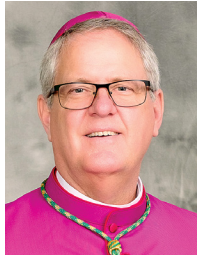




DIOCESE OF CHARLOTTE



The Most Reverend
Bishop Michael T. Martin, OFM Conv.
Episcopal ordination – May 29, 2024

QUICK STATS

As of 2024

GENERAL INFORMATION

Established	Jan. 12, 1972
Number of counties	46
Parishes	76
Missions	17
Total Catholic population	539,610
Total population (est.)	5,350,999
% Catholic	10.1%

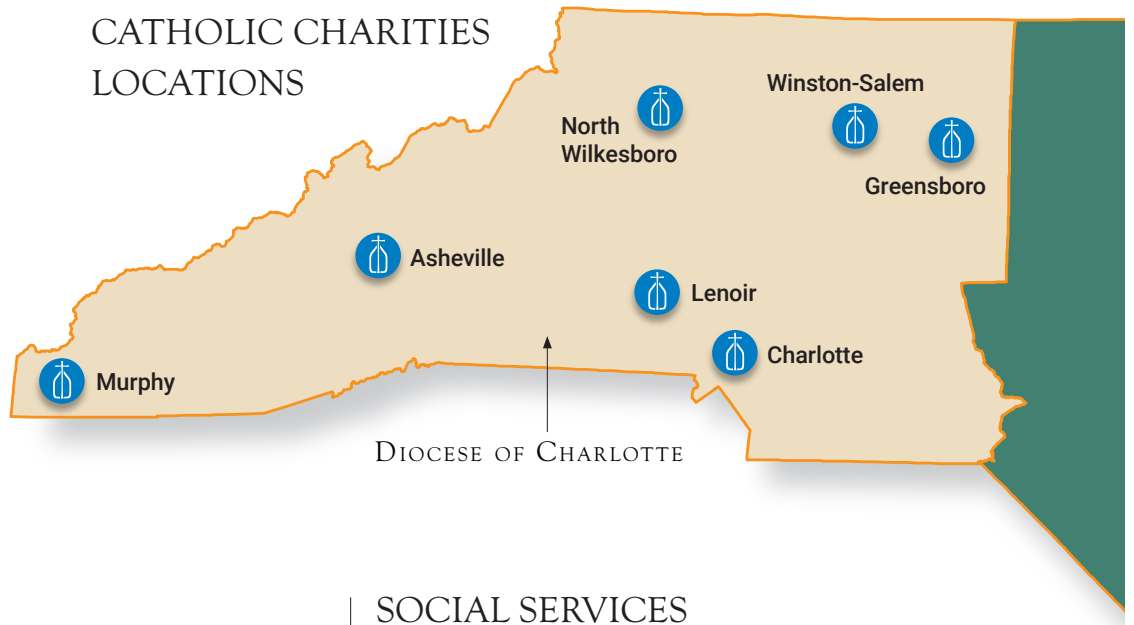
RELIGIOUS PERSONNEL

108	21	31	147	12	82	47
Diocesan Priests	Religious Order Priests	Retired Priests	Deacons	Religious Brothers	Religious Sisters	Seminarians

VITAL STATISTICS

Baptisms	4,699
Infants	3,987
Minors	453
Adults	259
Received into Full Communion	593
First Communions	4,315
Confirmations	3,884
Marriages	746
Deaths	944

CATHOLIC CHARITIES LOCATIONS



EDUCATION

Catholic colleges	Belmont Abbey College
Seminaries	St. Joseph College Seminary
High schools	4
Students	2,215
Elementary and middle schools	16
Students	5,954
Full-time teachers	746
Parish-based religious education	19,112
High school students	3,467
PK-8 students	15,645

SOCIAL SERVICES

Catholic Charities locations	7
People receiving food, clothing, financial, counseling, or legal assistance	21,941
Refugees assisted	1,138
Indigent burials	199
Homeless veterans assisted	101
Health care centers	8, serving 70,190/year
Homes for aged, chronically ill	1, serving 448/year
Residential care for the disabled	6, serving 1,200/year