

CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

Proclamation

Whereas...

The period from April 9 through May 11 has been set aside for the Philadelphia Archdiocesan Catholic Charities Appeal for \$1,600,000; and

This is the first Appeal of its kind ever held in the 150-year history of the Archdiocese; and

The Catholic Charities Appeal is being made to raise funds needed for renovating buildings used in the care of the aged, and of handicapped and orphaned children; and

Almost 70,000 needy persons were aided by Catholic Charities in 1957, regardless of race, color or creed;

Now, Therefore...

I, Richardson Dilworth, Mayor of the City of Philadelphia, do hereby proclaim Wednesday, April 9, 1958 as

CATHOLIC CHARITIES APPEAL DAY

to mark the inauguration of this campaign, and call upon the people of Philadelphia to cooperate in this splendid undertaking which has for its ultimate purpose the serving of our aged, and our handicapped, needy children and other suffering humanity.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the City of Philadelphia this twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-eight.

Richardson Dilworth
MAYOR

Fredric R. Wynn
CITY REPRESENTATIVE