

“working for a just, equitable and compassionate Victoria”



WHAT WE DO

- Research, policy and advocacy on behalf of those who are disadvantaged
- Member Services, including the fostering of networks for mutual cooperation, education and professional development. Building solidarity and a common voice helps assist the Church generally to stand with those in need and to work for justice
- Fostering a Catholic ethos, identity and profile among our agencies, unpacking and articulating Catholic Social Teaching, and communicating effectively with the broader church

GETTING INVOLVED

Catholic Social Services Victoria and its members welcome your involvement and support – we rely on many individuals and organisations, including parishes and other parts of the Church. You can support our sector in a range of ways:

- Volunteer in a wide variety of service areas and locations
- Become a donor or sponsor of our member organisations
- Become an associate member of CSSV, or contribute to the trust fund that supports our work

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*This is what God asks of you: to act justly, to love tenderly,
and to walk humbly with your God.*
(Micah 6:8)

OUR MISSION

Catholic Social Services Victoria assists the Catholic Church in following the teachings of Jesus Christ to stand with and serve those who are poor, disadvantaged and marginalised; and to work for a just, equitable and compassionate society.

As a peak body for Catholic community services in Victoria we support and enhance the work of service and justice of our member organisations.

In this work we are responsive to the Bishops, our member organisations and the leaders of Religious Congregations, and we draw on the gospel values enshrined in Catholic Social Teaching.

Catholic Social Services Victoria is a network of the Church's social services agencies across Victoria

MEMBER ORGANISATIONS

Aboriginal Catholic Ministry
Assisi Centre
Australian Catholic Religious Against Trafficking in Humans (ACRATH)
Brigidine Asylum Seeker Project
Cabrini Health
CatholicCare Melbourne
CatholicCare Victoria Tasmania
CatholicCare Sandhurst
Catholic Womens League Victoria and Wagga Wagga
Centacare, Diocese of Ballarat
Corazon
Corpus Christi Community
Don Bosco Youth Centre & Hostel
Edmund Rice Camps
Edmund Rice Community & Refugee Services
Edmund Rice Services – Mt Atkinson
Good Samaritan Inn
Good Shepherd Australia New Zealand
Griefline
House of Welcome Ballarat
Jesuit Social Services
JoCare
John Pierce Centre for Deaf Ministry
Joseph's Corner Inc
Kewn Kreestha
Keysborough Learning Centre
MacKillop Family Services
Marist180
Mary Aikenhead Ministries
McAuley Community Services for Women

Missionary Sisters of Service
Nazareth House—Sisters of Nazareth
Office for Justice & Peace, Archdiocese of Melbourne
Order of Malta Hospice Home Care Vic (Inc)
Pregnancy Assistance Frankston
Rosies Oblate Youth Mission
Sacred Heart Mission, St Kilda
St Vincent de Paul Society Victoria (Inc)
St John of God ACCORD
St Joseph's Flexible Learning Centre
St Joseph's Home for the Aged
Little Sisters of the Poor
St Mary's House of Welcome
The Way Community
Vietnamese Catholic Family Mutual Assistance Network
Villa Maria Catholic Homes
VincentCare Victoria
Wellsprings for Women

visit www.css.org.au/members for further details

SERVICES PROVIDED BY MEMBERS

Accommodation and support for adults and youth
Adoption and permanent/foster care
Aged care and support
Chaplaincy Services: Prison, HIV/AIDS, Mental Health and Youth Welfare
Child Support, including out of home care
Disability care and support
Drought counselling and relief services

Drug and Alcohol counselling and support
Employment services
Employee Assistance Programs
Family and Relationship Services (counselling, family dispute resolution)
Family support case management
Hearing impaired services
Homelessness support programs
Indigenous support programs
Loss and Grief Counselling and Peer Support
Marriage and relationship education
Material assistance
Mental Health Services

Parenting education and support
Pregnancy counselling
Refugee and settlement services
Respite care and accommodation
School counselling
Support for prisoners' families
Women's support programs
Youth justice services
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