



Weekly Update



This email is intended for Coordinators, Committee and Board Members of Family Promise in Tulsa County. Please refrain from forwarding this email in its entirety and only copy and paste pertinent information that needs to be shared.

CURRENT CENSUS

PROGRAM	CURRENT FAMILIES	INDIVIDUALS	YTD FAMILIES	YTD INDIVIDUALS	YTD BED NIGHTS
SHELTER	6	19	19	80	6,387
FRESH START PROGRAM	families in saving phase (6)	N/A	2	7	N/A
PREVENTION/DIVERSION	0	16	4	16	N/A
TOTALS	6	35	25	103	6,387

Average length of stay as of 11/28/23: 69 days



HOSPITALITY SCHEDULE



This Week (Nov 26th - Dec 2nd) Boston Avenue United Methodist

Next Week (Dec 3rd - 9th) Forest Park Christian Church

On Deck (Dec 10th - 16th) Church of Saint Mary



UPDATES FROM TINA



I hope everyone had an amazing Thanksgiving with your family and friends. I know the time I spent with my family was enjoyable, restful, and oh so appreciated. Family is the most important thing in my life and I am grateful for the time I spend with them each and every day.

It is a busy time at the resource center with ensuring our families were taken care of and had everything they needed before the extended holiday, sending out year-end appeal letters to donors and volunteers (we would appreciate your support no matter the amount), preparing for GivingTuesday which is Today, and gearing up for our next fundraiser this Friday at Neighborhood Jam (we hope to see you there).

Five of our families are doing amazing. They are all working, saving money, and preparing for their futures. One momma is particularly grateful and expressed her feelings during a case management meeting with Shannon yesterday. She had so many wonderful things to say so it was truly hard to pick just one statement, however, I think the below quote is the best by far. Thank YOU for making moments like this happen.

One single mommy of four is struggling and having a hard time navigating everything at this moment, please keep her in your thoughts and prayers as she works to improve her families lives. I pray for strength, comfort, guidance, and peace as she works toward self-sufficiency.

***"This is the beginning of my journey.
It's chapter 1.***

***This place has CHANGED me.
I am OK, my child is OK
and we WILL make it."***

~FPTC Current Guest



As always, thank you for everything you do to ensure families have a safe place to call home and a warm meal to enjoy. We cannot do what we do without your support.

My door is always open, please feel free to reach out anytime to say hi. My cell is 918-398-1992, office is 918-392-4959, and email is director@familypromisetulsa.org.



Do you know of a group or congregation that would like to hear about the amazing work we are doing with families in our community? Would you like me to visit your congregation or Sunday school classes and provide updates on Family Promise of Tulsa County? If so, please feel free to reach out to me at 918-392-4959 or by email at director@familypromisetulsa.org and I will be happy to schedule a day/ time to visit.

Do you have a passion for fundraising and helping with event fundraisers? If so, I would love the opportunity to speak with you. We are ALWAYS looking for ways to spread the word about FPTC and find ways to support our amazing mission of ending homelessness...one family at a time. If you are interested or know someone who would like to help, please let me know.





GIVINGTUESDAY

Text HopeFPTC to 44321



UPCOMING EVENTS



BREAKFAST with BENEFITS



December 1st

4830 E. 61st St. South, Suite 300, Tulsa, OK 74136

Enjoy breakfast with benefits at Neighborhood Jam this Friday, December 1st and 15% of the proceeds will be donated to Family Promise of Tulsa County. Enjoy breakfast anytime between 6:30 am and 2:30 pm and support our mission to end homelessness...one family at a time. We hope to see you there.

Would you or your Sunday School Group like to make the holidays a little brighter for a family in need? Consider sponsoring one of the families in our program by providing gifts and essential items to a single mothers, single fathers, and two parent families.

If you would like information about families in our program, please reach out to our director, Tina Massey at 918-392-4959 or by email at director@familypromisetulsa.org.

Just think, YOU can be the reason a child is filled with joy and excitement this holiday season.

Adopt a Family



CURRENT WISHLIST NEEDS



**Walmart Cards (any amount for Christmas gifts)
Aldi Gift Cards (\$25 & \$50)**