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FROM THE DESK OF THE CEO

2026 Impact Update

DEAR CHAMPIONS FOR LIFE,

As we reflect on the 2025–2026 fiscal year, we are filled with gratitude for the faithful support, service, and partnership that have strengthened our parenting and pregnancy programs. This year, our ministry continued to walk alongside individuals and families with compassion, practical assistance, encouragement, and hope.

Together, we served more than 840 clients through our parenting and pregnancy programs and provided more than 4,000 client encounters. Each number represents a person, a family, and a story—someone who came through our doors seeking support, guidance, education, resources, or simply a caring presence during an important season of life.

These encounters reflect more than services delivered; they reflect relationships built, trust earned, and opportunities to provide life-affirming care in meaningful and practical ways. Through classes, mentoring, material support, pregnancy-related services, and ongoing encouragement, we were able to help parents and expectant parents feel seen, supported, and better equipped for the road ahead.

We are especially grateful for the volunteers, staff, board members, donors, churches, community partners, and friends who made this work possible. Your time, prayers, financial gifts, professional skills, and compassionate hearts helped sustain a ministry environment where clients could receive care with dignity and respect.

As we look ahead, we remain committed to strengthening our programs, expanding our reach, and continuing to meet clients with the kindness, truth, and support they need. The impact of this fiscal year reminds us that when we work together, we can make a lasting difference in the lives of families throughout our community.

Thank you for standing with us and for helping Cornerstone Pregnancy Services continue to give, support, and care for those we are called to serve.



With Sincere Gratitude,
Dr. Cynthia Carter-Harris
Chief Executive Officer



IN MEMORY OF

Bill Williams Ruthella Jenkin
Cheryl Biegacki Steve Zapor
Joyce P. Merleno



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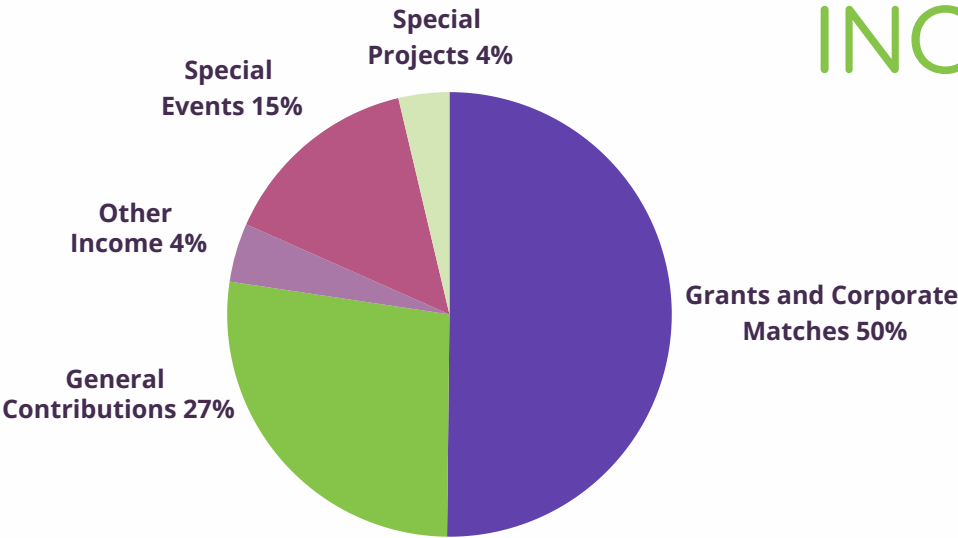
CTK Baby Bottle Blessing
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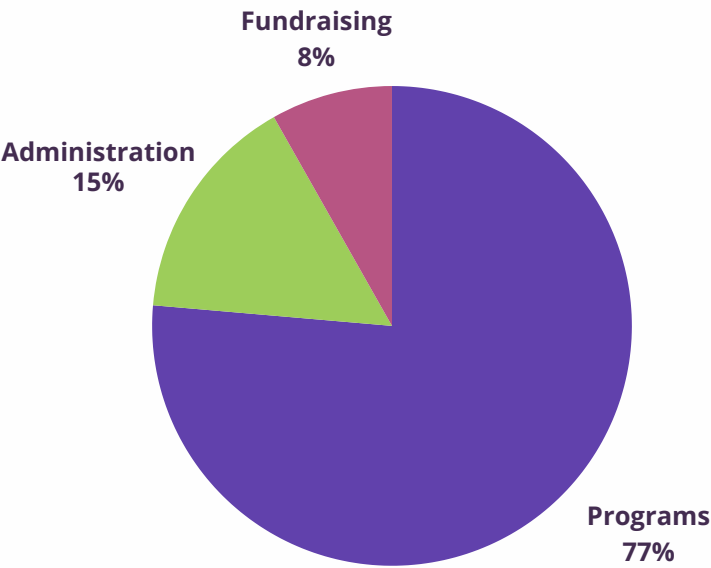
FINANCIAL REPORT

Fiscal Year Report: July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026
Prepared by Susana Velazquez, Vice President of Finance & Operations

INCOME



EXPENSES



TOTAL INCOME: \$1,910,644
TOTAL EXPENSES: \$1,720,738
TOTAL NET ASSETS: \$1,969,470.73

Cornerstone Women's Health Center Report



Valerie Borzy

Director of Patient Resources

Throughout the 2025–2026 reporting year, Cornerstone Women's Health Center continued its mission of providing compassionate medical services, education, and spiritual support to women facing pregnancy-related decisions. During this period, the center provided 163 pregnancy tests, 176 ultrasound examinations, 37 STI tests, 46 prenatal vitamin distributions, and served 32 prenatal clinic patients. The ministry also shared the Gospel with 106 women and responded to 6 Abortion Pill Reversal (APR) calls, demonstrating its commitment to both physical and spiritual care.

Of the 176 ultrasounds performed, 38 were repeat ultrasounds, 35 were provided to clients who were abortion-minded or undecided regarding their pregnancies, and 6 women ultimately chose life following services and support received through the center. These outcomes reflect the impact of compassionate counseling, medical services, and client advocacy in helping women make informed pregnancy decisions.

Through pregnancy testing, ultrasound services, STI testing, prenatal support, Gospel outreach, and abortion pill reversal assistance, Cornerstone Women's Health Center remained dedicated to empowering women and families with accurate information, practical resources, and hope. The year's results demonstrate the center's commitment to providing compassionate medical care, education, and support that empowers women at risk or struggling with substance use to make informed decisions for themselves and their babies.

Lilli Women's Center Report

Lilli Women's Center, the Cuyahoga County center for Cornerstone Pregnancy Services, has continued to experience remarkable transformation during this fiscal year. On the heels of the complete renovation of the Baby Boutique, we began plans to expand our center into the adjacent suite, making it possible to create separate clinic and education wings, as well as add much-needed office space.

The renovation, which is now well underway, will also allow for a second ultrasound room.

This is especially important because, of the more than 300 new clients we received during this fiscal year, over two-thirds stated that their primary reason for visiting us was to receive a free sonogram. We are fully aware that, for the abortion-minded client, the sonogram is often the most effective tool in leading to a decision for life.

Beyond providing sonograms, another valuable service we offer is connecting mothers in need with additional resources through referrals. During this past year, we provided 761 referrals.

We have been actively building relationships with organizations that offer goods and services beneficial to our clients. The Cleveland area has so much to offer, and I fully expect our referral numbers to continue growing. These new partnerships will be key to expanding both the scope of our services and the number of clients we will be able to serve in the near future.

The transformation of Lilli Women's Center in the coming year promises to be even more impressive.



Nancy Hamilton

Director, Lilli Women's Center

Education and Support Services Report

The Education and Support Services Department serves women and families through the Life Ed U Program, Doula Program, STEP classes, and our onsite Community Health Worker (CHW). Each program provides meaningful opportunities to support, encourage, and share the hope of Jesus Christ with every woman we serve.

Through the Life Ed U Program, clients access BrightCourse educational videos that help them develop parenting and life skills while earning Baby Bucks to spend in our Baby Boutique.

During the year, the Education Department enrolled 73 new Life Ed U clients and recorded 2,569 program touchpoints. Clients earned a total of \$71,069 in Baby Bucks, which were used to purchase essential new items for their growing families. BrightCourse topics include pregnancy, childbirth, infant care, toddler development, parenting, and co-parenting. Additional coursework covers life skills, CPR training, fatherhood education, and Bible studies.

The Doula Program provides personalized education, encouragement, and support throughout pregnancy, childbirth, and the postpartum period. Cornerstone doulas recorded 130 client touchpoints this year, offering guidance on pregnancy health, breastfeeding, nutrition, childbirth preparation, postpartum recovery, and newborn care.

Our Community Health Worker (CHW) completed 1,698 client touchpoints, including initial assessments, pathway enrollment, ongoing support, resource navigation, and pathway completion. Through these interactions, the CHW connected clients to vital community resources, listened with compassion, and offered hope and encouragement for the future.

Cornerstone also provided emergency baby supplies to 40 families facing urgent needs. We are deeply grateful for the faithful support of our donors, whose generosity enables us to meet practical needs, build meaningful relationships, and boldly proclaim the truth and hope found in Jesus Christ.



Deborah Bentley

Director of Education and Support Services

Annual Donor & Community Impact Report



Sandra Tuskan

Director of Development

A Year of Faithfulness, Partnership, and Impact

During Fiscal Year 2025-2026, Cornerstone Pregnancy Services experienced another year of remarkable support from churches, businesses, community partners, volunteers, and individual donors. Together, these partnerships strengthened our ability to provide compassionate care, parenting education, material assistance, and life-affirming support to women, men, and families throughout our community.

Every gift, every event participant, every church partnership, and every volunteer contribution played a role in extending hope and practical support to those we serve. This report highlights the ways our donor community helped advance that mission during the past year.

The Power of Generosity

One of the strongest themes of this fiscal year was the continued commitment of our donor community. Support came from a diverse network of church partners, event participants, business sponsors, first-time donors, and long-time supporters who believe in Cornerstone's mission. This broad base of support provided financial stability while demonstrating that our community remains deeply invested in serving families facing unexpected pregnancies and parenting challenges.

Throughout the year, Cornerstone experienced:

- Strong donor engagement across multiple fundraising initiatives.
- Continued growth in community participation.
- Meaningful support from churches throughout the region.
- Successful introduction of new donors through special events.
- Consistently strong stewardship of donor resources.

Church Partnerships: The Foundation of Support

Church partnerships continue to be the cornerstone of Cornerstone Pregnancy Services' fundraising and outreach efforts. During the fiscal year, we partnered with 191 churches throughout the region. Those churches faithfully supported the ministry through financial giving, advocacy, volunteer involvement, and participation in fundraising campaigns.

One hundred fifteen churches made financial contributions during the year reflecting approximately 60% participation from churches in the database, demonstrating a strong commitment to protecting life and strengthening families.

We are especially grateful for the many church leaders and congregations who consistently partner with Cornerstone through annual giving, Walk for Life, Annual Spring Gala, Baby Bottle Blessing campaigns, event participation, prayer support, and community engagement. Their faithful partnership remains one of the organization's greatest strengths.

Walk for Life - September 20, 2025



The Walk for Life continues to be an important grassroots fundraising event that brings together supporters of all ages and backgrounds. During the fiscal year, the event attracted nearly two hundred donors and generated more than two hundred individual gifts.

One of the event's greatest strengths is its ability to engage a wide range of community members, allowing supporters to participate at every giving level while creating awareness for Cornerstone's ministry.

The Walk for Life exemplifies how many individuals making a collective commitment can create lasting impact for families in need.

Annual Spring Gala - March 20, 2026

Cornerstone celebrated 40 years of ministry at the Annual Spring Gala and it was a celebration of community, mission, and generosity! The event brought together hundreds of supporters and introduced many individuals to Cornerstone for the first time.

A particularly encouraging outcome was the significant number of first-time donors who engaged with the ministry through the Gala. This growth demonstrates increasing community awareness and provides opportunities to cultivate lasting relationships with new supporters.



The success of the Gala was made possible through sponsorships, underwriting, table hosts, pledges, matching gifts, and generous individual giving, and it produced substantial net revenue while strengthening donor and community relationships. who collectively invested in Cornerstone's mission and future impact.

Baby Bottle Blessing Campaign - Mother's Day-Father's Day, 2026

The Baby Bottle Blessing Campaign once again proved to be one of Cornerstone's most successful and efficient fundraising initiatives. Churches, businesses, and individual supporters across several counties participated in this community-wide effort, demonstrating both generosity and enthusiasm for the mission. Most importantly, the campaign reflects the collective impact of hundreds of donors joining together to support the work of Cornerstone Pregnancy Services.

The campaign benefited from:

- Broad participation across the region.
- Strong engagement from church partners.
- Excellent financial stewardship.
- Exceptional fundraising efficiency and return on investment.



Commitment to Stewardship

Cornerstone Pregnancy Services remains committed to using donor resources wisely and responsibly. Across all fundraising initiatives, strong financial stewardship remained a consistent priority. Reports from the fiscal year demonstrate careful expense management and effective use of funds, allowing donor support to directly strengthen ministry services and client programs.

Our donors entrust us with resources that make life-changing ministry possible, and we are honored to steward those gifts with integrity, accountability, and transparency.

Looking Ahead

As we move into the next fiscal year, Cornerstone Pregnancy Services is positioned for continued growth and impact. Key priorities include:

- Expanding church partnerships throughout the region.
- Strengthening donor relationships and retention efforts.
- Growing recurring monthly giving.
- Increasing corporate sponsorship opportunities.
- Welcoming and engaging new supporters through events and community outreach.

By building on the strong foundation established this year, Cornerstone will continue expanding its ability to serve women, men, and families with compassion, truth, and hope.

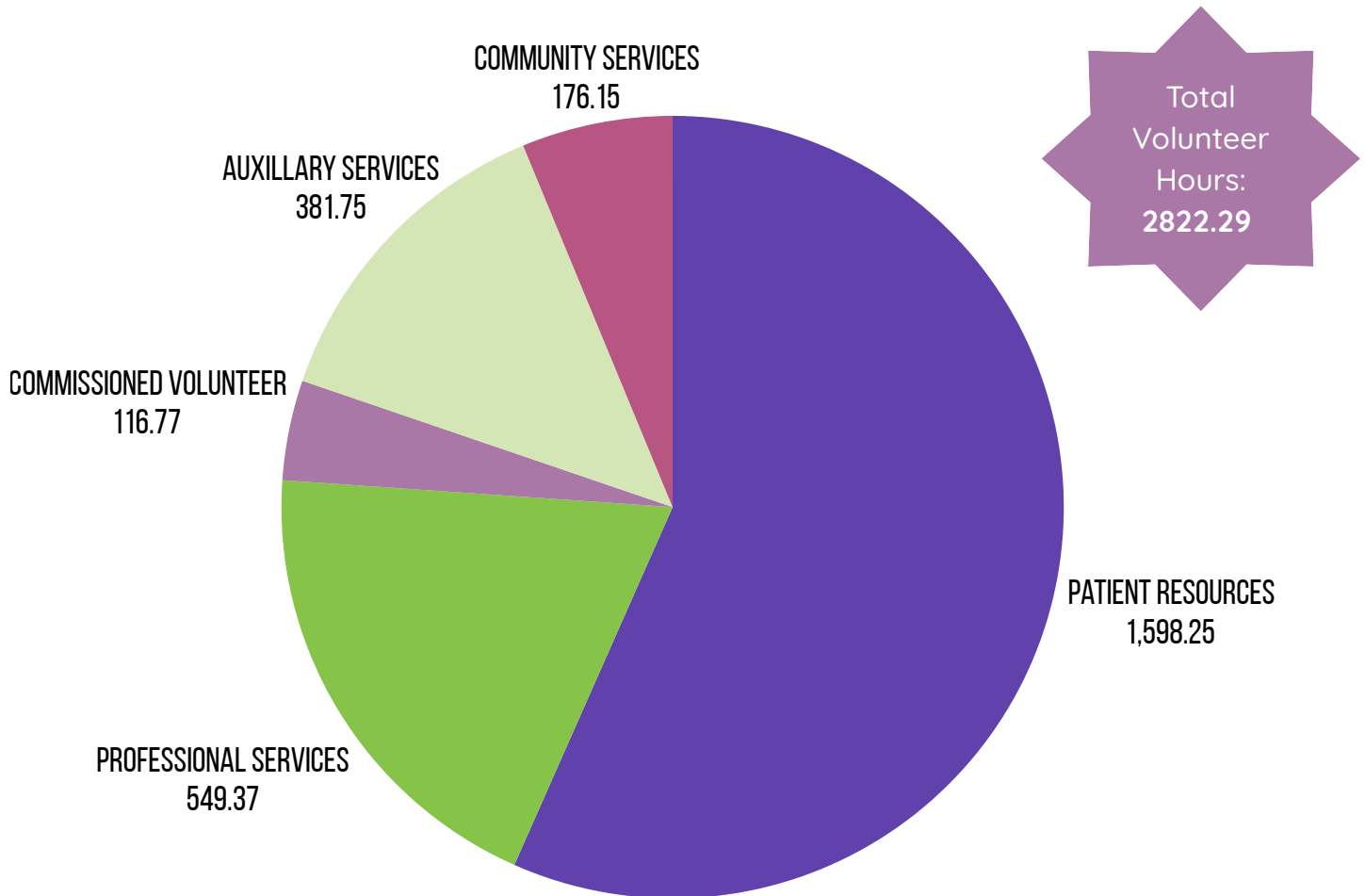
Thank You

To every donor, church partner, business sponsor, volunteer, event attendee, and advocate: thank you! Your generosity made a difference. Your partnership strengthened families. Your support helped ensure that individuals facing difficult circumstances encountered both practical assistance and genuine hope.

Together, we are changing lives and building a stronger future for the families we serve. We are deeply grateful for your continued trust, prayer, and investment in the mission of Cornerstone Pregnancy Services.

Volunteer Activity Report by Tammy Wokal, Volunteer Coordinator

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY CATEGORIES - HOURS SERVED



VOLUNTEER IMPACT AREAS- BREAKDOWN OF HOURS SERVED PER ACTIVITY CATEGORY

Patient Resources Volunteer

- Patient or Family Advocates - 1,111.5
- Baby Boutique Worker - 486.75

Professional Services Volunteer

- Advance Practice Nurse, Registered Nurse - 434.37
- Abortion Healing Group Leader - 67.25
- Nurse Practitioner, Physician, Physician Assistant - 47.75

Auxiliary Services Volunteer

- Administration - 129
- Prayer Team: In Person - 104
- Prayer Team: Mobile - 91
- Prayer: Individual - 30.75
- Special Events - 27

Community Services Volunteer

- Facility Upkeep - 144.65
- Construction/Remodeling - 31.5

Commissioned Volunteer

- Cornerstone Board of Directors - 116.77

Volunteer Spotlight: Laurel Buettnner



Laurel has been a beloved volunteer with Cornerstone/Lilli Women's Center since 2015, providing 11 years of faithful service!

It is so apparent that Laurel loves Jesus and the women she serves. With her sweet, gentle spirit, she excels as a Client Advocate, meeting each woman exactly where she is and offering the warmth and compassion of Christ.

Along with sharing her wise, godly counsel as an Advocate, Laurel also volunteers her professional RN services in our clinic. Whether she is serving as a nurse or an advocate, it is not unusual to find her arriving early with a mop or broom in hand, helping keep our clinic clean, welcoming, and ready for the women we serve. Her willingness to step in wherever needed reflects her true servant's heart.

"I would say that there are several things I find rewarding in my role at Lilli. I especially love meeting women from all over the world. We often serve clients from many different countries! I find it a privilege and honor to hear our clients' stories and be trusted with their hearts. It is rewarding when I meet women who choose to give life to their babies, and are motivated to utilize the resources available to help them do so." - Laurel

Laurel's all-in spirit extends beyond the walls of our clinic as well. She is a wonderful ambassador for Christ and for Cornerstone, faithfully representing our ministry at church events, staffing information tables, and supporting a variety of community outreach efforts throughout the year. Whatever the task, Laurel serves with grace, humility, and joy.

On behalf of Cornerstone Pregnancy Services and the families we serve, we thank Laurel for faithfully sharing her time, energy, talents, and beautiful heart with us for more than a decade.

We are deeply grateful for her dedication and the many ways God has used her to bless others. We look forward to seeing how He continues to work through Laurel in the years to come!

Thank you, Laurel, for serving as a Champion for Life!



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