



2020 Program Report

Cameron Community Ministries is an urban community center located in the Lyell-Otis neighborhood of Rochester, NY. Our vision is to create an equitable and empowered community. Our mission is to work with neighborhood residents and partners to create a vibrant and thriving community through empowerment and advocacy while meeting basic needs.

Services Provided in 2020:

- 26,966 meals were served in our Hot Lunch program.
- 324 Kids Cafe Meals served in the Teen Center.
- 2,044 Kids Café Meals served in the Youth Program.
- 575 households were served through our Food Pantry program.
- 644 people shopped in our Clothing House for clothing, accessories, housewares, baby and hygiene items.
- 1,585 diapers were distributed.
- 42 students participated in the Youth Program ('19 - '20 and '20 - '21 School Years.)
- 24 teens participated in the Teen Program ('19 – '20 school year.)
- 15 teens participated in the Teen Program ('20 – '21 school year.)
- 15 teens registered for the Teen Summer Program.
- 20 kids registered for the Youth Summer Program.
- 125 children and adults attended our 3rd annual Resource Fair on August 24th and 119 kids received book bags.
- 350 Thanksgiving and Christmas food baskets were distributed over the holidays.
- 30 Easter Food Baskets were distributed to our Youth and Teen families.

Special Endeavors in 2020:

- Our 2021-2025 Strategic Plan was approved and adopted.
- In response to Covid-19, the full-time Learning & Enrichment Center opened in September 2020.
- 10 Social Work, Public Health, Human Services and Community Youth Development Interns from Nazareth and MCC completed semesters in the Kitchen, Clothing House and Social Work programs.
- 4 Field Placement Students from Brockport completed a semester in the Youth Learning and Enrichment Center.
- Cameron's first AmeriCorps Vista Member completed his term with us and graduated in July 2020
- Cameron successfully launched the Donor and Legacy Giving Societies.

Additional Services Provided:

Cameron also provides a variety of services to the community including:

- Phone and computer access
- Resume building
- Referrals
- Nutrition education classes every third Friday of the month
- Full-Time Social Worker on staff
- Information provided to guests on other community programs and services
- Bus passes

Cameron Community Ministries welcomes all who want to volunteer or donate to our programs.

Check out our website at www.cameronministries.org and follow us on Facebook, Twitter or Instagram for more information.

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