



CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY OF MINNESOTA

ANNUAL REPORT | FISCAL YEAR 2016 | 2017 CALENDAR



217 CHILDREN
ADOPTED THROUGH
CHILDREN'S HOME & LSS

OUR YEAR AT A GLANCE

GLOBAL FAMILY SUPPORT
EFFORTS PRESENT IN
16 COUNTRIES



● CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY OF MINNESOTA ● LUTHERAN SOCIAL SERVICE OF MINNESOTA ● GLOBAL FAMILY SUPPORT

DEAR FRIENDS,

Because of you and your generous, heartfelt support of our work, more than 200 children now have permanent families of their own. We are able to do what we do, not only because of your financial gifts but also because your caring extends to sharing your time and talent. Your partnership helps us do more, reach more families and stay resilient in the face of changing needs.

Adoption has changed significantly in recent years. International adoptions are declining as the face of global politics changes country participation. Current trends in domestic foster care and adoption highlight the urgent need for more families as the number of children in care is growing considerably. The increase in the number of children in care needing permanency through adoption may be attributed to such factors as child protection policy changes, an increase in economic disparities and an increase in drug use. According to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Service's Children's Bureau, 112,000 children waited for adoptive families in 2015. Nearly 500 of those children reside in Minnesota.

Yet what has not changed is that behind every number is a child needing a home, a loving family to call their own. They need love, support and permanency. Both here in the U.S. and internationally, children who wait in care can wait for years to find an adoptive family. Many children who wait, both here and abroad, are part of sibling groups, have identified needs or are school-age. We are seeing an increase in the number of sibling groups who wait. Having lost the foundation of their first family,

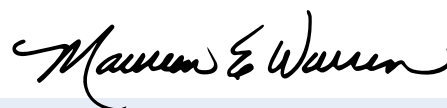
siblings wait to be placed together in an adoptive family. We are also seeing a wide range of children who wait with identified needs, whether that be histories of trauma, abuse and neglect, or physical or developmental differences.

We know we can give a child the foundation of family, love and permanency by helping complete one family at a time. Daily we live our purpose and vision: we believe deeply in the fundamental rights of all children to have security, opportunity and a loving family. We know you deeply believe this too.

Our work is before us as we face these trends and partner with you for support in finding families, stability, permanency and answered hope for the children behind these numbers. We are thankful to have your support in this important work. You help us continue to address these worldwide needs one family to the next, ensuring children of today have a brighter future where they can thrive.

In all we do, domestic and international adoption, post adoption services, birth parent services and global family support, we strive to keep children and families strong. We are deeply grateful you have entrusted your gifts to us.

We look forward to our continued work together as we strive for the best outcomes for children here and around the world.



MAUREEN WARREN
PRESIDENT



PATRICIA KRUEGGER
BOARD CHAIR

OUR MISSION:

We are committed to helping children thrive, and to building, strengthening and sustaining individual, family and community life.



OUR CORE PURPOSE:

We work to give every child security, opportunity and a loving family.

459 individuals

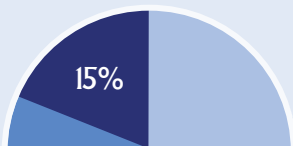
attended our foster care
adoption education classes.



We advocated
for 203 children
internationally in
8 countries who
have special needs,
are older, or are
members of
sibling groups.



217 children
joined their adoptive
families in **2016**.



42 expectant
parents received
Pregnancy
Counseling Services.

4,035 families contacted us
for the first time
to learn about **adoption**.

35%

50%

- International Adoption 109
- Adoption from Foster Care 75
- Domestic Infant Adoption 33

Our staff helped 700
individuals through
Post Adoption Services.

33 infants
joined families through the
Domestic Infant Program.

75 children
living in foster
care were placed
with permanent
adoptive families.



109 children
from 8 countries
joined families through
international adoption.

103 children
in grades K- 8 attended
Adoption Day Camp.

82 youth

in foster care worked with
our staff to identify adoptive
families and positive adult
connections through Child-
Specific Recruitment Services.





APRIL

2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1 April Fool's Day
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10 Passover	11	12	13	14	15
16 Easter	17	18	19	20	21	22 Minnesota Adoption Fair Earth Day
23 30	24	25	26	27	28 Arbor Day	29 Virginia Adoption Fair



We deeply believe in the fundamental human rights of all children to have security, opportunity and a loving family.

Our definition of family: a family consists of two or more people, whether living together or apart, related by blood, marriage, adoption or commitment to care for one another.



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3	4	5 Cinco de Mayo	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14 Mother's Day	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27 Ramadan begins
28	29 Memorial Day	30	31			



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3
4	5 World Environment Day	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18 Father's Day	19 Saint Paul Adoption Day Camp	20 First Day of Summer	21	22	23	24
25 Eid al-Fitr begins Ramadan ends	26	27	28	29	30	



JULY

2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1
2	3	4 Independence Day	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23 Parent's Day	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					



Feel the love! If you are considering opening your arms, your heart, and your home through adoption, come learn more about all our adoption programs and services at a free information session.

chlss.org/events



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
3	4 Labor Day	5	6	7	8	9
10 Grandparents' Day	11	12	13	14	15	16 Stepfamily Day
17	18	19	20 Rosh Hashanah	21 Islamic New Year	22 First Day of Autumn	23
24	25	26	27	28	29 Yom Kippur	30



With your consistent financial gifts, we can create more loving families for children who need them. You support efforts around the world that lead to child well-being and happy families.

Consider becoming a monthly sustainer. chlss.org/donate



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9 Columbus Day	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28 Minnesota Adoption Fair
29	30	31 Halloween				



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
5 Daylight Saving Time Ends	6	7	8	9	10	11 Veterans Day
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19 National Adoption Day	20	21	22	23 Thanksgiving	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		



DECEMBER

2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12 Hanukkah	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21 First Day of Winter	22	23
24 New Year's Eve 31	25 Christmas	26 Kwanzaa	27	28	29	30



Honor the parental figure in your life who made all the difference – it only takes one to make a difference in the life of a child. Gifts to Children's Home can be made in memory or in honor of a loved one.

chlss.org/donate



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 New Year's Day	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 Martin Luther King Jr. Day	16 Chinese New Year	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 National Freedom Day	2 Groundhog Day	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14 Valentine's Day	15	16	17
18	19 Presidents Day	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28			



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8 International Women's Day	9	10
11 Daylight Saving Time begins	12	13	14	15	16	17 St. Patrick's Day
18	19	20 First Day of Spring	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31



THANK YOU

In FY16 (July 1, 2015 - June 30, 2016), the Adoption Programs of Children's Home Society and Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota joined 217 children with adoptive families and provided more than 5,200 individuals with adoption, post adoption and pregnancy support. This work is only possible because of your heartfelt compassion for children and families and the generous gifts you have made to help sustain the work of Children's Home. We are deeply grateful you have chosen to partner with us in changing children's lives for the better.

\$100,000+

CORPORATIONS & FOUNDATIONS

James Daniel Humphrey Foundation

\$25,000 - \$99,999

CORPORATIONS & FOUNDATIONS

Fred C. and Katherine B.

Andersen Foundation

Driscoll Foundation

Otto Bremer Foundation

The Saint Paul Foundation

INDIVIDUALS

Marcy & Randy Betcher

Colleen & Pat Bollom

\$15,000 - \$24,999

CORPORATIONS & FOUNDATIONS

Cargill MacMillan, Jr. Charitable

Trust of The Dorsey and

Whitney Foundation

The Richard M. Schulze

Family Foundation

INDIVIDUALS

Deb & William Fisher

Lisa & Lance Novak

\$10,000 - \$14,999

CORPORATIONS & FOUNDATIONS

The Hubbard Broadcasting

Foundation

R. C. Lilly Foundation

Walser Foundation

INDIVIDUALS

*William A. Borry

Diana & Stephen Coxsey

Corey Sauer

Roxanne & William Soth

Karen Steiner & William Dickey

Yonok & C. Nick Zeller

Joanne & Steve Zenz

\$5,000 - \$9,999

CORPORATIONS & FOUNDATIONS

BNSF Railway Company

Carlock Family Foundation

Joseph C. Duke Foundation

Hardenbergh Foundation

IBM Employee Services Center

Margaret H. & James E.

Kelley Foundation

LRE Foundation

Minnesota Vikings Children's Fund

The Patch Foundation

Margaret Rivers Fund

The Stand Up Foundation

Wright-Hennepin Cooperative

Electric Association

INDIVIDUALS

Elizabeth Anne Doyle

Ralph D. Ebbott

Julie & Kevin Eichhorn

Faye & Thomas Flaherty

Cheryl & Mark Heley

*Nell & *Etlar Henningsen

Victoria V. Henry

*Francis & *Clarence Holden

*Paul L. Klungtvedt

Jennifer & Richard Martin

Nancy & Roger McCabe

Tina & Stuart McKenna

*Jeanne Mithun

Tracy & Thomas Murphy

Lisa Novotny & Mark Flaten

Marcia & Thomas Ochs

Kathy & Peter Parten

Lynn & Peter Ramme

JoEllyn & Dean Rustad

Karen & Steve Sanger

Margaret & Hugh Schilling

*F. Lenore & *Henry Todd

David K. Whitney

\$2,500 - \$4,999

CORPORATIONS & FOUNDATIONS

Air Force Chaplain Corps

Dellwood Foundation

Hoglund Body & Equipment, Inc.

The Harry L. & Janet M.

Kitselman Foundation

Primp White Bear Lake LLC

United Way of the Greater

Twin Cities

INDIVIDUALS

Lori & Daniel Arrell

Michele & Jonathan Eisele

Betty & Donald Friberg

Marie & Mark Gorham

Lisa A. Gray

Megan & Derek Hayes

James G. Hunting

Judy & Daniel Hwang

Steve Lindholm

Karen & Joe Luba

Ann & Michael Markman

Brenda & Donald McCormick

Linda Mohr & Larry Hill

Karla & Peter Myers

Amy & J. B. Perrette

Lynn & Benjamin Petersen

James E. Senske

Carol & Douglas Skanse

Jean Taylor & Roger Griffith

Pat & Dave Teskey

Kirsten & Richard Vosen

Mary & Sam Wetterlin



\$1,000 - \$2,499

CORPORATIONS & FOUNDATIONS

ACR Homes, Inc.

AFC Travel, Inc.

Elmer L. & Eleanor J.

Andersen Foundation

The Bieber Family Foundation

Blue Sky Alpacas, Inc.

Emerson Process Management -

Rosemount Inc.

Highland-Mills Foundation

Nancy & John Lindahl Family Fund

James T. Nystrom Foundation

The George C. Power, Jr. Fund

of The Saint Paul Foundation

Sowles Steel Erectors

Otto C. Winzen Charitable Fund

Wonderful Giving

INDIVIDUALS

Anonymous (3)

Patricia & Paul Amidon

Kelly & John Baker

Joyce & Ronald Beauchane

Leslie & Stanley Berman

Celeste & Duane Bjorlin

Alice & Charles Bresnahan

Kathleen Burke & Gregory Genz

Barbara J. Buth

Susan Chaitovitz & Michael Spurner

Kitty & David Crosby

B. J. Dahlberg

Mary & *Clarence Dennis

Teresa & R. J. Devick

Valerie & William Doherty

*Mary & David Doty

Katherine & Themis Economou

Camie & Jack Eugster

Sondra & Stuart Feldstein

William Fong

Virginia & Stephen Freid

Berna French

Kathleen & Hoon Ge

\$1,000 - \$2,499

INDIVIDUALS CONTINUED

Kristie & Chad Giesler

*John B. Goodman

Jean & Daniel Grote

Andrea & Richard Guthmann

Susan & Bruce Hanson

*Susan & *William Hodgson

Teresa & Ronald Hoffman

Mary Lou Holden

Jessica & Jeffrey Hom

Sandra & Steven Hunt

Mary Huper

Chi Huynh & Polo Chen

Calvin Ishida

Janet & David Jahnke

Molly & Eric Johansen

Janice A. Johnson

Joan & Gary Johnson

Mary & Charles Jungmann

Mary & William Keefer

Steven G. King

Pamela J. Kirkpatrick

Kelly Kirk-Willenbring &

James Willenbring

*Mary Koehler

Elizabeth & Mark Koepke

Patricia & David Krueger

Joyce & Dan Kuechenmeister

Sandra J. Landberg

Sherri & David Larson

*Joyce & Arnold Lindgren

Beth & Tom Lorentz

Shirley & Donald Mager

Sarah & Jack Matasosky

Christine H. Moen

Bonnie Niehaus

Andrew J. Rapoport

Stephanie & Mike Reymann

Mary Beth Robinson

Angela Rosati & Ben Phillips

Jennifer & Edwin Ryan



\$500 - \$999

CORPORATIONS & FOUNDATIONS

215 Wabasha Properties, Inc.

Alpha Human Services, Inc.

American Legion Post 118

Community Shares of Minnesota

Fidelity Charitable Gift Fund

Fridley Lions Club

Morelli's Discount Liquor

PadillaCRT

Ubuntu Hair Studio

INDIVIDUALS

Michelle & Todd Anderson

Susan M. Anderson

Mary & Terry Andruess

Martha Apple & David Rea

Georgia & Stanley Bachman

Jolene Baker Vicchiollo

Mary & Vance Baran

Audrey & Andrew Benjamin

Jane & David Biessener

Marlene & Ned Bixby

Jane E. Blessener

Marvin Bookin

Karen Brandt & J. Michael Colliton

Maynard A. Brandt

Marlene & Silas Brannan

Cathy & Michael Brennan

Paula & Gary Christensen

Laurie Chu

Melanie & David Gough

Craig L. Grantham

Rodney D. Hald

Carol Hatcher & Peter Jacobs

Elizabeth Hayden & Charles Flinn

Patricia & Gregory Heimann

Katrina & Harold Heinze

Stephen Heyman

Stacey Hoppe

Ann & James Howard

Sandra L. Hupp

Joyce & Marvin Jenkins

Jeanine & Christopher Jesmer

Victoria & Dennis Johnson

Annette & Kenneth Kaiser

Siri & Mark Kalthoff

Emily & Charles Kelley

Rosemary Kessler & Kevin Filter

Eloise M. Kinne

Felisa & David Klubes

Jocelyn & Peter Knoll

Shirley & John Krohn

Anne M. Kuechenmeister

Rhonda & Scott Kullman

Geri & William Laidlaw

Kathleen Lawless & John Keyes

Sharon & Michael Leonard

Nancy & Kenneth Lerach

Laura & Alan Lundberg

Renee & Eugene Lundquist

Roberta A. Maki

Jill Malinowski

Nancy & Deane Manolis

Jan & Michael Martin

Mary Anne & John Mauriel

Karla & Joseph Mavencamp

Robert L. McCollum

Kelly & Patrick McGinnis

Andrea & Lawrence McGough

Ann & Gordon McKay

Katherine Mies

Thomas A. Morgan

Lynette & Glenn Trygstad

Bonnie Varien

Sharon & Joseph Vause

Michelle Verloop & Robert Ahearn

Wendy & Frank Wagner

Brett Wegner

Katherine & Eric Whittington

Janet A. Wilke

Teresa A. Witzany

\$250 - \$499

CORPORATIONS & FOUNDATIONS

Anonymous

American Legion Post 542

First Presbyterian Church, San Mateo, CA

The Hallett Charitable Trusts

Sieff Family Foundation

Strehlow Family Fund of

The Minneapolis Foundation

United Fund of Le Sueur

United Methodist Women, Anoka, MN

United Way of the Greater Triangle



Tracey Schilling-Hysjulien
& Todd Hysjulien
Carol & James Steilen
Donald W. Steinkraus
Evelyn Sweasy
Michael Symeonides
Debra & Bruce Thayer
Mary Thompson & Robert Knuth
Lew Thornbrough
Mary & Stuart Weitzman
Leona Werner & Bob Waldron
Sharon Werner & Charles Hanna
Mary Ann & James White
*Wheelock Whitney
Megan & Duane Wolf
*Robert E. Wolfe
Jane Wright-Bielawski
& David Bielawski
Joyce Zimmerman

David G. Colwell
Rebecca Comer
Anne & Steven Crowley
Mary Culhane
Sue & Ed Dannecker
Sheri A. DeBates
Dan Dodds
Laura & Paul Ekholm
Janice & Paul Elvin
Cynthia Erickson
Bonnie & Rick Fetter
Robert L. Findorff
Nancy M. Fischer
Peg Foley
Jean & Donald Forster
Jo & Charles Fulks
Leah & Manish Gajria
Karen & Murray Gerr
Karen & Edward Gleeman
Carla Goers & Tom Iago

Katherine & Jay Morrell
Rani Murdoch Zappa & James Zappa
Ann & Manley Olson
Lynn Petersen
Donna & Richard Peterson
Cathy & John Pfeil
Kathleen & Edward Pulliam
Amy J. Ralidak
Marlene & Kent Rebeck
Kate & Erick Reinikka
Matthew K. Rennerfeldt
Wallace P. Ritchie
Susan & Louis Romain
Ann Rougvie & Jeffrey Simon
Marian & Curtis Sampson
Rita & Robert Scanlon
Jerry D. Schlegel
Mary & John Schmitz
Jill A. Schroeder
Linda & Jeffrey Shaw
Katie & Stephen Sheppard
Therese Simon-Nelsen &
George Nelsen
Cheryl A. Sinning
Heather & Tyler Smith
Pok & Jon Stellrecht
Jeffrey Stone
Karen Strobeck Lindseth
& Leif Lindseth
Nancy & Robert Theiler
Shirley & George Torrey
Amy & Matt Trautman

INDIVIDUALS

Anonymous (2)
Shelly & Gregg Abram
Nancy L. Alexis
Joan & Michael Anderson
James A. Audette
Mary Jo & David Bangasser
Maxine & Lloyd Barthel
Ernie Bedor
Beverly & Norman Belin
Kenneth J. Berglund
Joan & Peter Bliss
Teresa & Robert Blomquist
Jean & Gary Blosberg
Mark P. Board
Julie & Noah Bonebrake
Dawn & John Bowden
Steven Brady
Karna Brewer
Nancy & Peter Breyfogle
Cheryl & Thomas Bruss
Cynthia & Ed Buchwald
Stephen R. Burch
Kathleen M. Burk
Timothy A. Burns
Suzanne & Alan Byrd
Henry L. Carbone
Debra & Phillip Chatelle
Julie & Jim Chosy
Betty & Roland Christensen
Jean Christianson Grussing
& Bruce Grussing



\$250 - \$499

INDIVIDUALS CONTINUED

Teresa & Christopher Conway

Lucia & Gary Copland

Renee & Steven Cosgrove

Rondi & Ronald Cox

Kathleen & Bill Crawford

Michelle Croteau

Barbara & Richard Crouter

Sherry & Edward Dayton

Adie & John Deblon

Laurel & Carter Delaittre

Ann & Robert Drake

Kathryn & Richard Drew

Caroline Dunn-O'Brien

& Maurice O'Brien

Julianna & Edward Eichten

Kristine M. Ekstrand

Lavon Emerson-Henry

& Charles Henry

Elizabeth & William Erhart

Kathryn Farniok & Erik Englebretson

Judith Flemming

Janet & Aaron Folsom

Margaret & Gary Francis

Janell & Robert Frantz

Jeanne D. Frerichs

Lois Fried

Erika Frisbie

Carol & Michael Garbisch

Barbara & Kevin Gardiner

Kelly Gilbertson

Teresa & Thomas Giltner

Megan Glass Cleveland

Karen & Fred Gordon

David I. Gough

Vivian Gray-Hill

Maxine & Steven Gueltzow

Gail & Earl Haag

Barbara J. Haglund

Cynthia Heidelberg

Emily & Charles Herrmann

Julie & David Hill



Leslie Kopietz & Mark Steinhauser

Kris Kopischke

Jennifer & Matthew Kreilich

Jean & Arnold Kroll

Matthew J. Kuennen

Katharine & Robert Kuyper

Amy & Gary Larsen

Lisa & Todd Latterell

Carol & James LeDuc

Harriet E. Lerdal

Caroline & Rodney Levine

Joan & Donald Lynch

Bernice E. Maehren

Mary Magnuson & John Apitz

Cindy Maher & Linda George

Kathleen & Thomas Martin

Susan L. Marzolf

Jennifer & Rick Mattox

Patricia & Timothy Mauren

Daniel M. Mayer

Kathy & Patrick McCarthy

Donald McCormick, III

Bridget K. McKelvey

Elizabeth & David McQuoid

Barbara & Salvador Mendez

Janet & Richard Metcalf

Ana Moreno

Sue & Dan Murray

Betty Murtfeldt

Mary Ann & Robert Musto

Janet & Thomas Nelson

Kathleen & Timothy Nelson



Suzanne & William Payne

James B. Preus

Donna & Steven Retter

Kim & Warren Rottmann

Barbara & *William Runge

Tracy & Jon Saarela

Vicki Sackett

Patricia & Roger Schmieg

Christy D. Schmittle

Sandy & Dan Hill
 Marion G. Hinz
 Cynthia & Daniel Holm
 Libby & Peter Holmberg
 Jeanne M. Hunt
 Christine & Shaun Jennings
 Janet & Leslie Johnson
 Nadra & Clyde Johnson
 Rachel & Mark Johnson
 Suzanne M. Johnson
 Rorie & Mark Johnston
 Kathleen Jurkovich
 Anita Justen
 Donna & Michael Kaplan
 Sandra Kaplan & Donald Hickman
 Neil Kauffman
 Shirley & Hiram Kilborn
 James W. Kinsey
 Alicia & Larry Kittelson
 Paul W. Klausen
 Joan & Frank Klein
 Wendy Kleiser



Joyce & Glenn Schoenrock
 Glennis & Danford Schuelke
 Joel Schultz
 David J. Schumacher
 Virginia & Gilmore Sem
 Edith L. Severson
 Marilyn & Gerald Sexton
 Ann & Conrad Smith
 Lawrence E. Stirtz
 Jacqueline & David Stoen
 Linda Stouffer
 Ann & Stephen Sundberg
 Karen & Matthew Sundeen
 Dannielle & Rajeev Tadas
 Beverly & Wayne Thompson
 Juli A. Thompson
 Kimberly & Grant Thorstad
 Pamela & Robert Tichy
 Jennie & James Tomhave
 Kathleen & William Truscott
 Louise C. Wallner
 Rose C. Wallner



Steven Nelson
 Geraldine Northfelt
 Jamice & Chudi Obiany
 Martha O'Brien & Mark Jenssen
 Charles Officer
 P. J. & Tom Olander
 Judith L. Olhoft
 Lynn & Dennis Owens
 JoAnne & Charles Parsons

Susan & Robert Warde
 Joy & Benjamin Warren
 Mary A. Wegehaupt
 W. R. Westrom
 Wendy Wewers Markman
 & Alan Markman
 Linda & Lawrence Wilford
 Amy Wilson
 Mollie & Thomas Wise
 Margaret Wood & Gene Moening
 *deceased

Every effort was made to ensure accuracy. We apologize for any unintended omissions or inaccuracies.

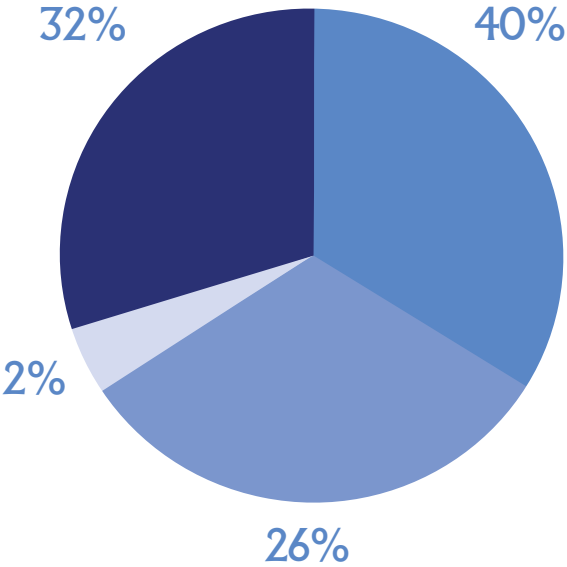


Since 1998
we have distributed
over **\$5.5 million**
to Global Family
Support projects that
promote the care,
protection, health
and education of
vulnerable children
and families in
communities around
the world.

Our Adoption
Support Fund
awarded
\$140,120
in grants to help
55 adoptive parents,
18 adoptees,
9 birth parents
and **37** children.



81 travelers
participated in
Tour Korea! birth
country travel
program.



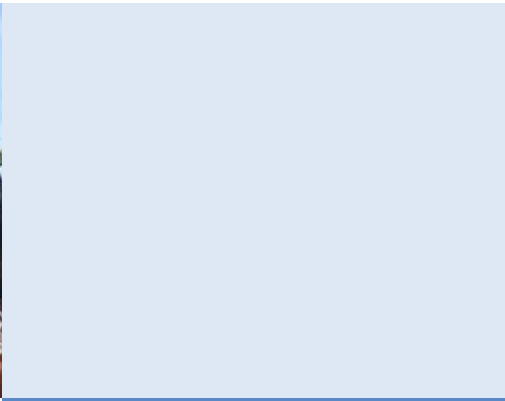
SUPPORT & REVENUE

- CONTRIBUTIONS INCLUDING UNITED WAY & IN-KIND DONATIONS
\$1,291,180
- FEES FOR SERVICE
\$1,593,385
- FEES & GRANTS FROM GOVERNMENT AGENCIES
\$1,012,132
- INVESTMENT INCOME
(\$125,508)
- MISCELLANEOUS INCOME
\$161,192

NET OPERATING INCOME
\$321,885
NET INCOME ALL FUNDS
(\$512,983)



Children's Home
recieved support from
2,776 Donors.



OUR ANNUAL REPORT IS AVAILABLE ONLINE:
chlss.org/about-us/annual-reports

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

2017

OFFICERS

Jodi Harpstead, CEO
CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY
OF MINNESOTA

Maureen Warren, President
CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY
OF MINNESOTA

Patricia Krueger, Chair
RETIRED, ST. CLOUD STATE
UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS

Bill Soth, Vice-Chair
RETIRED, FORMER PARTNER
DORSEY & WHITNEY, LLP

**Steve Zenz, Treasurer
& Secretary**
RETIRED, AUDIT PARTNER
IN CHARGE, KPMG LLP

DIRECTORS

Andrew Baese
Marcia Ballinger
Denise Dewhurst
Mark Gabriele
Todd Hysjulien
Jocelyn Knoll
Patricia Krueger
Lance Novak
Janet Romsaas
Salin Rose
Bill Soth
Todd Sylvester
Kate Whittington
Steven Zenz

DIRECTORS EMERITUS

Mikki Bedard
Linda Boss
Nancy A. Breyfogle
Scott Brill
Jim Campbell
Liz Carlson
Daryl Clark
David Colwell
Peggy Douglas
Ralph Ebbott
Jack Eugster
Rick Evans
Gary Fink
Jimmy Fogel
Sue Greenberg
Pete Hendrixson
Alexander Hill

Dory Hyde
Trudy Johnson
Linda Jones
Tom King
Mary Komornicka
Stephen Kowalke
Joyce Kuechenmeister
Clint Kurtz
Nancy Lindahl
Kenneth Middlebrooks
Jennifer Martin
Bill Naegele
Jamice Obianyo
Carole Olson-Dopkins
Mary Ellen Peterson
Bill Priesmeyer
Joel Rabbe

Peter Ramme
Bob Rumpza
Sheri Scott-Redwood
Bob Spong
James Steilen
Don Steinkraus
Floyd Stewart
Harlan Strong
Joan Suwalsky
Karen Tangen
Sandy Tokach
Drexel Van Every
Paul Verret
Irv Weiser
Marge Weiser
Susan White
Fran Yoch



CONTACT US

MAIN OFFICE

1605 Eustis Street
Saint Paul, MN 55108
651.646.7771 | 800.952.9302



EAST OFFICE

8555 16th Street, Suite 600
Silver Spring, MD 20910
301.562.6500 | 888.904.2229

chlss.org

