ANNUAL GIVING SOCIETIES

The Director’s Council
The Council offers a unique opportunity for those who are willing to partner with Catholic Charities and the more than 160,000 clients served each year. The Council is reserved for those giving at the $100,000+ level annually.

St. Ignatius Loyola Society
The St. Ignatius Loyola Society offers an opportunity for those giving at the $75,000 to $99,999 level annually to continue the work of St. Ignatius Loyola. As St. Ignatius said, “Teach us to give and not count the cost.”

The Council of Caring
The Council of Caring offers members a unique opportunity to have a lasting impact on the work of Catholic Charities through their annual gift of $50,000 to $74,999.

The Cardinal Shehan Society
Established in honor of Cardinal Lawrence J. Shehan, a dedicated leader committed to civil rights and social practice, the Cardinal Shehan Society is reserved for donors who contribute $25,000 to $49,999 annually.

The Archbishop Borders Society
Created in honor of Archbishop William D. Borders, known for his commitment to Our Daily Bread and services to the homeless, membership is reserved for supporters who contribute $10,000 to $24,999 annually.

The Bishop P. Francis Murphy Society
Founded in honor of Bishop P. Francis Murphy, a dedicated advocate for the poor, membership is reserved for donors who contribute $5,000 to $9,999 annually.

The Anita Rose Williams Society
Anita Rose Williams, known for her pioneering leadership in community service, was the first professional African-American social worker in Catholic Charities in America (1923-1961). Membership is reserved for donors who contribute $2,500 to $4,999 annually.

Loaves and Fishes Society
The Loaves and Fishes Society welcomes gifts to help all in need in central Maryland. Membership is reserved for supporters who contribute $1,000 to $2,499 annually.