



**March 18, 2020**

The situation facing all of us regarding the coronavirus (COVID-19) has prompted Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Toronto to take steps to prevent any adverse effects on either our staff, volunteers or those who turn to us for help.

In accordance with public health directions, we have decided to close our office at the Archdiocese of Toronto's Pastoral Centre until further notice.

We are confident that despite the actions we have taken in response to COVID-19, Catholic Charities through its member agencies will continue to respond and do outreach to the most vulnerable in our community.

Be assured that despite current challenges, we will continue to respond to requests for information from the public, either by email or telephone.

You can continue to contact any staff by email or telephone. Please email [info@catholiccharitiestor.org](mailto:info@catholiccharitiestor.org), our general information directory, or leave a message at 416-934-3401. We will respond to all inquiries throughout the crisis, as always.

We ask that you take care and heed the advice of our medical officers, during the challenging days ahead.

Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Toronto and its member agencies will continue in its outreach to serve communities, especially the most vulnerable among us. Let us support and pray for each other, in this uncertain time. *'Be not afraid, I go before you'.*

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michael Fullan". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

**Michael Fullan**  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR