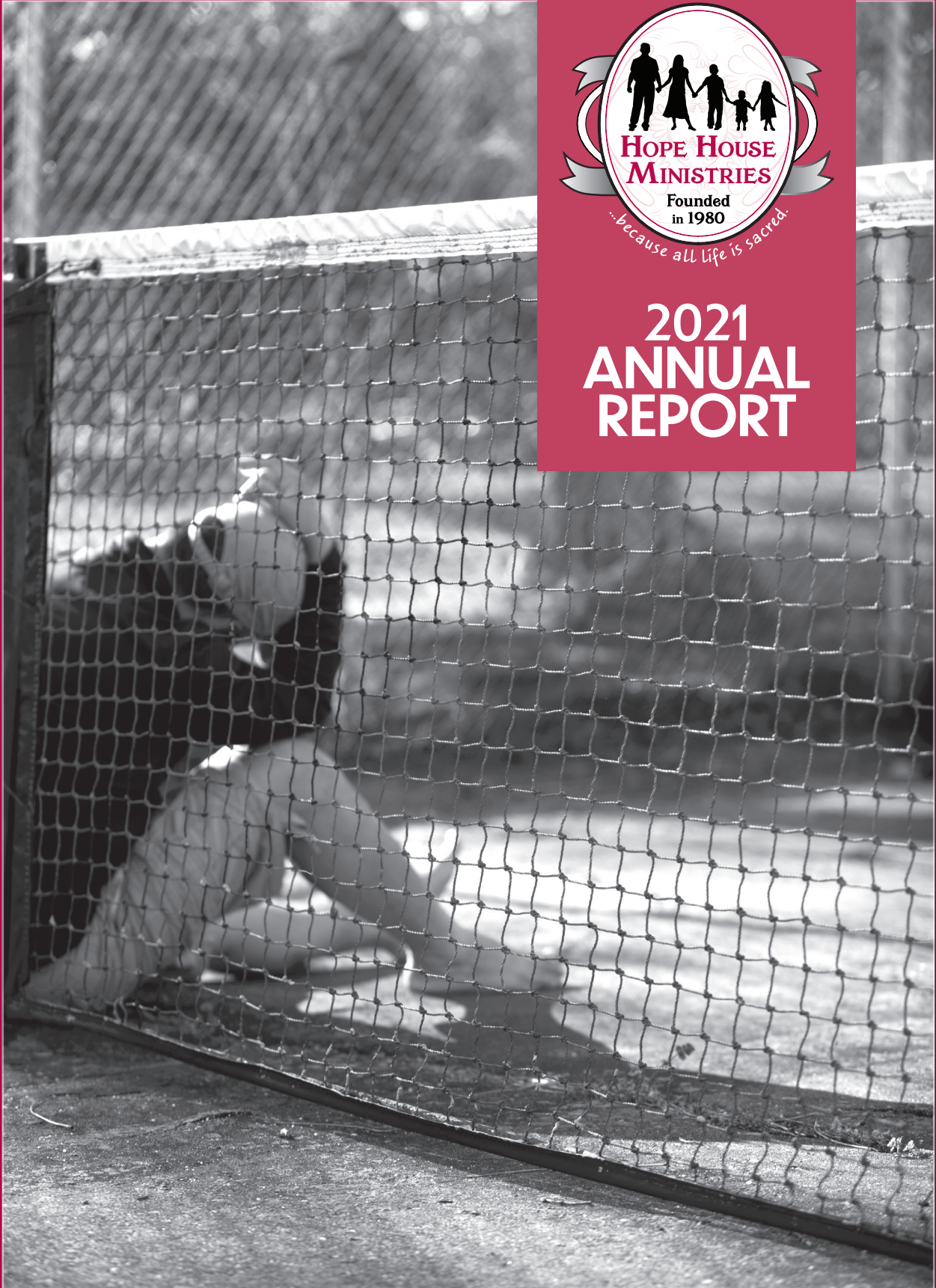
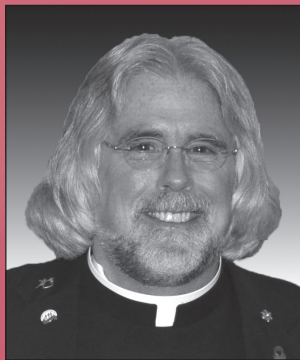




# 2021 ANNUAL REPORT





**Fr. Francis Pizzarelli**  
SMM, LCSW-R, ACSW, DCSW  
Executive Director-Founder/  
CEO

## A Message from our Founder

*T*his is our 41st year and what a year it has been. We were hoping that it would be a year of celebration and giving thanks for 41 years of reaching out and making a difference in thousands of people's lives. We did give thanks this past year. We did acknowledge the thousands of volunteers that are critical in our ability to reach out to the most vulnerable among us. It has been the many hands and hearts that have blessed this ministry with their time, their talent and their treasure. As I reflect back over 41 years, my faith has been strengthened, my hope renewed and my energy inspired to stay the course and continue the journey.

These 41 years have been about countless stories of miracles and transformations, little triumphs and magnificent triumphs. Adversity overcome, lives changed and countless people becoming more than they ever thought they could be because of our love and support. Although this has been a tough year financially because of the pandemic, the miracle of this year has been the generosity of so many people from everywhere assisting Divine Providence in our story.

God has challenged me to look at this year's celebration with a different lens, reminding me that faith and hope grounded in unconditional love and service for all God's people must be the bedrock of this ministry, especially as we move forward.

For over 41 years, this bi-county, not-for-profit, community-based ministry has dedicated itself to providing comprehensive and competent residential and counseling assistance to thousands of adolescents, individuals and families in crisis. In addition, hundreds of schools throughout the state have benefited from a Wellness Seminar which educates students, teachers, school administrators and parents in understanding peer pressure, drug and alcohol abuse and teenage suicide.

Hope House Ministries is effective because unlike state and county facilities, which only offer a band-aid approach to these challenges, Hope House Ministries offers a holistic approach. Together, the staff and volunteers have created an empowering sense of family and community that are the change agents, helping young people grow in self-discipline, critical thinking, problem solving skills and personal responsibility.

We have accomplished these tasks with minimal financial assistance from federal, state or county agencies, saving the taxpayer thousands of dollars each year. We depend on the generosity of private contributions, fundraising events and corporate donations.

Hope House Ministries celebrates your giftedness and willingness to give others who struggle, a second chance to live again. It is a tapestry of life, compassion and brotherhood, rooted in a heart that speaks of justice and peace for all.

With heartfelt thanks,

Fr. Francis Pizzarelli, SMM, LCSW-R, ACSW, DCSW  
Executive Director-Founder/CEO, The Ministry for Hope, Inc.

# 2021 Annual Report



## Statement of Mission

*The Mission of Hope House Ministries is founded in the spirit of St. Louis de Montfort, who had a commitment to the poor and the courage to do what no one else had the courage to do.*

*This is our mission: To provide compassionate, comprehensive and competent care for the poor, the marginal and the wounded among us. This commitment is woven in the Gospel vision that all life is sacred and every human person is unique and has the right to be respected and protected. Specifically, we are committed to young people and families in crisis, pregnant women and mothers and babies in crisis and all other wounded people within our society, who are seen as abandoned and neglected. Thus, we seek to be men and women of hope in a world of shattered dreams.*

## Agency Overview

*Founded in April 1980, what began as a 10-bed facility providing compassionate crisis intervention for young men aged 16 to 21, has expanded to a multi-faceted agency encompassing counseling, educational and residential assistance for individuals and families in crisis!*

*Hope House Ministries now offers services through multiple outreach programs that focus on restoring hope to the lives of those less fortunate, while all services remain free of charge. An important part of the success of our ministry has been the generosity of individuals and businesses who, in sharing our mission, have selflessly offered their volunteer and monetary assistance.*







# Words of Hope/Ministry Testimonials

*Some of our supporters might not realize that when a young person first comes to Hope Academy at Little Portion Friary, he is required to work with clinical staff to create a “Life Plan.” This effort takes lots of hard work and introspection. Once completed, the life plan acts as a guide to recovery. The resident is held accountable for working toward his goals and shares his plan upon his graduation from the program. What follows is a glimpse of such a plan. Its content speaks for itself. A Hope Academy graduation is a very powerful and inspiring event, not only for our residents but for all who attend. It is a special reminder of how many people make up our network of support. People like you who are responsible for the safety net of programs we call Hope House Ministries.*

## **Life Plan Overview**

Since entering Hope House in March of 2019, I have made a lot of progress in many ways. During my process here I have matured and learned many concepts that have helped me. When I entered Hope House, I had nothing else on my mind other than leaving. Consciously making the decision to trust the process and stay while planning what I want to create for myself and my life has been extremely rewarding. The following Life Plan will outline the picture of what my future is to look like as long as I stay the course and continue to work on myself on a daily basis. The outline will include several areas in which I want to evolve on, and include an objective, short-term goals, and long-term goals.

## **Relationship and family goals**

**Objective:** Being the best person I can be in all my affairs.

### **Short term**

- The biggest thing for me was associating, confiding, and bonding with people who helped me instead of hindered me. Continuing that after I graduate is important. Doing this not only with people in the house but sifting out the unhealthy people in my life outside of Hope House. In order to stay on track this is paramount because I am influenced by others easily.
- Thank my parents for their support through my journey here. Eventually I would like to give back what my parents have given to me through my life and through my stay here monetarily.
- Being the best son, brother, community, and family member, I can be daily. I will do this by living the principals I have learned such as honesty and compassion. Being a more active member of my family is important to me because of the years of indifference I had toward my family during my use. I was not regularly active and supportive for those I loved, especially my brother.

### **Long term**

- Repair any damage I create or resentments that develop in all relationships. Making amends is not easy but must be done to have peace internally for myself.

### **Family goals**

**Objective:** Since being here at Hope House I have had little or no face-to-face contact with many family members, much of that is because of the pandemic. Family was and still is such an important part of my life. Rebuilding what has been weakened because of separation will give me more people who have my best interest at heart. I really struggled with being separated from my parents etc. but was able to build a new family here at Hope House consisting of the people I live with.

- Strengthen the relationship I have with my immediate family (parents, brother) as well as the distant family members, aunts, uncles, cousins and my grandparents.

## **Personal goals**

**Objective:** I have a few things that I would like to achieve and achieving these goals will give me confidence and responsibility.

### **Short term**

- Obtain learners permit, and driver's license. Being able to have my own vehicle will help me feel independent and give me a sense of responsibility and freedom.
- Finish my GED. I need to have a high school equivalency under my belt to progress fully through college. I have plans to continue college in order to transfer to another school.

### **Long term**

- Find a part time job to start making money.
- Photography, I've been taking photos since the first year of high school and I really love doing it. Continuing to do it will give me an outlet and a way to express myself in a healthy way.

## **Recovery goals**

**Objective:** Working on my recovery and wellness is paramount if I want to succeed. When I am not sober, I am not productive, happy, or motivated.

### **Short term**

- Attend at least 4 meetings a week, in the form of AA, or the meeting I have with a few guys in the library.
- Continue to work the 12 steps into my life.

### **Long term**

- Consistently connect with the community I live with. My biggest teachers have been the people I live with. Not isolating is key for many aspects of self.
- Through AA, peer support and counseling I need to work on my sobriety daily. I do not want to lose what I have today and really want to continue to better myself; I know that I do not progress and grow when I am not sober.
- Maintaining a gratitude list, gratitude has been a paramount principal for my success here. Even though I fall short some days I am profoundly grateful for all that I have achieved and the people and things I have in my life.
- Maintain spiritual growth through many avenues. Those being spiritual direction, AA, counseling, and peer discussions with those I look up to. I have achieved a lot of clarity and emotional stability due to my spiritual and mental health counseling.

## **School/career goals**

**Objective:** Since starting at Suffolk Community College, I have found a sense of purpose because for a while in the academy I felt very stagnant in terms of what I had achieved. Around 2 months ago I started in the bakery and kitchen. I have become an important member of the bakery and enjoy giving back to the place that has changed my life and learning how to cook and bake at the same time.

### **Short term**

- Maintain at least a "B" average this semester and those that follow.
- Attend some kind of culinary class outside of what I am learning here from people like Andrew and Anthony.

## **Mental Health goals**

**Objective:** Since I've been sober at Hope House and actively improving my mental health I am currently in the best mental health state I've been in my life. I was extremely depressed, lacking self-esteem, anxious also my ADHD was much more prevalent than it is now. This has been done through peer conversation, counseling, meetings, and helping those in need.

### **Short term**

- Continue to be open and honest with my close peers and my one-on-one counselor as well as all staff and family.
- Continue a medication regimen.
- Including meditation in my life daily to center myself, relax, and expand my mind.
- Exercising helps me relieve stress, doing this a few times a week raises my self-esteem and contributes to the aspect of "mind, body, spirit."

### **Long term**

- In the future I want to completely operate without medication. I believe that if I do it in the right way it is an accomplishment.
- Helping others helps my mental state. For example, helping those who are struggling, those who are new to the program and helping peers through their struggles.

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*Hope House Ministries provides hope, care and compassion to nearly 2,000 individuals in need each month.*



## ***The Community House***

Since its founding in 1980, the Community House with 10 beds has grown to a 30-bed house that provides a compassionate approach to crisis intervention and a residential community for homeless young people in need. The program serves primarily youth between the ages of 16 and 21 years. It offers a creative living space where a young person can grow and develop.

## ***Hope Academy at Little Portion Friary***

A long-term non-traditional residential treatment program for addiction (minimum 12-18 months).

## ***Pax Christi Hospitality Center***

This twenty-five bed emergency center for men over 16, provides those in need on Long Island a compassionate, temporary residence offering three components: shelter and food, human needs and services, advocacy and networking.

## ***Project Hope***

Project Hope, under the aegis of the Pax Christi Hospitality Center, is a program specifically designed to serve the chronic homeless population, people who are underserved and serve as a response for community concerns.

## ***The Human Services Center***

Staffed by a host of highly qualified professional counselors, the Human Services Center serves thousands of adults and young people in the course of a year. Included in the counseling services are individual, marital and family counseling, addiction counseling including alcoholism, co-dependency, eating disorders and sexual abuse. The center also serves as a meeting place for various therapy groups and several twelve-step programs.

## ***The Sr. Jean Beagan, O.P. Family and Children's Center***

The Family and Children's Center of Hope House Ministries is dedicated to the growth and development of children. It does this by enhancing the ability of parents to provide opportunities for children to live, love and work with a sense of mutual well-being.







## ***Montfort Therapeutic Residence/ Our Lady of Peace Academy***

This program, which began in 2007, is an intensive therapeutic treatment facility for children ages 11-18 who find themselves caught in the family court system. These children come to us at a time of great crisis in their young lives and we provide them with a healthy, stable environment, a school program, individual counseling, group dynamics and educational and recreational outings. Its greatest gift is providing aftercare services when a young person returns home.

## ***St. Louis de Montfort Academy***

Montfort Academy is our free standing alternative junior-senior high school. Individualized instruction and private tutoring are provided by qualified teachers according to each student's needs. Montfort Academy's staff consists of a principal and volunteer teachers.

## ***Wisdom House***

A residence designated for long-term needs of both men and women, 21 years of age and older, who find themselves in a situation of crisis or homelessness and are in need of a semi-structured living environment. The goal of Wisdom House is to help the individual make a transition into a state of independent living.

## ***Siena House***

Siena House is a home for women and women with children, 21 years and older, who have suffered from domestic violence and/or are in crisis or transition. This program offers a safe, supportive environment while empowering women to move toward independent living and permanent housing.

## ***St. Maximilian Kolbe Outpatient Addictions Treatment Center***

The St. Maximilian Kolbe Outpatient Addictions Treatment Center provides comprehensive outpatient services for people motivated to enter and sustain recovery. Through individual and group counseling sessions, each day struggling addicts reclaim their lives.



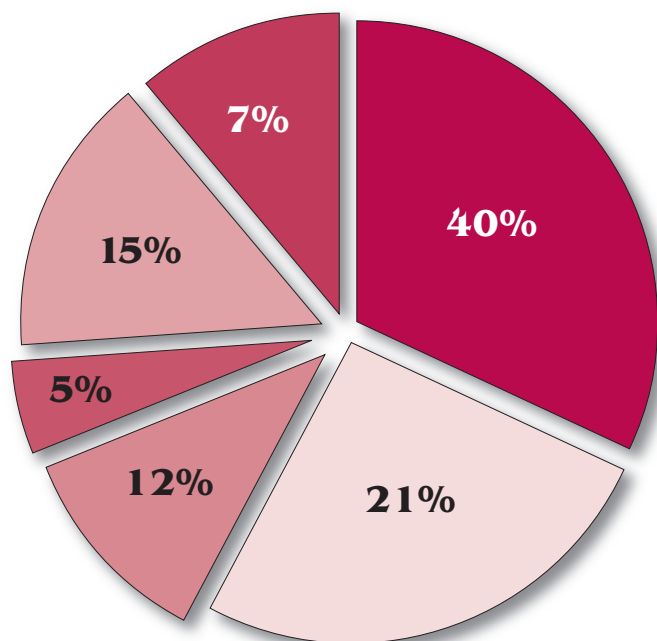
**THE MINISTRY FOR HOPE, INC. BALANCE SHEET - MARCH 31, 2021**

	WITHOUT DONOR RESTRICTIONS	WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS				
	OPERATING FUND	MONTFORT THERAPEUTIC RESIDENCE	PAX CHRISTI SHELTER	ENDOWMENT FUND	TOTAL ALL FUNDS	
<b>ASSETS</b>						
Cash	\$ 934,148	\$ 80,577	\$ 151,581	\$ 120,866	\$ 1,287,172	
Marketable securities	170,593			485,209	655,802	
Contract/Grant revenue receivable, net of allowance of \$23,540		24,784	135,804		160,588	
Prepaid expenses	18,515		1,639		20,154	
Property and equipment at cost, less accumulated depreciation of \$1,464,259	1,569,101	157,252	67,483		1,793,836	
Loan/Lease costs, net of accumulated amortization of \$21,876	13,580				13,580	
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 2,705,937</b>	<b>\$ 262,613</b>	<b>\$ 356,507</b>	<b>\$ 606,075</b>	<b>\$ 3,931,132</b>	
<b>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>						
Accounts payable & accrued expenses	\$ 41,432	\$ 66,222	\$ 23,360		131,014	
Mortgages payable	31,989				31,989	
Note payable	131,650				131,650	
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>205,071</b>	<b>66,222</b>	<b>23,360</b>		<b>294,653</b>	
<b>Net Assets</b>	<b>2,500,866</b>	<b>196,391</b>	<b>333,147</b>	<b>606,075</b>	<b>3,636,479</b>	
<b>Liabilities and Net Assets</b>	<b>\$ 2,705,937</b>	<b>\$ 262,613</b>	<b>\$ 356,507</b>	<b>\$ 606,075</b>	<b>\$ 3,931,132</b>	
<b>PUBLIC SUPPORT</b>						
Contributions	\$ 1,636,508	\$ 4	\$ 3,041	\$ 49,916	\$ 1,689,469	
Grants & contracts	321,052	845,325	766,576		1,932,953	
Fundraising	1,212,477				1,212,477	
Dividend income	10,130			4,191	14,321	
Donated & In-Kind contributions	635,400				635,400	
<b>Net assets released from restrictions</b>	<b>1,619,600</b>	<b>(1,169,815)</b>	<b>(676,663)</b>	<b>226,878</b>		
<b>Total Public Support</b>	<b>\$ 5,435,167</b>	<b>\$ (324,486)</b>	<b>92,954</b>	<b>280,985</b>	<b>\$ 5,484,620</b>	
<b>EXPENSES</b>						
<b>PROGRAM SERVICES:</b>						
Community services	\$2,187,401				2,187,401	
Counseling services	651,564				651,564	
Montfort Therapeutic Residence	1,169,473				1,169,473	
Pax Christi Hospitality Center	807,315				807,315	
<b>Total Program Services</b>	<b>\$4,815,753</b>				<b>4,815,753</b>	
<b>SUPPORTING SERVICES:</b>						
Management and general	242,901				242,901	
Fundraising	398,217				398,217	
<b>Total Supporting Services</b>	<b>641,118</b>				<b>641,118</b>	
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 5,456,871</b>				<b>\$ 5,456,871</b>	
<b>Increase/(Decrease) in Net Assets Before Other Items</b>	<b>(21,704)</b>	<b>(324,486)</b>	<b>92,954</b>	<b>280,985</b>	<b>27,749</b>	
<b>OTHER ITEMS</b>						
Unrealized/Realized (Loss) on Securities	67,626			113,831	181,457	
PPP Loan	740,163				740,163	
<b>Total Other Items</b>	<b>807,789</b>			<b>113,831</b>	<b>921,620</b>	
<b>Increase/(Decrease) in Net Assets</b>	<b>786,085</b>	<b>(324,486)</b>	<b>92,954</b>	<b>394,816</b>	<b>949,369</b>	
<b>Net Assets, beginning of year</b>	<b>1,714,781</b>	<b>520,877</b>	<b>240,193</b>	<b>211,259</b>	<b>2,687,110</b>	
<b>Net Assets, end of year</b>	<b>\$ 2,500,866</b>	<b>\$ 196,391</b>	<b>\$ 333,147</b>	<b>\$ 606,075</b>	<b>\$ 3,636,479</b>	





## Hope House Ministries Your Dollars at Work in 2021



■ Community Services .....	<b>40%</b>
□ Youth Services .....	<b>21%</b>
■ Hospitality Center .....	<b>15%</b>
■ Fundraising .....	<b>7%</b>
■ Counseling Services .....	<b>12%</b>
■ Management .....	<b>5%</b>

A Summary Financial Report for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2021 appears on these pages.

Complete Financial Statements, together with the report of our auditors, Stewart Gelman & Associates, are available from Hope House Ministries' Central Office.

Words of Hope – Cont'd. from page 3

### **Pax Christi Hospitality Center** ~ Thanksgiving sentiment

"Part of recovery in life can start at a great and warming place like Pax Christi. I think in many ways it saved my life. The feelings of joy and happiness showed toward all happens every time I walk in the building. Thank you Pax Christi for all your help. God be with you and the staff that makes it all possible!"

— Alan

### **Siena House –** **An Expression of Gratitude** ~ Written by a past resident

I wish to express my appreciation to Father Frank, the staff of Siena House and Hope House Ministries. When I came to Siena House I was a completely broken person. At Siena House I became part of a family. The staff gave me hope, unconditional love, acceptance, encouragement and so much more. The love, loyalty and support I received is beyond measure. Siena House became my home – a warm, loving, caring home. The staff at Siena House wanted to see me succeed and guided me on the path to do so. I am forever grateful to the Siena House staff. Especially to a particular "Angel" who God was so gracious enough to place in my path. This Angel is a true gift / blessing from God. I truly do not know where life would have landed me if it were not for her being my "rock." I also have to express much gratitude to Father Frank. Father Frank is a kind and caring man. He is also a true blessing / gift from God. He took the time to care about me, help me and guide me. Without Father Frank I truly do not know where I would be today. Thank you Father Frank, Siena House and Hope House Ministries staff for everything. Words cannot express how grateful I am to ALL of you for all you have done for me. I will be forever grateful and you will be forever in my heart.

**Much love and appreciation.**

# How You Can Help

## Chain of Hope

Join the Hope House Ministries Chain of Hope and “be a link to their future” with monthly, quarterly or one-time gifts in support of the Ministries’ multiple outreaches. Contact the Development Department at (631) 473-8796 for a supply of remittance envelopes or to make a donation via a credit card. You may also visit our website at [www.hhm.org](http://www.hhm.org) to give online.

## Fundraising Events

Participate in one or more of our “fun”draising events. Please see our website at [www.hhm.org](http://www.hhm.org) for a list of upcoming events; this information can also be found in our New Horizons newsletter. To have your name added to our mail list, please call the Development Department at (631) 473-8796 or email us at [hhmdevelop@optonline.net](mailto:hhmdevelop@optonline.net).

## Living Tribute Program

Honor a loved one by acknowledging a special occasion (birthday, wedding, anniversary, etc.) or the loss of a loved one through our Living Tribute Program with a gift donated by a friend, relative or associate. Tribute cards acknowledging your thoughtfulness will be sent to the honoree or family of the deceased. Donations may be made through our website at [www.hhm.org](http://www.hhm.org) or by calling the Development Department at (631) 473-8796.

## Planned Giving

Do you have a life insurance policy that you no longer need? Are you in the process of finalizing your last will and testament? If so, considering a gift to Hope House Ministries that will live on in perpetuity may be a great way to realize your charitable giving goals while helping the thousands in need that we serve each month. For information on these and other planned giving options, please contact the Development Department at (631) 473-8796.

## The Trust in Divine Providence

### Gift Annuity Program at Hope House Ministries

The Trust in Divine Providence Gift Annuity Program may be the right solution for achieving your charitable goals while benefitting from consistent income. Contact Keith Deisner in our Development Department at 314-662-2877 or by email at [kdeisner@hhm.org](mailto:kdeisner@hhm.org) to learn more.

## Wish List

On your own or join with family and friends to provide items from our Wish List. Below are items that Hope House Ministries is in need of throughout our outreaches. If you are able to donate any of these items, please call the Development Department at (631) 473-8796.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Cleaning Products                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Facial Tissues                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Soap                                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Coffee - Keurig K-cups             | <input type="checkbox"/> Garbage Bags - 13 gal. & 39 gal. | <input type="checkbox"/> Sponges                                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Combs                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Kitchen Towels                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Tea - Tea Bags or Keurig K-cups           |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Dishwashing Liquid                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Napkins                          | <input type="checkbox"/> Twin Blankets, Sheets & Pillowcases       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Disposable Bowls                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Notebooks                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Underwear - Men's & Women's               |
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President George H.W. Bush  
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*"From now on in America, any definition of a  
successful life must include serving others."*

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