

2019

ANNUAL REPORT

Providing healing and hope to children in need



261,691

**children and individuals
impacted**



10,243,026

meals provided



826,439

**diapers collected for
children in our care**



473,076

**household items, clothing,
furniture and toys provided to
children and families**



1,691

**foster children served in
loving Christian homes**



319

**victims of sex trafficking
served**



151

**single moms and children
served through our Single
Moms program**



11,745

**global child
sponsorships**



1,634,685

**meals provided through our
Backpack Meals program**



91,577

volunteer hours provided





I used to plant a garden every spring with my dad. We looked through catalogs, ordered seeds, waited for them to be mailed, prepared the soil and watched the plants grow until harvest.

Dad always let me pick one vegetable of any kind. I would pick something unique and watch it develop. It now sounds strange to me that as a child I looked forward to watching healthy vegetables grow. (In reality, the squash was always fried when we ate it!) However, those memories are really about my time with my dad and seeing how God can make something special out of almost nothing.

This past year, our teams worked daily to serve foster children, hungry children, trafficked children, single moms and struggling families. As we reflect on what was accomplished, we know God was the one who brought the harvest in 2019.

I think about a young girl who was a victim of sex trafficking for years, constantly coerced back into a life of exploitation by manipulative predators. She was waiting for proof there was some other way for her to survive or evidence that someone actually cared. Then, one night in desperation, she called our 24/7 hotline, and a conversation with one of our survivor mentors started her down a path to healing.

Late last year, one of our foster families picked up 4-week-old Johnnie* from the hospital, and he just laid still most of the time, his arms tightly pulled

toward his chest, due to complications from an injury suffered during his first weeks of life. But by being in a safe, loving, nurturing foster home, he began to gain weight, wiggle and move more often, and even smile. Now he is a wide-eyed happy boy with a bright future.

These are just two examples of thousands I could share with you from this past year of how God has been faithful to grow beautiful redemption stories out of seeds we have sown and our employees, partners and friends have helped cultivate.

In 2019, we met the needs of 261,691 children and individuals locally and globally, meeting them in difficult circumstances, providing them resources and showing them paths toward better lives.

Thank you for your financial gifts, your prayers, your mission teams and your volunteerism that helped make it possible.

Jerry T. Haag, Ph.D., CFP®
President/CEO, FBCH + One More Child

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Steps Toward Helping One More Child in 2019

New doors opened, new partners stepped in, God was faithful to hear our prayer to “Give us the world for children,” and we served more children and families than ever before. Here is a sample of some of the ways our expertise, compassion and vision drove us to new heights to meet our mission of helping “one more” child.



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Our compassion centers are changing the lives of families, foster children and single moms. National leaders took notice in 2019, as officials from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services initiated a partnership with One More Child to expand our impact nationally.



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We celebrated Beverly Cooley, our **2019 FOSTER PARENT OF THE YEAR**. Beverly is one of thousands of foster parents nationwide who run toward hurting children with open arms to provide them with safe, stable homes where they can thrive.



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The generosity of our donors and partners helped give families in need a fresh start at life! One of these partners, GEICO, provided cars to wonderful families who are on their way to self-sufficiency.





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Our president/CEO, Dr. Jerry Haag, was appointed as the chair of the Florida Faith-Based and Community-Based Advisory Council for 2020. The government-appointed council maximizes collaboration between faith-based and community organizations to help strengthen individuals and families!



Partnerships with colleges and universities engaged students to help them make an impact for children in their communities!

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We partnered with LYRIC ROSS, known for her role as a foster child on NBC's Emmy-winning drama "This is Us" to shine a spotlight on the foster care crisis and to celebrate our foster families who are making a difference for children.



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As part of our journey to collect more than 800,000 diapers for children, we were able to collect and send 50,000 diapers to bless children and families in the Bahamas who were impacted by the devastation caused by Hurricane Dorian.



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We **provided life-changing and life-giving medical care** through incredible volunteers who joined us on medical mission trips in countries such as Colombia and Guatemala.



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We broke ground on the **Azinger Family Compassion Center** in Bradenton thanks to the generosity and vision of partners and donors, including former PGA champion golfer Paul Azinger and his wife, Toni. We estimate we will serve more than 12,000 children and individuals and provide more than 4 million meals in the first five years alone.



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Everything we do is laser-focused on helping one more child. We launched national initiatives for individuals, churches and businesses to help meet crucial needs. Check out page 20 to learn how you can be a hero for a child.



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We raised more than 1 MILLION MEALS through our Celebration Ball to fill the bellies of hungry children by packing backpacks full of food and bringing people together to meet the needs of the children we serve.

We are providing pivotal resources to Venezuelan refugee children and families in Colombia who have fled home in search of safety and stability.

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We are on the front lines **FIGHTING AGAINST CHILD SEX TRAFFICKING**, lending expertise to law enforcement during trafficking stings and providing crucial services to victims 24/7. Through our anti-trafficking program at Baylor University in Texas, we compelled college students to take action to stop trafficking through their influence and initiative.

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In Pensacola, we are responding to the urgent needs of children of all ages through expansion. Our **SINGLE MOMS PROGRAM** is growing and we are building new Foster Family Homes, where licensed foster families will live rent-free as they provide unconditional love to teens and large sibling groups.



In Sarasota, more brave single moms will have the resources and extended “family” needed to provide their children with a brighter future thanks to our new campus.



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The impact of **AMAZING VOLUNTEERS** has never been greater. Through special events such as Comcast Cares Day, Publix Serves Day, Keller Williams Red Day and more, businesses, churches and individuals helped us reach more children by using their special gifts.



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Our **GLOBAL CHILD SPONSORSHIP** program is taking children from lives of uncertainty and poverty to a place where their nutritional, educational, spiritual and medical needs are met. For just \$35 per month you can transform the life and eternity of a child and his or her family!



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We are locking arms and hearts with children, teens and families facing challenges in **INNER-CITY TAMPA** through work with city leaders and churches at our HopeStreet campus.

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We officially celebrated the **COMPLETION** of a 94-home community in the Dominican Republic, where families are having their needs met and a legacy of a Christ-centered community is being built for generations to come.



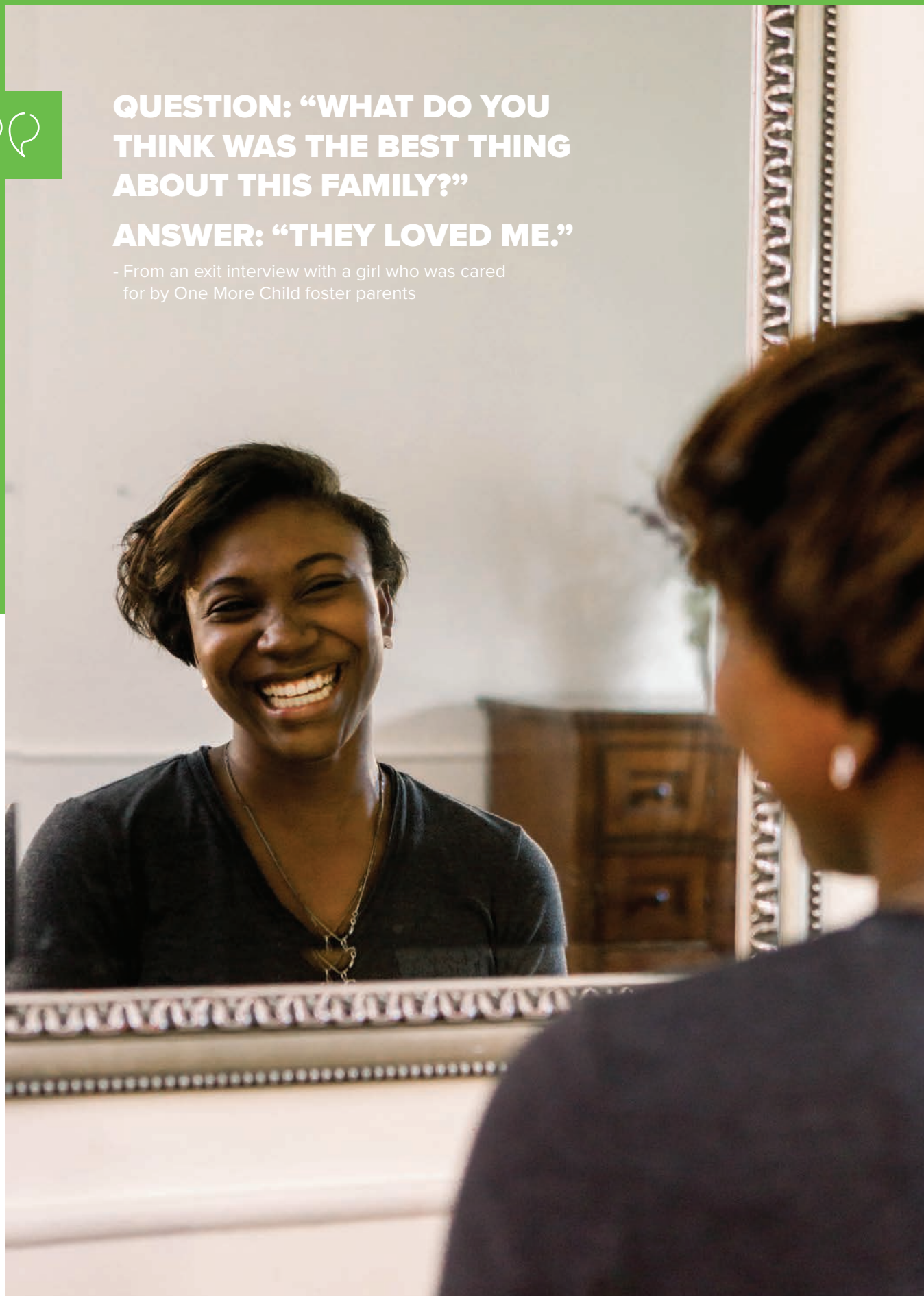
FOSTER CARE



QUESTION: “WHAT DO YOU THINK WAS THE BEST THING ABOUT THIS FAMILY?”

ANSWER: “THEY LOVED ME.”

- From an exit interview with a girl who was cared for by One More Child foster parents





1,691

FOSTER CHILDREN CARED
FOR IN LOVING CHRISTIAN
HOMES



166,837

DAYS OF CARE PROVIDED TO
FOSTER CHILDREN



89

CHILDREN ADOPTED
INTO LOVING, CHRISTIAN
FOREVER FAMILIES

Here's the How

- More than 430,000 children were in foster care across America in 2019.
- Our expert compassionate staff guide you through the process of becoming licensed foster parents.
- We provide the support and resources needed for foster parents to thrive.
- Our innovative Foster Crew model helps connect local churches with the needs of foster families in their community.
- In some locations, we have Foster Family Homes, which are rent-free homes that provide licensed foster parents the space and amenities necessary to care for large sibling groups and teens.
- The best place for a foster child is a safe, stable home with a family who will love them until permanent plans are established.

Gabbie Kramer remembers saying, "Don't even call us for those kids," referring to bringing teenage foster children into her home.

But one day when the phone rang with an opportunity to provide 14-year-old Paul and his 13-year-old sister, Galaxie, a loving, stable home, God gave Gabbie and her husband Jason the peace to say "Yes" despite being parents to two young boys.

Remarkably, it was an answer to prayer for a longing mother behind bars who was ready to break free from her past.

Pamela, the teens' mother, had struggled with addiction and painful relationships for years, and in her words, her children were "living in chaos for years."

One day in jail, a bunkmate shared the Gospel with Pamela, and that night, Pamela gave her life to the Lord. She said in that moment her craving for drugs vanished, and soon after, she started asking God to send help to her children who were still in a very precarious situation.

"I was praying, 'God, please let them go to a church-going,

God-fearing family' so they could find the Lord. And they ended up with Jason and Gabbie. Prayer works so much, and God is just so powerful..." she said.

Paul and Galaxie were so deeply impacted by the love of God demonstrated by the Kramers and people at their church that they both made the decision to be baptized.

Pamela, who is on track to be reunited with her children in the near future, said Gabbie and Jason are now "family to her" and that their example as foster parents helped her children mature and understand what it means to love God and love others.

"Their hearts are full now – of joy and happiness and love," Pamela says of her children. "It wasn't like that before. They had a lot of anger and animosity because it's what they were growing up around."



ANTI-TRAFFICKING



**I LEARNED HOW
TO LISTEN TO MY
'GUT FEELING'
AND TO SAY
'NO' TO PEOPLE
AND TO TRUST
MYSELF AGAIN.
I LEARNED THAT
OTHER PEOPLE
DO NOT HAVE
AUTHORITY OVER
MY LIFE - I DO."**

- Trafficking survivor who was trafficked for more than a decade prior to being cared for by One More Child



319

VICTIMS OF SEX TRAFFICKING
SERVED



292

CASES WORKED BY OUR
24/7 MOBILE TEAMS



18,638

PEOPLE IMPACTED THROUGH
EDUCATION, ADVOCACY AND
AWARENESS

Here's the How

- There are as many as 10,500 underage youth involved in the sex trade each year in the United States.¹
- We work diligently to stop child sex trafficking, educate and train people how to fight child trafficking, and provide resources and restoration to victims.
- We participate in trafficking stings with law enforcement and provide immediate resources for children, teens and young adults who have been trafficked.
- We offer world class training to hospitals, schools and even government leaders around the globe.
- We have a state-certified safe home in an undisclosed location in Florida where we work 24/7 with victims of trafficking.

¹ "Youth Involvement in the Sex Trade," by the Center for Court Innovation, 2016.

When Michelle* entered our safe home as a teenager, she hated it, and she wanted to leave as soon as possible.

From a young age, Michelle trusted no one except herself because when she came home from school, she wasn't playing with dolls or watching cartoons – she was being sold for sex by her mom.

The safe home was just another place where she had to interact with new people, and for most of her life, people had let her down.

The safe home is also a place where one of our coaches, Kathy, has a secret macaroni and cheese casserole recipe. And it just so happens that macaroni and cheese is one of Michelle's favorite things in the entire world!

Sitting and talking over plates of mac and cheese is where Michelle eventually opened up and realized she could trust our staff with the most vulnerable pieces of her soul.

Michelle learned ways she could find healing and freedom from her past and made incredible strides under the guidance of people, like Kathy, who are clinically trained and have hearts filled with compassion for girls like Michelle.

Michelle chose to commit her life to Christ while in our care, and she is now taking her experience of redemption and encouraging other trafficking survivors and foster children who have experienced similar grief and pain.

She is a college student and a worship leader at her church, and she is a testament that God can use anything, even macaroni and cheese, to reflect His love.

*Name has been changed for confidentiality reasons.



SINGLE MOMS



TO HAVE A PLACE LIKE THIS, TO NOT ONLY PROVIDE OUR NEEDS BUT ALSO SOME WANTS, IS BEYOND A BLESSING. IT HELPS ME TEACH MY GIRLS THAT GOD PROVIDES IN MANY WAYS AND NEVER LETS US DOWN.”

SHANNON

A mother in our Single Moms program





151

SINGLE MOMS AND
CHILDREN SERVED



18,990

DAYS OF CARE PROVIDED



84%

OF MOMS SUCCESSFULLY
COMPLETED THE PROGRAM

Trevion was approaching his ninth birthday when he and his mom, Renny, went to stay at an emergency shelter. He doesn't remember much about being homeless, but he does remember feeling alone.

The only sure thing at that time was his mom, and her prayers and belief that things would turn around. So, Trevion believed, too.

God answered their prayers as they came to live on one of our campuses. Renny dedicated herself to our Single Moms program, learning new skills to become self-sufficient. She learned to better manage her finances, she was gifted a car by GEICO, and she and Trevion were wrapped around with life-changing support that pointed them back to Jesus.

This past Christmas, Renny and Trevion celebrated around their very own Christmas tree in their own home.

We celebrate the powerful victories we are seeing in single mother families all over, proving that just because a family is down, doesn't mean they are done!

Here's the How

- More than 24 millions children in the United States live in single-parent homes, the majority with single moms.
- Sometimes these moms are without a support system and extended family to help them during challenges.
- Many of our campuses have homes for single moms and their children to live in for 9-12 months.
- Our program focuses on giving single moms skills to advance in their careers and to become better parents, as well as provide opportunities for spiritual and social growth.
- Churches partner with us to host Single Moms Community Programs to assist families in their community.



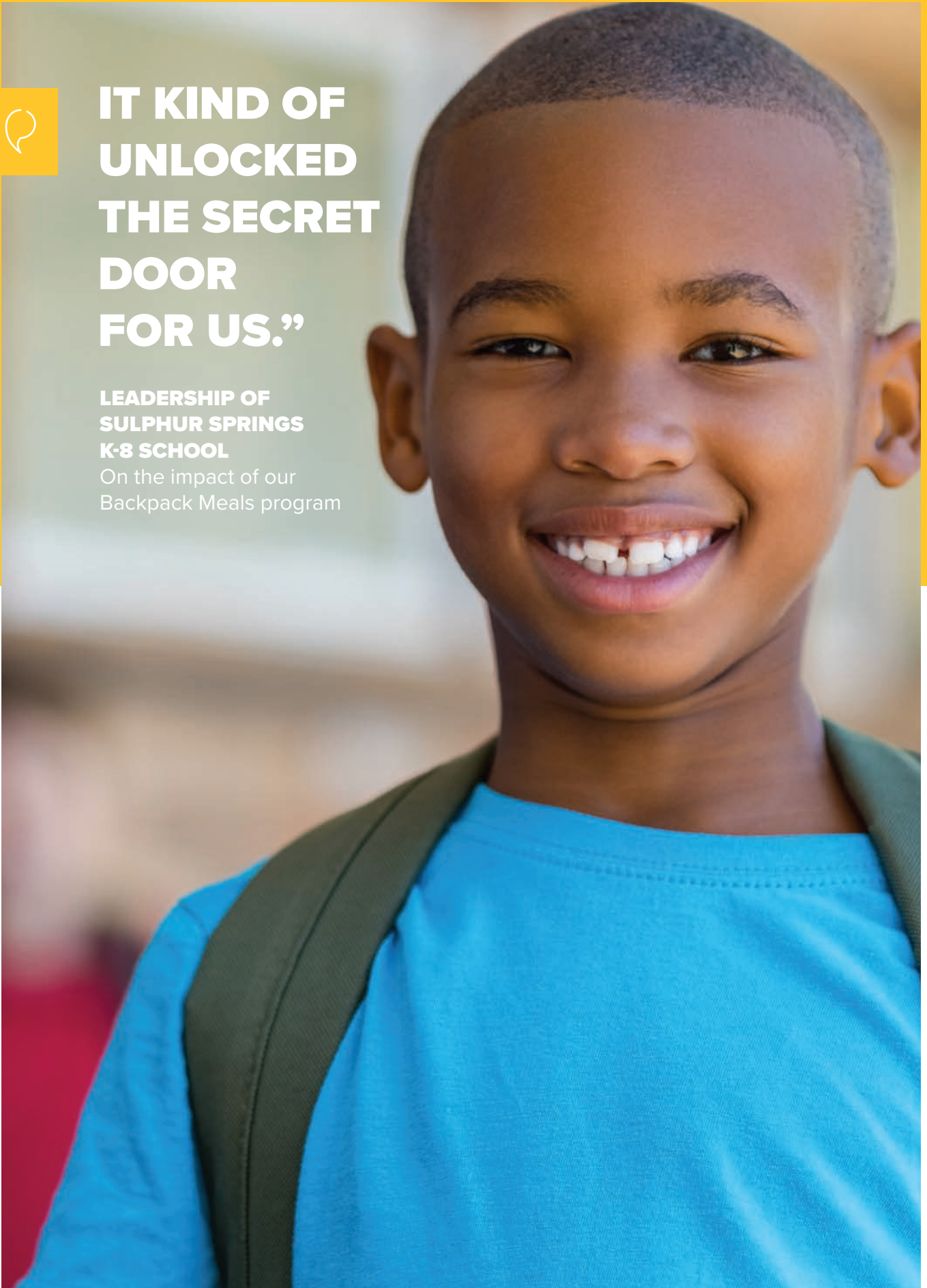
CHILD HUNGER



**IT KIND OF
UNLOCKED
THE SECRET
DOOR
FOR US.”**

**LEADERSHIP OF
SULPHUR SPRINGS
K-8 SCHOOL**

On the impact of our
Backpack Meals program





10,243,026

TOTAL MEALS PROVIDED



1,634,685

MEALS PROVIDED
THROUGH OUR BACKPACK
MEALS PROGRAM



1,041,780

MEALS RAISED BY
BUSINESSES, CHURCHES AND
PARTNERS THROUGH OUR
CELEBRATION BALL

Curtiss*, like many other students in the community you live in, struggled to find food to fill his belly over the weekend.

He had trouble managing his diabetes due to food insecurity and the constant need to eat food to keep his blood sugar regulated. You can only imagine how difficult it was for him to focus in school.

Through our Backpack Meals program, Curtiss now receives food every Friday for the weekend, which allows him to come to school on Monday with his belly full and his mind ready to learn.

Curtiss is no longer insulin-dependent, and the nutritious food we provide him has helped him regulate his blood sugar.

“Not only do I get the chance to eat at home on the weekend, every day when I need it, there is a snack in the resource room because of you!” Curtiss said.

One of our staff said Curtiss heads back to class with the biggest smile on his face on Fridays.

“I believe he holds his head high knowing there is a God who loves him and a group of people that provide for him through this ministry.”

*Name has been changed for confidentiality reasons.

Here's the How

- 1 in 7 children in the United States worry about where their next meal will come from, and globally there are an estimated 200 million children stunted due to malnutrition.¹
- Food is a basic necessity that we love to provide children and families, and when we meet needs we begin to build life-changing relationships.
- Our Backpack Meals program partners with schools to provide backpacks full of food for children who may go hungry on the weekend.
- Our Meal Packing program provides a simple, creative solution for businesses, churches and families to supply thousands of meals to children locally and globally with just a few hours of work.
- Food baskets and regular meals are a big component of our global Child Sponsorship program.

¹ “State of the World’s Children 2019,” UNICEF, 2019.





**EVERY DAY WE
MOVE RAPIDLY
TOWARD CHILDREN
ALL AROUND THE
WORLD WHOSE
LIVES AND
ETERNITIES ARE AT
STAKE. IT IS OUR
RESPONSIBILITY
TO SHOWER
THEM WITH LOVE
AND TRUTH FOR
GOD'S GLORY
AND TO BUILD HIS
KINGDOM."**

DR. JERRY HAAG
President/CEO



1,937,049

MEALS SERVED GLOBALLY



11,745

CHILDREN SPONSORED
THROUGH INDIVIDUAL AND
GROUP SPONSORSHIP



897

MISSION TEAM
MEMBERS WHO SERVED
GLOBALLY WITH US

Imagine being 8 years old and carrying the weight of your family on your shoulders with the help of your single mom.

Imagine also that the summer heat is blazing, the community you live in is in the midst of a severe drought, and necessities like work, water and nutritious food are hard to come by.

That was the reality of life for Adinson, a boy in the Dominican Republic, before a family decided to sponsor him.

Now, each morning, he walks with his sisters to a church where they receive a meal as part of our daily feeding program. A full belly helps the children focus in school, and nutrition is paramount for one of Adinson's sisters who suffers from a birth defect in her left ear.

In 2019, Adinson had the opportunity to meet his sponsors and enjoy meals where they shared laughter, stories and of course, food.

His eyes lit up at the variety of food, and his jaw dropped when sizzling hamburgers and hotdogs were served.

The best part of the meals was at the end of lunch each day. Adinson would lean back in his chair, rub his belly and say, "Man, I feel like a pig!"

Here's the How

- As of the end of 2019, we were providing for children and families in need in 13 countries including the United States.
- We have built and supported entire communities, schools, police stations and more to bring hope and stability to children around the world.
- Through Child Sponsorship, you can provide a child necessities such as food, education, medical care and more for just \$35 per month.
- Year-round we lead short-term mission trips to countries in Africa, Central America, Europe and South America where individuals and groups provide long-lasting impact in a variety of ways.



Adinson and his siblings enjoy the blessing of nutritious food and loving community through our Child Sponsorship program and feeding program

FAMILY SUPPORT



**YOU CAN
EXPERIENCE
A DIFFERENT
PART OF LIFE.
WE WERE
EXISTING,
BUT WEREN'T
REALLY LIVING."**

MELINDA

Member of a family
served by our Family
Support program





2,653

CHILDREN AND FAMILIES
SERVED THROUGH FAMILY
SUPPORT



256

LIFE SKILLS CLASSES
HELD TO DEVELOP
SELF-SUFFICIENCY

Here's the How

- With a combination of our expert staff, caring volunteers and partnerships with dedicated professionals and mentors, we focus on helping families in need become self-sufficient again.
- Our 12-month program helps families build their faith, develop skills and relationships and improve the home environment children are raised in.
- Life skills workshops are essential to the growth of individuals and families.
- Our Family Advocates provide regular one-on-one communication and support to families.
- We provide resources such as clothing, tax preparation, food, diapers and more to families that meet requirements.

“You do what you gotta do,” said Shannon, about how she and her husband managed to scrape by to provide for their young daughter, even though it meant a heavy dose of dollar-store hotdogs and well-worn, used furniture for their home.

But when Shannon became pregnant again, she went from being resigned to their situation to anxious about how they were going to survive.

Her worry hit a peak the first few months of her son's life, but a church partner of One More Child shared with her the kind of help she could expect from our Family Support program.

All of a sudden, she had access to infant formula for her son – meaning hundreds of dollars saved and proper nutrition for the growing boy.

All of a sudden, the family had a place to go to get new clothes that the daughter exclaims, “It's like shopping!”

Shannon enrolled in our program and started seeing incredible personal growth from budgeting classes, parenting workshops and learning how to build a better résumé.

Most importantly, Shannon said our staff and volunteers have become like extended family, and her daughter anticipates seeing her friends at our Compassion Center and making crafts at some of our family events.



Be a Hero in the Life of a Child

No matter where you live, you can be a hero in the life of a hungry child, foster child, trafficked child, single mom or family in need. Join us on the mission field all year long by starting one of the following programs.



Foster Crew

A Foster Crew is a ministry of the local church partnering with One More Child to mobilize church members to walk alongside foster families on their adventures. Churches form crews of volunteers to provide services such as meals, household services, babysitting, prayer, encouragement and more.



Backpack Meals Program

Put food in the hands of hungry school children during the weekends, so they can focus on school and grow healthy and strong. Adopt a school and start seeing immediate and long-term results in your community.



Single Moms Community Program

Launch a life-changing outreach that will strengthen single-mom families and provide a path to self-sufficiency for brave mothers and their children. We have all the resources to help you get started.

Traffick Stop Action Network

Join our Facebook group, start a Traffick Stop chapter at a university or host a Traffick Stop event. Your prayers, voice and actions will bring help and hope to victims of sex trafficking.



Global Missions

Gather your friends and family to go on a life-changing mission trip. We focus on the logistics, so you can focus on your Gospel ministry.

Meal Packing Party

Gather your friends, business, church or family for a party with a purpose as you help provide meals for hungry children around the world.



READY TO BE A HERO FOR CHILDREN?

Email us at engage@onemorechild.org or visit onemorechild.org/network to get started.

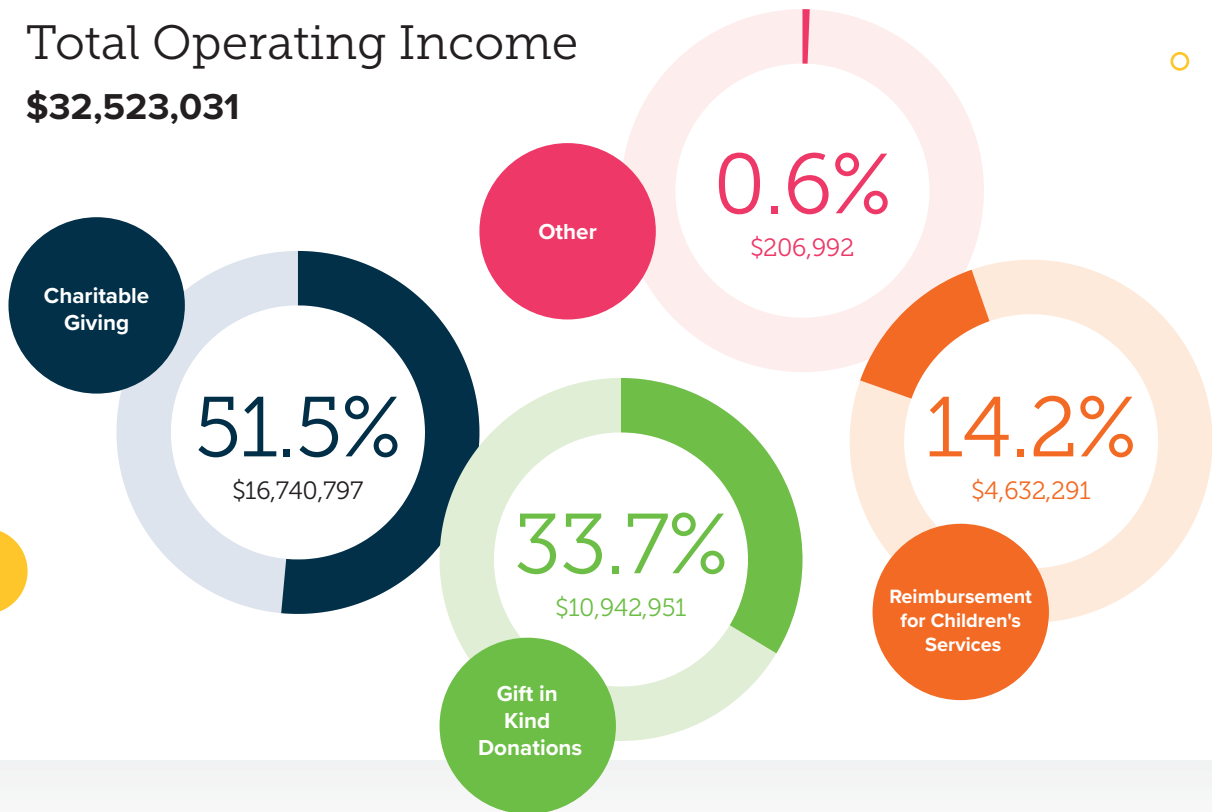
Child Sponsorship

Sponsor a child or a feeding program to feed an entire village. Your gift of just \$35 per month provides life-changing food, clothes, school supplies, medicine and educational opportunities for a child. We meet their needs and share with them the transforming love of Jesus Christ.

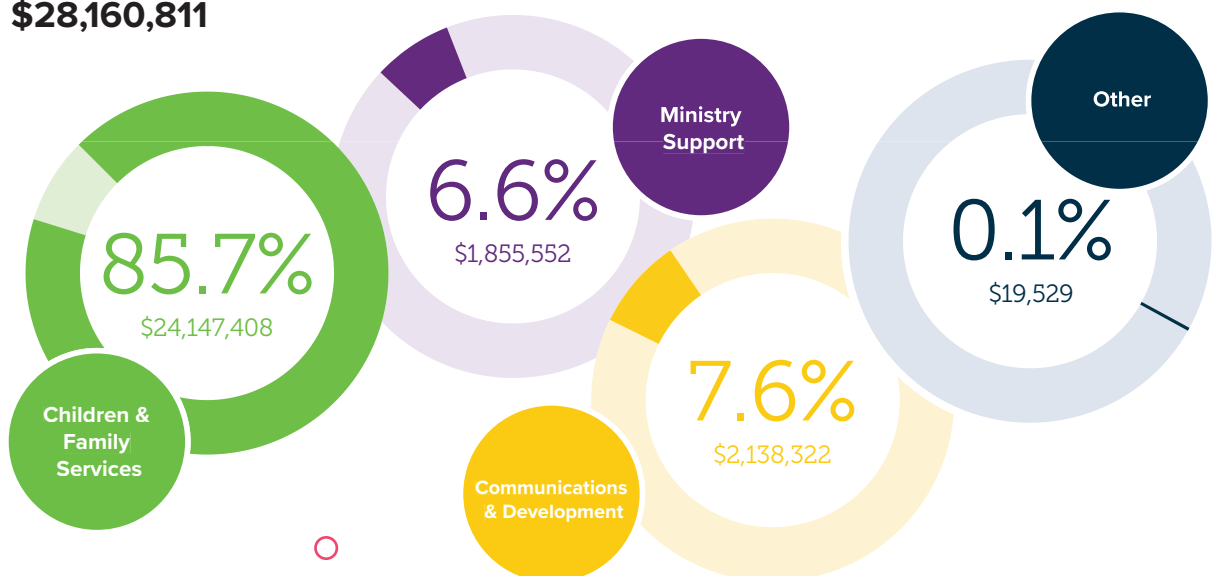


2019 Financial Snapshot

Total Operating Income \$32,523,031



Total Operating Expenses \$28,160,811



\$3,759,780 of Charitable Giving Income from temporarily restricted gifts was set aside for future designated expenses.

An additional \$513,000 in designated gifts was added to the One More Child Foundation to benefit Florida Baptist Children's Homes and One More Child.

Any surplus beyond working capital needs is added to the endowment and/or designated for future projects.

We cannot do what we do to change the lives of children and families without incredible ongoing support that inspires us and expands the opportunities we have. Every gift from a nickel to a large estate gift helps us help one more child. Here are a few special partners who helped us say "Yes" more than ever before in 2019.



Many know the GEICO motto focuses on saving people money in 15 minutes or less, but this year, they partnered with us to change lives.

One example was when GEICO blessed Destiny, one of our brave Single Moms, and her 6-year-old daughter, Amani, with a newly refurbished 2018 Jeep Compass!

Together with partners, including Charity Cars and Tallahassee Ford Lincoln, GEICO handed over keys that will help Destiny drive into her future, as a strong, spiritually sound and self-sufficient mama. This was one of three vehicles GEICO blessed us with this year!

GEICO employees are also often found sacrificing time during their lunch breaks to pack meals for hungry children in their communities.



The beloved supermarket chain has proven it receives pleasure from more than just happy shoppers; it also receives joy from making incredible impacts for children and families.

Publix continually steps up to provide food and funding that helps us fight child hunger and strengthen families.

Each year, employees come together for Publix Serves Day, where crucial projects on our campuses are tackled, meals are packed to bless many, and the flood of green shirts and smiles demonstrates the kind of partner we have in Publix 365 days a year.



The multinational retailer is a leading partner of One More Child, regularly helping us provide necessities like car seats, vacuums and home goods to families we serve.

They have been generous to provide financial support to our Backpack Meals program, ensuring students don't go hungry on the weekend.

Through an annual Walmart Serves Day, employees paint, clean, sort and complete projects that bless the children and families we serve.






It's normal for people to think about investments when they see the name Wells Fargo, they just might not recognize the kind of compounding interest the financial institution is doling out in communities.

Wells Fargo employees are committed to helping families in our Single Moms and Family Support programs learn how to budget, save and make wise financial decisions that will move their families forward.

They teach classes in both Spanish and English, walking families through the kind of courses that can make an impact for generations to come.

Thank you for the gift of your prayers,
your financial contributions, your time
and your genuine love for children
and families that allow us to meet their
immediate needs and share with them
the love of Jesus Christ.

Join the ongoing conversation about how the lives of children and families are being changed
by engaging with us on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter.   

For more information, contact us at children@onemorechild.org or **863.687.8811**.



FLORIDA  BAPTIST
**Children's
Homes**

**ONE
MORE
CHILD** 