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**Some of the programs and agencies
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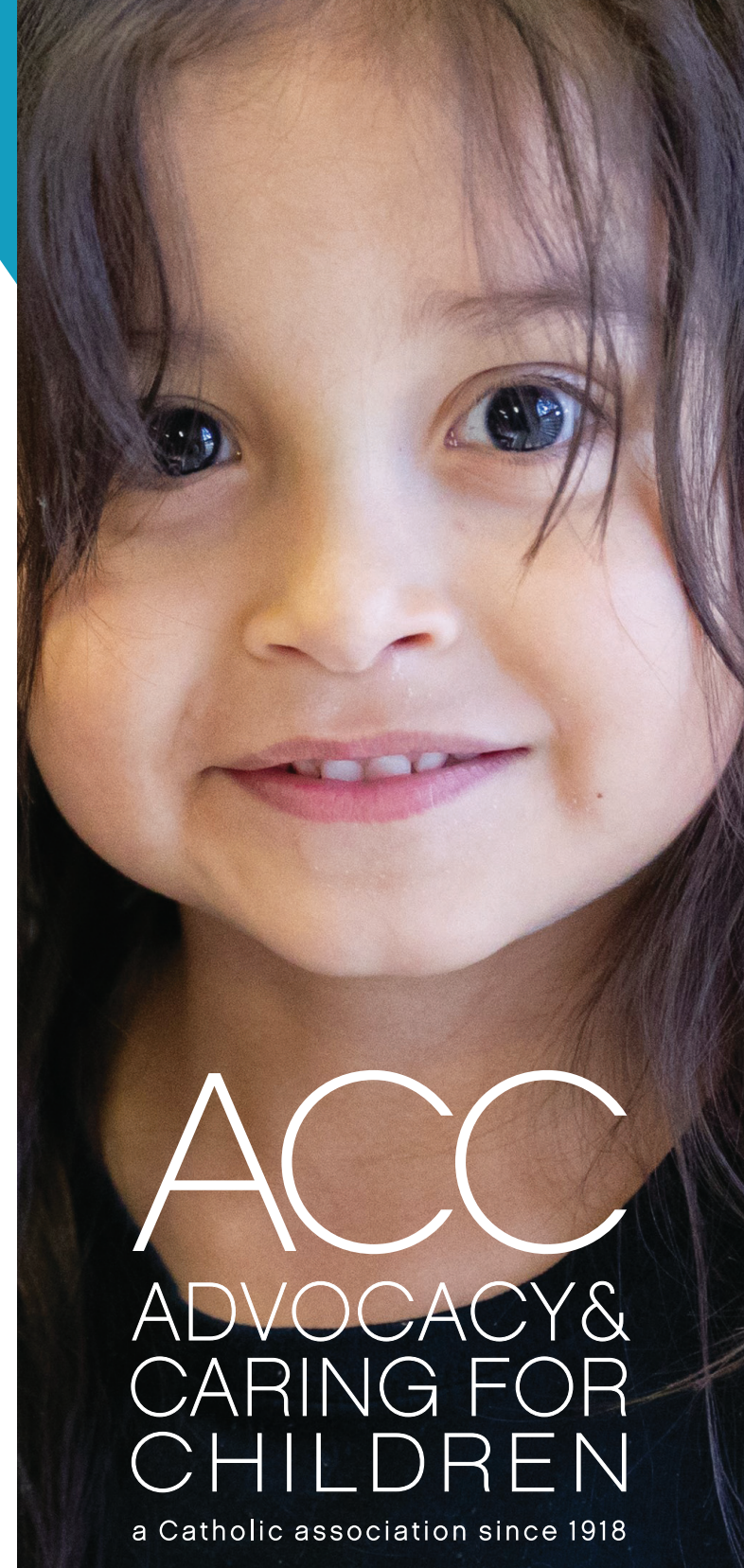
- Emergency Assistance for Families
- Pregnancy and Parenting Support Services
- Mental Health Care for Youth
- Adoption Services
- Family Law CASA
(Court Appointed Special Advocates)
- Youth Tutoring Program
- Foster Care Support Services
- International Foster Care Unaccompanied
Refugee Minor Program
- The Community Kitchen
- Sacred Heart Shelter
- Pediatric Interim Care Services
- Family Housing Network

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HOW FUNDS ARE DISTRIBUTED

Twice yearly, ACC gives funds to Catholic Community Services of Western Washington and other non-profit organizations that support children and families. Agencies submit formal grant applications and a review board evaluates each request.

OUR MISSION

Advocacy and Caring for Children (ACC), a volunteer organization, provides care, funding and advocacy for Western Washington children and families in need, regardless of race or creed.

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OUR HISTORY

In 1918, a group of Seattle's Catholic women organized a program of social welfare on behalf of children and families, founding the Seattle Council of Catholic Women. The Council was later named Association for Catholic Childhood (ACC). To celebrate our 100th anniversary and to better reflect our mission, we renamed ourselves Advocacy and Caring for Children (ACC).

WHAT WE DO

Our association, comprised of Circle members, raises funds through various activities, auctions and events, so we can positively impact the lives of vulnerable children and families throughout Western Washington.

Our members benefit as well, developing strong friendships as they work together on the shared activities of fundraising, advocacy and hands-on assistance.

Your support of ACC's mission is welcome in many ways. To join our association, help with volunteering or make a donation, please visit our website.

THE ENDOWMENT

Established in 2002, the ACC Endowment Fund exists to ensure continued funding of the programs and agencies we assist. Members and friends of ACC contribute funds and assets to advance our mission in perpetuity. Information about legacy gifts and bequests can be found at advocacyandcaringforchildren.org.



Since 2005, ACC has granted an average of \$150,000 annually.