

December 2019

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

The holiday season is upon us once again and we give thanks for the many blessings in our lives. We are so thankful for you and your continued support of all our programs that enable us to serve and empower those in need in our communities.

Our neighbors may experience a sudden illness, loss of employment or a change in circumstances that may result in falling behind with their utilities or not being able to put food on the table. When this occurs, Catholic Charities is able to step in and help. We have been able to find safe affordable housing for families, to provide resources and support to flood survivors, assist our seniors in obtaining prescriptions that are necessary for their health, transportation to those who need to get to doctor visits, pharmacy and to the store for food, access to food pantries, and support through our emergency assistance program.

This type of assistance to someone in need could not happen without your generous support!

Our 23rd Annual Sister Rachel Campaign “Caring Beyond Belief”, is now underway. **All dollars raised by this effort go directly to support our local programs here in Herkimer County.** *(A list of all the programs offered by Catholic Charities of Herkimer County is enclosed)*

Your generosity and support are, as always, sincerely appreciated by Catholic Charities, and most especially by those who benefit from the many programs we offer.

An easy to use remittance envelope is provided for your convenience

Thank You and May God Bless You!



Sincerely,

Maureen Petrie; Executive Director