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Our Catholic faith directs us to put the needs of working families over the interests of billionaires and corporations. This includes electing leaders who will make our health care, housing, and groceries more affordable.

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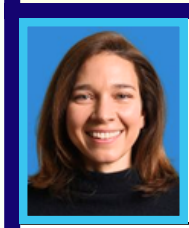 **Rebecca Bennett** **Democrat** **rebeccabennettforcongress.com**	**Will your candidate work for...**	**Thomas Kean, Jr.** **Republican (incumbent)** **tomkean.com**
✅ **Supports making health care more accessible** by restoring Affordable Care Act subsidies and Medicaid funds cut by the Republican budget law. ✅ **Supports creating a public health insurance option** to expand affordable choices for Americans.	**Quality, affordable health care for all?** Catholic teaching affirms that health care is a universal right, not a privilege reserved for the wealthy. *(Compendium of the Social Doctrine of the Church, #166)*	❌ **Voted** to **cut $1 trillion from Medicaid and the Affordable Care Act (ACA)** to pay for tax cuts for the ultra-wealthy. As a result, average monthly healthcare **premiums have skyrocketed**, around **63,308 New Jerseyans** have lost Medicaid, and **28,071 fewer New Jerseyans** have ACA coverage.
✅ **Supports unions and worker's rights** to organize for better pay. ✅ **Supports funding apprenticeship and job training** programs. ✅ **Supports increasing the federal minimum wage** to $25/hour.	**Good-paying jobs with benefits and protections?** The Catholic Church affirms the dignity of work and workers, and calls for wages that let us "live a truly human life." *(Mater et Magistra, #71)*	❌ **Allowed DOGE to slash** tens of millions of dollars in funding for education and workforce development, eliminate key public sector jobs, and **decimate workplace safety agencies.**
✅ **Supports restoring food assistance** so families in New Jersey can afford groceries. ✅ **Will work to make housing more affordable for buyers and renters**, including by cutting red tape and providing **tax credits for first-time home buyers.**	**Affordable food and housing for all?** Catholic teaching affirms that food and housing are universal rights, not privileges reserved for the wealthy. *(Compendium of the Social Doctrine of the Church, #166)*	❌ **Voted** to **cut $187 billion from our largest anti-hunger program to pay for tax cuts for the wealthy.** This has taken away food from more than **62,235 New Jerseyans** — including children, seniors, veterans, parents of teenagers, and former foster youth.

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✅ **Plans to make raising a family more affordable by providing paid family leave, capping childcare costs**, and expanding tax credits.	**An economy that helps families over billionaires?** Catholic teaching calls for an economy that places people over profit and ensures that we all have what we need to thrive. *(Populorum Progressio, #33)*	❌ **Voted to give $4.5 trillion in tax cuts, nearly all to the wealthiest Americans**, averaging more than $64,720 in tax cuts for the top 1%, paid for by taking away health care, food, home energy upgrades, and climate protections from our communities.
✅ **Supports commonsense gun safety reform** and expanding access to mental health resources. ✅ **Supports a fair immigration system** that upholds due process and includes humane alternatives to detention and pathways that keep families together.	**Safe and welcoming neighborhoods?** Catholic doctrine recognizes every person's intrinsic dignity, the right to live free of violence, and the right to migrate to seek a safe and good life for ourselves and our families. *(USCCB, Strangers No Longer, #103)*	❌ **Voted to give ICE and border patrol $170.7 billion for mass detention and deportations** that separated families, brought violence to our neighborhoods, and resulted in the killing of American citizens.
✅ **Will invest in climate resilient infrastructure projects** that protect New Jersey from storm and flood damage and create good-paying jobs. ✅ **Will work to get pollutants out** of the air we breathe and water we drink.	**Affordable energy, safe drinking water, clean air?** Care for the earth is a requirement of the Catholic faith. *(Laudato Si', #8)*	❌ **Voted to prematurely end $543 billion in clean energy tax incentives** that could have lowered costs for families, in order to line the pockets of wealthy oil and gas corporations.
✅ **Pledges to reject corporate PAC money** and end dark money in politics. ✅ **Will defend the right to vote** and advance anti-corruption reforms.	**Our right to vote?** The Catholic faith calls each of us to participate in public life, especially through voting, to serve the common good. *(Christifidelis Laici, #42; Catechism of the Catholic Church #2240)*	❌ **Voted to make it harder for millions of eligible U.S. citizens to vote.**

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