

# Catholic Relief Services Chapter Education

The pieces below can be placed in parish bulletins, e-communications, or social media during January and February of 2021.

January 10

## Introducing the Catholic Relief Services (CRS) Chapter of Wake County



During the fall of 2019, a small group of parishioners from St. Michael the Archangel, St. Andrew the Apostle, Mary Magdalene and Mother Teresa of Calcutta Catholic Communities formed a CRS Chapter. We are a group of folks with a profound interest in the dignity of all human persons, and in particular our brothers and sister all over the world. In coming weeks join us and 10,000 other families in these 4 parishes on a journey to learn more about CRS! [Click here to learn more about us... and CRS!](https://www.saintandrew.org/catholic-relief-services/)

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January 17

## Catholic Relief Service is More than RICE BOWL!!!

On behalf of American Catholics like yourselves, CRS serves over 127 million people are in more than 110 countries each year!!! As part of the universal mission of the Catholic Church, CRS puts our *putting our faith into action to help the world's poorest create lasting change*. CRS works with local, national and international Catholic institutions and structures, as well as other organizations, to assist people on the basis of need, not creed, race or nationality. [Click here to learn more!](https://www.saintandrew.org/catholic-relief-services-what-is-crs/)



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January 24

## COVID, Poverty, and CRS

We only need to look in our own communities for the devastating effects of COVID and the rising rates of poverty and financial challenges. Now, imagine what that looks like in the poorest countries in the world? These are the places CRS is continuing their work on behalf of Catholics in the United States. [Click here to learn](#)

[about these efforts!](#)



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January 31

## An Umbrella of Care and Hope

Pope Francis calls us to rediscover our vocation as citizens of our own nations and of the entire world. Within the United States this umbrella organization is Catholic Charities. In the entire rest of the world, this organization is Catholic Relief Services! View a visual of how the U.S. Catholic Church addresses poverty here at home and around the world [here](#).



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February 7

## Catholic Relief Services- How can we help?

In recent weeks, the Catholic Relief Services Wake County Chapter has formed you about the work Catholic Relief Services does around the world. We have shared how millions of people are helped around the world each year on our behalf. But this can only happen with our support. In coming weeks, you will be invited to LEARN, PRAY, and ACT as a part of the CRS Rice Bowl Program. We hope that you will join other Catholic Wake County families on their journey this Lent to learn more about CRS! [Click here to learn more.](#)



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## February 14

The piece will come from individuals at the parish with specific information surrounding Operation Rice Bowl.