

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE RESOURCES

Society of St. Vincent de Paul Holy Redeemer Conference Emergency Fund

First line of defense against foreclosures, evictions, utility shut offs and delinquent payments. This group serves all of Chatham on a non-sectarian basis (you don't need to be Catholic) and need is the only requirement for assistance. Client assistance usually ranges from \$200-650 and is given without regard to a client's religious affiliation. The only prerequisites are need and a home visit by volunteers.

If you don't live in Chatham, you can still call the number below and they will put you in touch with the St. Vincent de Paul serving your town. They regularly assist fishermen.
Helpline: 508-237-7983

The Shaw Fund for Mariner's Children

Provides short term financial assistance to children or widows of mariners OR to incapacitated mariners and their wives.

Please call the Cape Cod office for more information or to request assistance:
833-742-9363. <https://www.shawfund.org/>

Women of Fishing Families

Scholarships for children's education and assistance organizing personal fundraisers.
Karen Murdoch: 508- 945-1494 / 508-274-2092

Monomoy Community Services and Chatham Children's Fund

Gives assistance to families and children in need in the Chatham area. They help with everything to getting glasses and medical services taken care of for the children, to shopping for them and providing them with warm clothes.

Confidential phone number; call if for any assistance with children: 774-207-7743.

Chatham Ecumenical Council- Helping Prevent Cape Homelessness.

Helps anyone having difficulties paying mortgage, rent or home utility payments; provides temporary support to many individuals and families in our community. Serves Chatham to Provincetown.

Online confidential application form for assistance:
<https://preventingcapehomelessness.org/apply.html>.