



## 2016 -2017 Catholic Campaign for Human Development Grants

**Building Understanding and a Voice in the Community, St. Charles Borromeo, Oklahoma City** is an outreach ministry for Hispanic parents to understand their children's school curriculum and programs to be successfully engaged in their children's education. They will learn skills to evaluate their schools' effectiveness and how to advocate for their children. \$2,000

**English Language Learners Program, St. Mary, Ardmore** is a program helping non-native English speaking people, to speak and understand English. They will participate in English proficiency tests during their initial intake and upon completion of the program. This will strengthen their skills to help them with important decisions in their everyday lives such as rent and legal agreements. \$2,000

**CHOSEN, St. Joseph Catholic Church, Norman** is a program providing high school students the tools and resources as they prepare for confirmation. This faith formation program is designed to engage the students' entire family, strengthening their family unit. As a bilingual program, Chosen will strengthen the parish and unify it through its cultural diversity. \$2,598

**YDisciple, St. Joseph Catholic Church, Norman** is a program for 7<sup>th</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> grade students to increase their understanding of the Catholic faith and inspire them to become disciples of Jesus. This program is empowering numerous students, predominately Hispanic, with a depth of understanding and the confidence to be leaders. It strengthens their faith, along with the faith of their family members and friends. \$2,595

**Mother to Mother, St. Benedict, Shawnee** is a program that embraces the sanctity and dignity of life by nurturing pregnant and parenting women. In partnership with the parish family, multi-faith based networks, and community organizations, the program empowers families by providing education, practical assistance mentoring and support. It pairs mentors with mothers who desire to grow as a parent and as an individual. Mother to Mother program strives to help build and provide a strong foundation for the mothers and their children by supporting their emotional, spiritual and educational growth. \$2,000

**Center for Family Love Vocational Marketing Project, Holy Trinity, Okarche** is a project that focuses on promoting the products produced by people with developmental disabilities. The individuals are actively involved in the promotion of the products, highlighting the abilities of all the people involved with the Center for Family Love. \$2,500

**Sister Barbara Joseph Call to Mercy, Carmelite Sisters of St. Therese** program will promote awareness and involvement of the Corporal Works of Mercy in Catholic schools throughout the archdiocese. Funds will specifically be used for promotional materials to help generate interest in the program. \$2,500

**Tuition for women at Mabel Bassett, Catholic Charities**, provides tuition payments for four women who are incarcerated. These classes will give these women an opportunity to gain an education, which will help them build a better life for themselves when they are released. \$4,192

**Tuition for a parishioner who is working and attending law school, Holy Angels, OKC** will provide the funds for him to spend more time focus on school. His goal after Oklahoma City University is to help support the immigrants in the community. \$2,000