

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FAMILY PROMISE...

Drumroll please.....



THE FAMILY PROMISE TRUCK JUST GOT WRAPPED!!!

Special Thank You for Helping Us Fund This Project-

**Greg Hardy
Dunwoody Community Church
Alpharetta Methodist
Roswell United Methodist
B'nai Torah**

A Message From Shannon

As we wrap up another event, I am reminded of just how many volunteers it takes to have a big fundraiser. Then I think about all the volunteers it takes to run our rotational shelter and house our families every week! At last month's luncheon, I offered these words of thanks...

Family Promise could not survive without our relationships. I say it a lot, but life is really ALL about relationships.

Thank you to our volunteers who made our event so special.

Thank you for the new relationships we made in the planning of our event- St. David's Episcopal Church.

Thank you to our faithful supporters and to the volunteers during the Host week that work to foster relationships with our families during the hardest time in their lives. They try to give our families hope for a better life.

We hope you feel blessed to be a part of Family Promise. This important work couldn't be done without you.

~Shannon Pickerel, Volunteer and Events Manager

Brunch and Bubbly

Our first luncheon and fashion show were a huge success! We had a wonderful turnout with lots of new faces that came to enjoy some wonderful food, fashion and to hear a bit about Family Promise. We are thrilled this was such a great event and look forward to next year!





Coffee and Conversation



Cheers to Juron Dobbs at **Jackson Healthcare** for bringing out an energetic and dynamic group to join our September Coffee & Conversation session. Fantastic network connections were made and future volunteers were gained!

Do you want to come or bring your group to join us for **FREE** coffee and breakfast? We would love to host you, and it can count toward volunteer hours! If interested, please contact Katie at katieweaver@familypromisefd.org



Shout out to **Kiwanis Club of Historic Roswell** for the opportunity to join their group and share the message of Family Promise! They were eager to learn how they can get involved and help us in our fight to end family homelessness. Are you part of a

small group that we could come and share the message of Family Promise with? Email katieweaver@familypromisefd.org

LASAGNA LOVE

Speaking of Partnerships... Lasagna Love has been providing a lasagna to our Host congregations since this summer. It has been a huge success partnering with them and a huge help to our congregations especially when they are hosting for more than a week.

Words of Inspiration from a Volunteer

I think Family Promise is one of the best things a church can participate in. It accomplishes at least two things. It helps the needy and homeless AND it makes those who have been blessed with what they need aware of the need of others.

-A special volunteer, Carol Sweigert, from St. Luke's Presbyterian

What's Coming Up This Fall-

Coordinator Appreciation Dinner

Every Fall, we host a Coordinator Appreciation dinner for our Coordinators. We will be at FBCR again this year utilizing their beautiful covered outdoor patio on October 6th at 6pm. We look forward to a fun evening being with our coordinators and thanking them for all they do for us throughout the year.



Volunteer Spotlights:

Thank you to our incredible volunteers!

TALK ABOUT AMAZING VOLUNTEERS.....

- Alpharetta Presbyterian Church- Judy Donnahoo is in charge of the food for our families. She always goes above and beyond to make sure our families are well fed and have what they need.
 - Walter Dean also has become an invaluable volunteer for APC. He took 2 overnights when APC hosted for 2 weeks.
- St. Luke's Presbyterian Church- Beth Underhill is always there when help is needed. She has been devoted to Family Promise since day 1.

Thank you to our wonderful volunteers who bring their whole hearts to helping our Family Promise families!

We want to continue to share the ways you all go above and beyond for Family Promise. Please contact Shannon if you have a volunteer you'd like to give a shout out!



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