



## OUR MISSION

To demonstrate Christ's love and justice by caring in faith for the human family.

## CATHOLIC CHARITIES CORNER | THE BEACON

# A lifeline for our neighbors without a home

The Beacon serves as a vital lifeline for our community's most vulnerable members.

Every day, we provide essential services for people experiencing homelessness in downtown Madison, including lunch, access to showers, laundry services, transportation assistance, and connections to partner agencies who can connect guests with specialized support. The Beacon is operated and predominantly funded by Catholic Charities.

Each number represents a person—a story of resilience and hope. Behind every visit is someone seeking warmth, dignity, and a chance to rebuild their life.

Learn more about The Beacon and how to support our work at [www.thebeaconhelps.org](http://www.thebeaconhelps.org).

**89,100**

Total number of guest visits to The Beacon in 2024

**260**

Average number of women & children served each month

**128**

Average number of adults age 62+ served each month

**1.1 million**

Total gallons of water used for laundry & showers in 2024

**243**

Average number of guests served each day



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