

# Catholic Charities

of the Diocese of Santa Rosa

*Serving with Love for All Since 1954*



*“We can find no social or moral justification, no justification whatsoever, for lack of housing.”*

*Pope Francis*



# Program Areas

Homelessness & Housing Solutions

Immigration & Naturalization

Financial Stability & Crisis Response

200+ Staff | 300+ Volunteers



# Our Reach

Sonoma

Napa

Lake

Humboldt

Mendocino



15,000+ Individuals Served Annually



# Caritas Village

*Love for all*



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**BURBANK  
HOUSING**

# Why did we need Caritas Center?

- Growing Homelessness and Housing Crisis
- Aging Facilities
- Lack of Access to Integrated Care
- Current Programs and Services Not Meeting the Needs of the Most Vulnerable
- Opportunity to Lead Innovation in our Journey to Reduce Homelessness in Sonoma County

# Why did we need Caritas Village?





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Charities  
USA.





# Caritas Village

## Caritas Center

- 192 Family Shelter Beds
- 38 Nightingale Respite Beds
- 6x larger Drop-in Center
- 10 beds long term housing
- Medical Clinic - SRCH
- Head Start program - CAP
- Office space

## Caritas Homes

- 128 Homes
- Studios, 1, 2 bedrooms
- Low to Extremely low income
- Built in 2 phases, 64 units each
- Funded, built, and managed by Burbank Housing
- Services provided by Catholic Charities

# The Innovation of Caritas Center

- Design Process
- Funding (capital & operations)
- Co-locating services
- First of its kind in the nation
- Professionalization of services
- Removing barriers for access





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CARITAS CENTER

 Catholic Charities

THE TALK  
WELCOME  
11/20/20





"This is a game changer for Santa Rosa. Thanks for your incredible work for our community."  
SANTA ROSA POLICE CHIEF JOHN CREGAN

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Caritas Village

EXIT  
ROUTE











HOPE HAVEN  
*Made possible by  
the Hamel Family*

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Small informational sign on the wall.

Made possible  
by the generosity of

**Naming Opportunity  
Available**

**HEALING  
AREA 9**

HEALING AREA 9



IN LOVING MEMORY OF  
JO & DOYLE CLIFTON

BLAKESLEE ELECTRIC

JOHN & MARIA THOMAS  
LIVE IN PEACE

TOM & NOLA LUNDY

JOHN & PHYNE

CHUCK & BETTY

CAROLYN HAZEL  
& DANIELLE SPORN

THE O'NEILL FAMILY

TAWNI SAIZ &  
ROBERT CLIFTON

WE WELCOME ALL WHO NEED HELP  
NO MATTER WHAT YOU BELIEVE  
In Honor of Lawrence J. Sork  
*"It is our collective concern for others, arising  
in mind the memory of business, we can build a  
more compassionate world." -Doris Lerner*

JUDY MCCANN &  
STEVE FABIAN

GEORGE & SUNNY  
DEGROOT MARRAN

RICHARD & KATHERINE SCHRAM  
In Memory of Michael Charles O'Neil  
*"The truth is not only being  
let's hold on to the light  
but also to the love of  
John W. Sork"*

MIRANDA

JOHN & SONIA RICE

MICHAEL RIGBY  
IN MEMORY OF TARA

FRANCIS JAMES  
DEAN

THE O'NEILL FAMILY

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BERT C. BANGSBERG  
Caritas Village Project Manager  
*"There is no telling how much good you can  
do if you don't care who gets the credit!"  
North Coast Comprehensive Care Clinician*

LAND IS LIMITED  
PERMISSION TO BUILD

GOD BE WITH YOU!  
THE FAGENT FAMILY

NATALIE & Betsy TAIN  
DON & JESSE KEHRAN

R. LEYDICH / JAY GARCIA  
TO REMEMBER OUR MOTHERS

CLAIRE, MARIA, GUY  
& JESS BLOOMBERG

DANIEL BERSON  
MIRIAM BERSON

THE BERSON FAMILY

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JOHN PAVIK  
IN HONOR OF STEPHANIE

THOMAS H. WERDEL  
In Honor of My Parents

SHAPIRO, GALVIN,  
SHAPIRO & MORAN

IN LOVING MEMORY  
CLAIR & CLAIRE DAVIS

ZACKICH  
FAMILY VINEYARD

MILAN SETTERLAD  
IN MEMORY OF  
MARGARET G. SETTERLAD

IN MEMORY OF  
ART LAPLANCHI

WILL EDWARD WISBY YOU  
"MURDERER" PAUL  
In Memory of Paul

COUSINS  
OF BOB & LUCY WITT  
MEMBERSHIP OF CHARITY

THE BERSON FAMILY

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PETERSON TILE

STEPHEN &  
MARY ANNE SOBIERAJ

IN MEMORY OF  
Robert & Dolores Del Castillo  
Josef & Dorothy Maliszewski

SILVESTRI FAMILY  
James & Casside  
Vincent & Joseph

KASER  
DICK & BLANCKE

AGNES & MICHAEL  
APICELLA  
In Memory of Our Parents

THE KASPER FAMILY  
MILK, MARIE, EDNY, ALL, ANDY  
In Memory of Jan 1911

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A GRATEFUL HEART  
HANK & VERNIE PENDEL

SUTTER SANTA ROSA  
REGIONAL HOSPITAL

IN HONOR OF  
EDWIN DENNIN

FOR THE VOLUNTEERS  
J.B.S. CHALMERS

ROBERT & ALVIN  
ACQUISTANCE

LAUREL & DOLPHAN  
WILSON

GOD BLESS ALL WHO  
EXERCISE THE DUTY

THE TOCHETTI FAMILY  
In Memory of Dr. Paul Tochetti

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ANDY & CAROL EBER

DEBORAH L. CRIPPEN

CHERYL DUDLEY  
FOR JUNE DUDLEY

GREG GRONSON  
KEINO GRONSON

GEORGE & SUE B-SITE  
AND FAMILY

"LOVE IS BLIND"  
BILL & FRANK BARRETT

THE MARKET FAMILY

TERRY & JOANNE DALE  
In Memory of  
Neil & Amelia McDaniel  
*"There is where the heart lives"  
-T. S. Eliot*

JIM HENEGRAN  
ANNE HENEGRAN  
In Memory of Helen Hart Henegran

COMMUNITY CAMPAIGN





View of Caritas Homes at Corner of 7<sup>th</sup> and Morgan Streets  
Caritas Homes

View of Caritas Homes' from the Corner of 7<sup>th</sup> and A Streets  
Caritas Homes



# Additional Homelessness Solutions

- More housing for all income levels, with emphasis on affordable
- Active and solution-oriented community involvement based in proactive and grounded in evidence
- Diverse interim housing services with emphasis on housing placement
- Provide funding resources equal with the need and the emergency
- Trauma-informed solutions with accountability infrastructure
- Enhance the front door and the back door of the homeless system of care (1-2-4 Framework provided by All Home; [www.allhomeca.org](http://www.allhomeca.org))

# 1-2-4 Framework for Homelessness Solutions

To achieve  
75% reduction  
in unsheltered  
homelessness

Simultaneously  
invest in three  
interventions

Increasing exits  
from homelessness



## +1x Interim Housing

Fund interim housing needed to bring unsheltered people indoors immediately. These can be short term, temporary solutions on the path to permanent exits.

Increasing exits  
from homelessness



## +2x Permanent Housing Solutions

Fund two permanent housing solutions for every interim housing unit added. These can be a housing subsidy or affordable housing that allows people to flow from interim to permanent housing.

Decreasing entries



## +4x Homelessness Prevention

Simultaneously, each unit of interim housing should be matched with holistic prevention services for four households.



# Join us for a tour!

**Friday, April 6th**

**Friday, April 20th**

*All tours begin promptly at noon*

**Caritas Center**

**301 6th Street, Santa Rosa**



# Questions?

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