  
Why Self Storage, LLC  
Wilderness Restaurant  
Winnmans Group  
Windham Country Club  
Wing & Weintraub, PC  
WLR, Inc. d/b/a Northwoods Manufacturing  
Wolfe Trucking, LLC  
Women’s Fund of New Hampshire  
The Works Health & Fitness Center  
World Hunger Education Service  
Xcenda  
Xpress Delivery  
Yankee Equipment Systems, Inc.  
Yankee Publishing Inc.  
Yestramski Electrical Services, Inc.  
Yoga Balance  
Yoruba Association of Manchester  
Yumi Brands, Inc.  
Zero Waste & Recycling Services, Inc.  

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• Charlotte & Alpheus White Fund  
• Corbit Family Fund  
• David P & Dorothy M. Goodwin Family Fund  
• Doris and Vivian Horton Fund  
• Falcon Fund  
• Frank & Irene Buhl Family Fund  
• Goodman Family Fund  
• Howard Belevolent Fund  
• Jim & Billie Talbott Charitable Fund  
• Josephine A. Llamprey Fund  
• Lakes Region Community Fund  
• Lomaine Family Fund  
• Lois G. Roy Dickeren Fund  
• Lola and Leslie Hubbard Fund  
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• Pumpkin Hill Fund  
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• Wennrich Family Fund  
• William S. Green Memorial Fund  

Please accept our sincere apologies for any mistakes or omissions. Contact our Development Department to report any discrepancies. Thank you.
What We Do

Catholic Charities hosts a wide array of services to address the diverse needs in our community, serving 1-in-13 people throughout NH every year.

Adoption & Maternity Services
Catholic Charities New Hampshire offers a full range of adoptions services: support and guidance for birth parents, home studies, adoption support, post placement services, and search and reunion assistance.

Counseling Services
Catholic Charities New Hampshire provides counseling for individuals, couples and families that struggle with a variety of personal difficulties including: depression, stress, family conflict, relationship problems, anxiety, substance abuse, life adjustment issues and grief. With the ultimate goal of improving quality of life, these services help individuals increase self-esteem and strengthen communication skills in order to build and sustain healthy relationships and live more satisfying lives.

Immigration & Refugee Services
Immigration and Refugee Services provides newcomers with expert legal services to reunite families and guide individuals towards citizenship. Individuals and families who are eligible for immigration benefits, but cannot afford private legal counsel are provided with legal counseling for substantially reduced fees.

New Hampshire Food Bank
The New Hampshire Food Bank serves as the only food bank in the state and supplies nutritious food and resources to more than 400 partner agencies to help meet the needs of people who do not know when or where their next meal will come from. The NH Food Bank offers programs to address the root causes of hunger including: Mobile Food Pantries, Cooking Matters® (nutrition education, smart shopping, and resources through hands-on learning), Culinary Job Training, a Production Garden and SNAP Outreach.

OUR PLACE
OUR PLACE addresses the needs of teens and young adults who are expecting their first child; providing education, support, and an opportunity for parents to begin to make positive changes in their lives and the lives of their children. A nurse educator assists expectant mothers with prenatal and postpartum education, and a social worker provides ongoing parenting, financial literacy and life skills education and support to the family through their child’s third year of life.

Parish & Community Services
Parish and Community Services, through community engagement, develops appropriate programs to meet local needs. Focusing on reducing poverty, addressing frail, vulnerable and marginalized populations and fostering awareness and systemic change, our services include: case management, education, support groups and one-time emergency assistance. Our Case Management program provides training, workshops, and information and referral services. Many programs are volunteer-driven and done in collaboration with local parishes and community organizations.

St. Charles Children’s Home
Serving children in need for over 100 years, St. Charles Children’s Home works with local school districts, to provide one-on-one behavioral treatment for children so that they can integrate back into school systems and succeed.

Trinity Health Partners
From in-home care to long term nursing care, Trinity Health Partners provides loving professional care in the setting most suitable for our residents and those we serve. Trinity Health Partners include: Trinity Home Care, eight nursing and rehabilitative centers throughout the state, three independent living apartments, assisted living and Dementia care.
Our Donors

Gifts from Individuals, corporations, businesses and grants from foundations provide core funding that moves lives forward. Your gift provides your neighbors with:

- Parenting and prenatal education
- Intensive intervention for children with behavioral issues
- Advocates and caseworkers building stronger communities
- Job and life skills training to help people find secure employment
- Food for the hungry throughout the state
- Professional, licensed counseling in times of distress
- Adoption and reuniting families
- Legal aid for refugees and immigrants on their path to citizenship
- Compassionate, quality care for seniors

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This year, Catholic Charities begins its 70th year of operation — a milestone that is a testament to the incredible support we have received from communities across the state. Your continued support allows us to address the vital needs of 1-in-13 people throughout New Hampshire, and to advocate for the impoverished and the vulnerable that come to us for help every day.

Thank you for providing hope and support to individuals like Lucia, Leslie and Kelly. Your compassion and dedication is truly the foundation of the work we do. Every story is unique, but one thing ties them together: you. Thank you for helping us to move lives forward.

God bless,

Tom Blonski
President & CEO

In this year’s Annual Report you have seen how every dollar donated helps Catholic Charities New Hampshire in its mission to serve. Facts and figures, however, can’t tell the whole story; there are the names and faces of real people whose lives have been affected and changed through this work of our Catholic Church here in New Hampshire, work that can never be fully measured.

The volunteers and staff at Catholic Charities New Hampshire could tell you so many stories of those who have walked through their doors. Many of those people would be invisible to us, but Catholic Charities gave them dignity, strength and hope.

Among the many stories you might hear from CCNH staff members or volunteers, one might want you to know about the refugee who had to flee from his homeland — literally having to run for his life — as his village was being destroyed by the ravages of a war that we might even call a genocide. Coming now to the relative safety of the U.S., he sought and received sound legal advice to obtain a proper, legal worker’s permit. Another Catholic Charities worker might want to tell you about the Hand-in-Hand program, which pairs teenage volunteers with adult mentors to do home repairs for those who are unable to do them for themselves, including seniors, the disabled, and veterans. Still another member of our staff might want you to hear about OUR PLACE — a program for young mothers where they learn basic nurturing and parenting skills.

Bishop Matthew Brady, who founded the New Hampshire branch of Catholic Charities in 1945, said of its mission to the poor and those in need, “We serve them not out of mere sentiment…It is the fulfillment of a divine command!”

Sixty-nine years later Catholic Charities New Hampshire continues to serve, and so we continue to ask for and welcome your support in this most urgent Gospel mission. As Bishop of Manchester, I extend my deepest thanks for your prayers and partnership as we fulfill our inheritance as Disciples of Christ.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Peter A. Libasci
Bishop of Manchester