



Live 2 Give Hope



Annual Impact Report

2024



Everyone deserves a place to feel safe

While the year presented many challenges, Live 2 Give Hope remained steadfast in its mission to empower individuals in our community. Through immediate support, opportunities for long-term growth, and meaningful connections, we worked to instill a lasting sense of hope. With a special focus on those impacted by the child welfare system, our goal has always been to uplift lives, not just for today, but for the future and for eternity. ~~~~~

—————→ Children in Foster Care ←————

17,850

Missouri

4293

Southwest

413

26th Circuit

169

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Data from the 2024 Children's Division Annual Report



"Hope is more than a word – it's the smiles of children who feel safe, the relief of families who feel supported, and the transformation that happens when a community comes together. In 2024, we saw hope in action, and it changed lives."

– Laquita Angst, Founder & Executive Director

500+

Families
Receiving
Services

168

Trained in Child
Sexual Abuse
Prevention

\$488,000

Direct Client Need Support



Fostering Hope Closet

Family Resource
Center

- 2609 Client Visits
- 116 Mattresses & 95 Beds
- 50 Hope for the Journey Bags
- 20 Car Seats & 8000 Diapers
- 31,227 Clothing Items



Kids' Night Out

Monthly Respite
Program

- 1115 Client Visits
- 195 Children in 96 Families



Paving the Way

Summer Youth
Program

- 80 Hours for 8 Youth
 - Driving & Vehicle Care
 - Financial Fundamentals
 - Career Readiness
 - Culinary & Life Skills



Hope Reunited

Family Advocacy
Program

- 17 Children in 5 Families
- 127 Client Meetings
- 17 FSTs & 5 Court Hearings



Safe MO Kids

Child Sexual Abuse
Prevention &
Victim Support

- 168 Trained
- 10 Women Supported
- 4 Retreat Participants

Beyond Today

Our Vision for the Future

2025-2028 Goals

Enhance client services and improve operational efficiency.

- ☐ Secure our Facility
- ☒ Renovate our Space
- ☐ Expand our Facility

Expand the Paving the Way program to reach more youth in additional counties, equipping them with essential life skills.

- ☒ Buffalo in 2025
- ☐ Lake Area in 2026
- ☐ Rolla in 2027
- ☐ Ava in 2028

Strengthen prevention initiatives to keep families intact and reduce the number of children entering foster care.

- ☐ Conduct New Client Intake
- ☐ Assessments
- ☐ Develop Family Strengthening Courses
- ☐ Implement Regular Follow-Ups



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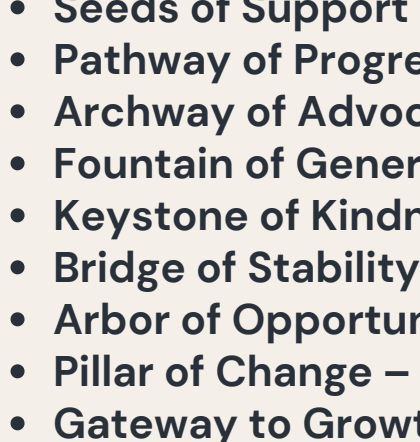
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Scan the QR code or visit <https://live2givehope.org/get-involved/> to stay informed on our latest updates and opportunities!

Growing Hope

Live 2 Give Hope has a rare opportunity to secure our facility, ensuring lasting stability for foster, kinship, guardianship, and adoptive families. Qualifying donations receive a **70% Missouri NAP tax credit**, making this a powerful way to invest in children's futures.

Donors can leave a lasting legacy with recognition on our **Garden of Hope Donor Wall**—a symbol of security, healing, and renewal for families in need. Together, we can build a foundation of safety, love, and opportunity for generations to come.

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- **Seeds of Support – \$250**
 - **Pathway of Progress – \$500**
 - **Archway of Advocacy – \$1000**
 - **Fountain of Generosity – \$2,500**
 - **Keystone of Kindness – \$5,000**
 - **Bridge of Stability – \$10,000**
 - **Arbor of Opportunity – \$25,000**
 - **Pillar of Change – \$50,000**
 - **Gateway to Growth – \$100,000+**



Grow With Us

Invest in a Future of Hope



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Scan the QR code or visit <https://live2givehope.org/donations/> to build a lasting legacy of hope & transformation!

We'd like to thank all our donors for their generous support

Acknowledgements

The ability to secure, renovate, and expand our facility is made possible by generous donors through the Missouri Department of Economic Development Neighborhood Assistance Program, offering **70% tax credits** to eligible donors. Contact us to learn more and be part of our legacy of hope!



Expansion of our Paving the Way program is made possible through a grant from the Missouri Department of Transportation.



A generous grant through Lebanon Area Foundation's Community Cares in 2024 assisted with facility expenses including rent and utilities to keep our doors open!



JustServe provided consistent support, encouragement, essential supplies, and volunteers at numerous events throughout 2024.



We wish we could name them all individually, but countless businesses, churches, individuals, and organizations generously donated their time, talent, and treasure to support the foster care community, and we could not be more appreciative for their support.

