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United Way of Lancaster County



2020-2021 Community Report

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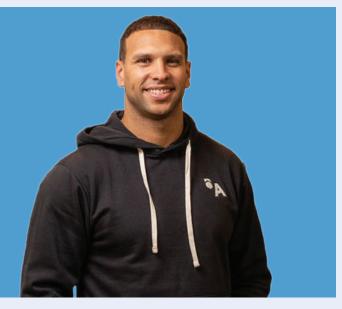


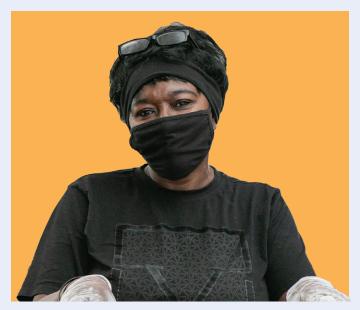














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**MISSION** To advance the education, economic mobility, and health of our community by mobilizing resources, people, and organizations.



United Way of Lancaster County

**VISION** An equitable Lancaster County where every individual has an opportunity to succeed, and the entire community thrives as a result.



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### LETTER FROM OUR BOARD CHAIR

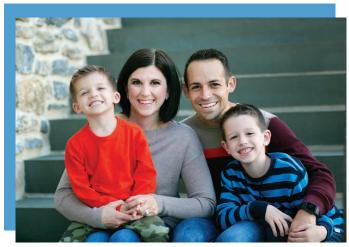
Communication has never been closer to our fingertips or farther from our ears than it is today. The strength of our board and organization lies in our ability to listen to Lancaster and react.

"Friends are those rare people who ask how we are, and then wait to hear the answer." -Ed Cunningham

How did we listen? By answering 35,746 calls, texts and electronic requests from Lancaster residents who contacted 211 for help affording food, accessing child care or finding housing. By holding conversations about our community on critical and timely topics. By making sure our Board represents and cares about our community.

How did we react? By bringing together the resources, people and organizations to provide solutions. By being a friend to our neighbors, after taking the time to listen to them and understand their concerns. By listening to the intent of our donors and leveraging their investment into the community.

That's Our Way, and we hope you share in our pride as you read through the stories of impact contained in this report.



The Nieli Family - Lorenzo, Jessica, Stephen & Gianluca



Stephen Nieli, Campaign Chair

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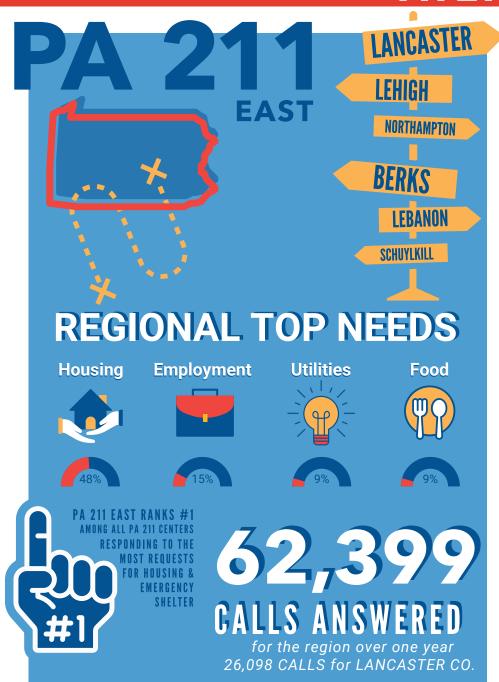
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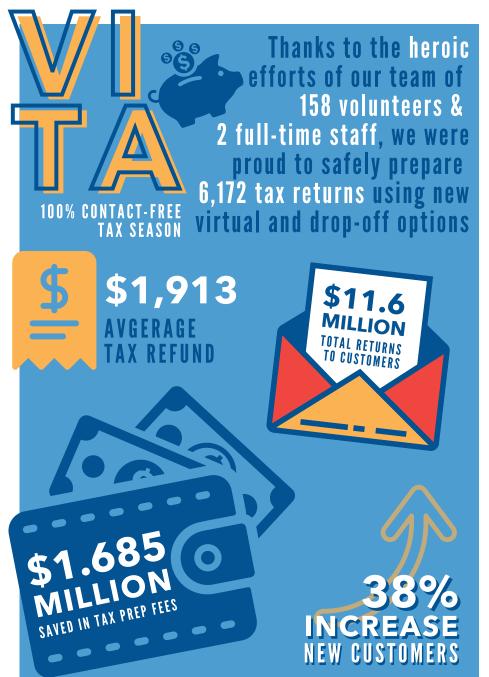
### PA 211 EAST



Imagine that your social support system has vanished. Your relationships, job, housing and savings are all slipping away. Now imagine tragedy strikes - a job loss, a domestic violence situation, an accident or a mental health crisis - and those insecurities become liabilities.

Who would you call for help first? A 2020 survey by bankrate.com found that only 41% of Americans could weather a \$1,000 emergency with their savings. Fortunately, United Way of Lancaster's PA211 contact center is a free, confidential 24/7/365 service that covers 7 counties and connects people to over 2,800 non-profit and community-based organizations. Your support through contributions to United Way ensures this service remains free, easy and innovative for those who aren't always able to prepare for life's unexpected challenges.

### **VOLUNTEER INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE (VITA)**



They say nothing is certain in life but death and taxes. While no one can prevent death, United Way can help with your taxes. Every year, United Way of Lancaster's Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program helps tens of thousands of low to moderate income individuals confidently file their taxes with IRS certified volunteers. We save millions in tax preparation fees for our neighbors; dollars that pay rent and utilities, buy holiday gifts for children, and provide some financial peace of mind.

Many of our clients would not file taxes if not for VITA because of the average \$270 preparation fee. Many more might try to file on their own or use a preparation service that is focused more on quickness than care. Because our tax preparers are focused on customers over cashflow, they ensure eligible deductions aren't missed to maximize IRS returns to the community. Millions saved. Millions returned. All for Lancaster County residents.

### **TOCQUEVILLE SOCIETY**

La Table Ronde de Millions de Dollars (Million Dollar Roundtable)
Fiva B. Wilson\*

### Ordre d' Egalite (\$50,000-\$74,999)

Donald & Susan Maier

### Ordre de Liberte (\$25,000-\$49,999)

David R. & Tamela J. Fassnacht Rick & Jessica Rodgers

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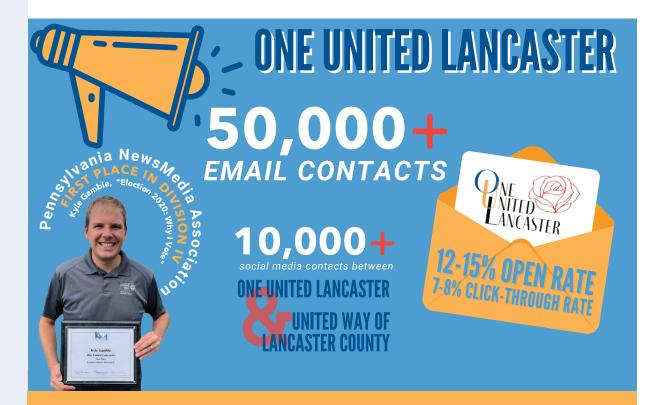
Mike & Sandy Wege

Eric & Kristin Wenger

Linda & Jeff Wright

Vicki & Steve Zuckerman

\*Deceased Anonymous (1)





2032
TOTAL VOLUNTEERS

The value of our volunteers' time totals

\$629,354



of \$2320 from volunteer activities



### WOMEN UNITED

The mission of Women United is to invest in the betterment of Lancaster County women. Member contributions are invested in programs and initiatives through an annual grant process. The objective of the 2021-2022 grant cycle is to better the lives of Lancaster County women by promoting women's education initiatives. In the 2020-2021 grant cycle, Women United was proud to distribute some \$80,000 in grant funds to the following organizations doing work in Lancaster County to better the health of women 18+.

• Girls on the Run: Girls on the Run serves Lancaster and Lebanon Counties with an afterschool activity that builds self-esteem and promotes a healthy lifestyle in young girls between the ages of 8 and 13 by training for a 5K.





• Union Community Care: This federally qualified health center, with its extensive group of community partners, will be executing a unique pilot program to improve the health and wellness of women in a marginalized sector of Lancaster County: women who are pregnant and struggling with substance use disorder.

• Penn Medicine Lancaster General Health: LGH will better the lives of Lancaster County women by reducing their risk of developing cancers caused





### **WOMEN UNITED MEMBERS**

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Ann Treier Linda Wright

Anonymous (1)

This list was created on June 30, 2021. We apologize for any omissions of members or step-up members. We also thank supporters who invested gifts under \$1,000 in Women United's mission.

### Diamond Leaders \$7.500-\$9.999

Philip & Gretchen Miller Joseph & Elizabeth Roda Paul & Ellen Romano Dave & Anne Marie Schulz

### Platinum Leaders \$5,000-\$7,499

Kathryn & Steve Borkgren Mark & Patty Fitzgerald Bob & Patty Ford Phil & Pati Frey Scott & Lynn Fyfe John & Susan Garofola Mrs. Bernice K. Gerhart John Kayser Kathy & Dan Kravitz Jim & Marcie Mack Teresa A. Murray Curt & Kim Myers Tim & Sheila Oostdyk Daniel J. Platt Beth & Dominic Rice Charles Romberger Mark & Andrea Stanley Kevin & Denise Walling Kristin Wiest & Michael Winters Stacev & Robert Youcis

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Maureen & Chris Malev

### COMMUNITY

### LANCASTER PARTNERSHIP FOR LEARNING EQUITY

When the Lancaster Partnership for Learning Equity launched in 2020, it had multiple goals. In the short term, we wanted to counteract the disruptive effect of the coronavirus on education. But we also wanted to tackle the economic and social economic disparities that lead to disadvantaged children falling behind — in other words, to actualize the "Equity" in the partnership's name.

Our first project, the Summer Learning Program, was a great success. It offered free laptops to eligible households, access to broadband internet, an outstanding curriculum, and a dedicated team of certified teachers. Putting this all together in record time, then seeing it come to life, "felt like the kind of miraculous experiment we all dream of being a part of," said Kevin Ressler.



- Partners:
- BellXcel



Comcast



NAACP - Lancaster Branch



Steinman Foundation



- STEM Alliance



- United Way of Lancaster County

Thank you to these organizations that provided funding: Steinman Foundation (\$100,000) PNC Foundation (\$25,000), Campbell Foundation (\$12,500), and Wells Fargo (\$15,000).

### INITIATIVES

### Conversations about OUR Community

Throughout the past year we held monthly virtual conversations about OUR community on topics relevant to the needs of Lancaster County and its residents. Over 25 speakers from county business and civic leaders like Penn Medicine LGH, UPMC, School District of Lancaster, LGBTQ+ Coalition, Patients R Waiting, Spanish American Civic Association, and the Office of Governor Tom Wolf have participated. These engaging and poignant conversations have also brought together over 300 attendees collectively.



### **County Wide Connections**

United Way of Lancaster County staff not only execute the mission of the organization on a daily basis, but many do much more to improve the Lancaster County community through their involvement in other organizations:

- Age Friendly Lancaster County Advisory Board
- Career Ready Lancaster
- CareerLink Leadership Team
- Conestoga Valley Education Foundation Board
- Elizabethtown Area HUB Executive Committee
- Emergency Services Response Coordination
- Empower Lancaster Steering Committee
- Everence Federal Credit Union Board Chair
- Federal Reserve Reinventing Our Communities Cohort
- Funders Forum
- HEAL PA ACES Committee
- Hourglass Foundation
- Hunger Free Lancaster Coalition
- Joint Funding Committee
- Leadership Lancaster

- Lanc Co MyHome Emergency Response Committee
- Lancaster Cares Steering Committee
- Nurse Family Partnership Community Advisory Board
- Partnership for Public Health
- Poverty Coalition
- Racial Equity Profile Steering Committee
- Rotary of Elizabethtown
- Start Strong PA Mobilization and Communications Committee
- Together Initiative Executive Committee
- UPMC Lititz Board
- United Way PA Collective Impact Cohort Committee
- United Way PA Public Policy Committee
- United Way Worldwide Operating Model Task Force
- United Way of Pennsylvania Board
- Workforce Development Board Youth Council

### **LEADERSHIP SOCIETY (CONT.)**

Silver Leaders \$1.500-\$2.499

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Joe & Kristy Legenstein Pam & Kirk Liddell Bret Lieberman Keefe Long Robert & Linda Macina Jessica M. Macker Gladvs Malone Mr. Thomas Malone Aaron & Tracy Marines Salvatore F. Marone Brian & Melissa McCollough Anne McGrann Phillip E. McIntyre Kristina J. & Henri P. McVey Ronnie & Ilse Medlock Pat & Steve Meyers Steven C. Miller Richard Myers Steve & Jess Nieli Mark & Bethany Novis Elwood & Lori Pickell Carl & Ellen Pike Kathy Prime-Sposito Dr. Thomas & Barbara Regan Pamela/ David Reist Sean & Cheri Reynolds Clint & Deanna Rider Donn & Terri Ridley Timothy & Jennifer Riley Todd & Angie Sargent Brenda Sauder R. Clair & Doris Sauder Jennifer Schneider Carol & Phillip Schonour Sharon M. Sherban Mary Ann Shirk Benjamin & Megan Snell Sheila L. Snyder Dan & Georgia Steinbacher Lawrence K. Stinson Susan Stone Rick Stoudt Bruce & Leslie Tahsler John W. & Anne B. Tennis Pam Vnenchak, MD Charles P. Weekes **Debby Huber Wells** Galen Wenger Camille Werzowa Mr. & Mrs. Andrew B. Yehl Sr.



### **CORPORATE AND EMPLOYEE GIFTS**

### Pillar Society (\$100,000 and above)

Armstrong Flooring, Inc.

Armstrong World Industries, Inc.

Exelon

Fulton Financial Corporation / Fulton Bank

The High Companies

Penn Medicine Lancaster General Health

UGI Utilities Inc.

### Tier 2 (\$50,000 - \$100,000)

**Eurofins Lancaster Laboratories** 

The Hershey Company

PNC Bank

**PPL Electric Utilities** 

RKL

Rodgers & Associates United Parcel Service

### Tier 3 (\$25,000 - \$50,000)

AHF Products

Barley Snyder

Donegal Mutual Insurance

Irex Corporation

Kellogg Company

Lititz Mutual Insurance Company

Murray

PACCAR Inc.

PA State Employees Combined Appeal Truist (formerly BB&T)

Wegmans

### Tier 4 (\$10,000 - \$25,000)

Air Products of Lancaster County

Burns & McDonnell

Capital Blue Cross

Central PA Food Bank

**Certified Carpet** 

Comcast

Costco Wholesale Club

**Electron Energy Corporation** 

McNees Wallace & Nurick

Northwest Bank

Packaging Corporation of America

Roechling Medical Lancaster

Santander Bank

School District of Lancaster

Stauffers Of Kissel Hill

Target

United Way of Lancaster County

Wellspan Ephrata Community Hospital

### Tier 5 (\$5,000 - \$10,000)

AMETEK Inc.

Community Action Partnership of Lancaster County

Conestoga Valley School District

Ephrata National Bank

Federal Express Corporation

Franklin & Marshall College

M & T Bank

Morgan Stanley

New Holland North America Inc.

Orrstown Bank

**Rhoads Energy Corporation** 

Saxton & Stump, LLC Somat Company

Turkey Hill Dairy

Turkey Hill Minit Markets

Univest Bank

Weis Markets



\$13,289,000 VITA (PREPIEES & RETURNS)

\$1,582,854 **PARTNERSHIP GRANTS** 

\$750,000 LancolMyHome

\$561,545 **LANGASTER CARES** 

\$1,181,500 **NURSE FAMILY PARTNERSHIP** 

\$60,000 **WOMEN UNITED GRANTS**  FINANCED COMMUNITY

\$264,895 PROJECT SOS

\$455,979 OTHER GRANTS AND SUPPORTS



\$18,145,770

### **CORPORATE AND EMPLOYEE GIFTS (CONT.)**

Tier 6 (\$1,000 - \$5,000)

AAA Central Penn

Arconic

Armstrong Floor Plant

August Mack Environmental

Beers & Hoffman, Ltd. Bentley Systems

Berk-Tek, Inc.

Blakinger Thomas

**Brookfield Renewable** 

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Cargas Systems

Cargill Cocoa & Chocolate

Citigroup

Cocalico School District

Community Banks

Corman Kokosing Construction Co.

Domani Wealth Donsco Inc.

EHD

**ELA Group** 

Elizabethtown Child Care Center

Elizabethtown College

Elizabethtown School District

**ETEMCO** 

First National Bank

Goodville Mutual Casualty

The Hess Agency

IBM Corporation

Johnson & Johnson

Lampeter Strasburg School District

Lancaster City Government

Lancaster City Housing Authority

Lancaster County Government

Lancaster-Lebanon Intermediate/IU13

Lancaster Theological Seminary

LNP Media Group

Manheim Central School District

Manheim Township School District

Merrill Lynch Inc.

MetEd/First Energy Company

Milton Hershey School

North Group Consultants

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Penn National Insurance

Penn State Health Milton S. Hershey Medical Center

Penn State University

Pepperidge Farm Inc.

Pequea Valley School District

Ranck Plumbing, Heating, & Air Conditioning

Rossmere Mennonite Church

**Tabor Community Services** 

**Traditions Bank** 

TriStarr Staffing

Trustmark

Wal-Mart

Warfel Construction Company

Warwick School District

Weidenhammer Systems Corporation

Westfield Insurance

Wells Fargo

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Pre-K EITC Scholarship Contributors

UHS of PA

PPL Electric Utilities Rodgers & Associates

Truist (formerly BB&T)

UPMC Health

**Foundations** 

Armstrong Foundation Ferree Foundation

Gooding Group Foundation

**High Foundation** 

**PPG** Foundation

Rotary Club of Lancaster Foundation

Steinman Foundation

# **EDUCATION**

### **SUPPORTING NON**

Since July 2020, we invested more than \$1.6 million to more than 50 agencies in 10 Collective Impact Partnerships addressing needs around education, poverty, and health in Lancaster County.

### SAIL (SYSTEMS ALIGNED IN LEARNING) \$151,500

Increasing the quality of home-based childcare by providing early learning resources, materials and mentoring directly to home-based childcare providers across the county.

- COBYS Family Services
- Library System of Lancaster County
- Luthercare for Kids
- Penn Medicine Lancaster General Health



### PLANT THE SEED OF LEARNING \$68,497

Engaging educating, and empowering parents of children from birth to age 4 to plant seeds of learning through interactive workshops and meaningful activities.

- Aimee's Babies
- Community Action Partnership
- Early Childhood Innovative Connections
- Nurse Family Partnership (Penn Medicine/LGH)
- Plant the Seed of Learning
- Wellspan Ephrata Hospital
- School Districts: Cocalico, Conestoga Valley, Elanco Ephrata, Hempfield, Lampeter-Strasburg, Lancaster, Manheim Township, Pequea Valley, Solanco, Warwick



### FIRST TEN (P-3 PARTNERSHIP PATHWAYS) \$223.828

A collective of school districts and early childhood education providers united around the goal to align early childhood and elementary school public education.

- COBYS Family Services
- Community Action Partnership
- Lancaster County Early Intervention
- Lancaster-Lebanon IU13
- Ephrata School District
- School District of Lancaster
- Manheim Central School District
- Penn Manor School District



### ELIZABETHTOWN AREA HUB \$162,670

Collaboration of local partners addressing food/shelter/clothing, education, mental and physical health, substance abuse, and long-term sustainability in the Northwest region of the County

- Community Action Partnership
- Community Cupboard & Build A Plate
- Compass Mark
- Cornerstone Youth Center
- Donegal School District
- Elizabethtown Community Housing & Outreach Service (ECHOS)
- Elizabethtown Area Communities That Care
- Elizabethtown Area School District
- Elizabethtown Child Care Center
- Elizabethtown College
- Elizabethtown Community Nursery School
- Elizabethtown Public Library
- GEARS Kids Center
- Good Samaritan Services
- Hope Within Ministries
- Jewel David Ministries
- Milanof-Schock Library
- Tabor Community Services
- United Churches Elizabethtown Area

### **NORTHERN LANCASTER HUB \$185.700**

- COBYS Family Service
- Community Action Partnership
- Ephrata Area Social Services
- Ephrata Public Library
- Good Samaritan Services
- Lancaster County Coalition to End Homelessness
- Lancaster Housing Opportunity Partnership
- The Literacy Council
- PA CareerLink
- REAL Life Community Services
- Tabor Community Services
- Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program
- WellSpan Philhaven
- Welsh Mountain Health Centers





# ECONOMIC MOBILITY

### **PROFIT PARTNERS**

### **SOLANCO FAMILY LIFE NETWORK \$41,224**

- COBYS Family Services
- Lancaster Lebanon IU-13
- New Hope Community Life Ministries
- Quarryville Library Center
- Solanco Neighborhood Ministries
- Solanco School District
- Southern End Community Association
- The Literacy Council



### **TOGETHER INITIATIVE NETWORK \$187,500**

- Bright Horizons Child Care
- Community Action Partnership
- Community Services Group
- Grace Point Church
- Lancaster County Coalition to End Homelessness
- Penn Medicine/Lancaster General Health
- The Literacy Council
- PA CareerLink of Lancaster County
- Pequea Valley School District
- Tabor Community Services
- The Factory Ministries
- Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program
- Welsh Mountain Health Centers

### TOGETHER INITIATIVE NETWORK

### INTEGRATION SERVICES FOR NEW AMERICANS \$206,250

Provides education, health, and financial services for refugee and immigrant students and their families at the Refugee Center in Reynolds Middle School so they may thrive in our community.

- Bethany Christian Services
- Church World Services
- Lancaster Health Center
- Lancaster-Lebanon IU-13
- School District of Lancaster
- The Literacy Council

### PATH TO ONE GOOD JOB \$225,000

Serves any Lancaster County resident with an educational, situational, or financial barrier to obtaining a post-secondary credential, enabling them to obtain and retain employment at family-sustainable wages.

- Church World Services
- Columbia Life Network
- Community Action Partnership
- ECHOS
- Lancaster County Career & Technology Center
- Lancaster Chamber
- Lancaster-Lebanon IU-13
- PA CareerLink
- Tec Centro (SACA)
- Thaddeus Stevens College
- The Factory Ministries
- The Literacy Council



### **LANC CO MY HOME \$187,500**

- Penn Medicine/Lancaster General Health
- City of Lancaster
- Community Action Partnership
- ECHOS (Elizabethtown)
- Lancaster County Housing & Redevelopment Authority
- Mid-Penn Legal Services
- Tabor Community Services
- The Factory Ministries
- YWCA Lancaster



### **LEADERSHIP SOCIETY (CONT.)**

Bronze Leaders \$1,000-\$1,499

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Susan Federowicz

Paul W. Frick

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Jeremy Ryan Geib

Henry R. & Jolyn Gibbel

Michelle & Mike Gibbons

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Kenneth M. Goddu

Timothy J. Graham

Jennifer Groff

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Stanton W. Grube

Mr. & Mrs. Mark A. Hackenburg

Ken & Linda Harnish

Cynthia Hart

Denise C. Hartman & Kevin P. Hartman

Jill Ranck Hauck

Paul J. Heim

Chris Hershey

J. Robert & Nancy Hess

Margaret High

Andrew & Lindsay Hinkley

Lori L. Hoffman

**Bret Hoffmaster** 

Jennifer Hood

Kathy Lynn Horne

Jeffrey & Alicia Horst Debra Houpt & Vito DiCamillo

The Hummer Family Charitable Fund

Integrity Staffing

Mohammed Jamil

Elizabeth Druck

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Rosemary O. Hartman

Christina Hoffman

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Daniel G. Huegel

Joann & David Irwin Ed & Maria Jablonski Anna Ruth Jacobs

### COVID-19

### LANCASTER



**United Way of Lancaster County** 



Since March 2020, Lancaster County Community Foundation and United Way of Lancaster County distributed over one million dollars to 70 organizations working to support clients directly impacted by COVID-19.

- · A Woman's Concern
- Aaron's Acres Anchorage Breakfast
- Arch Street Center
- Attollo: Children Deserve A Chance
- Bench Mark Program Bethany Christian Services of
- Central PA
- · Boys & Girls Club of Lancaster Bridge of Hope, Inc.
- Canine Partners for Life
- · CASA
- · CHI St. Joseph Children's Health
- Church World Services · Clare House
- Clinic for Special Children
- Community Basics Inc. · Compass Mark
- Completion
- Conestoga Valley Christian Community Services
- CrossNet Ministries Elizabethtown Community Housing &
- Outreach Services (ECHOS) Ephrata Area Social Services
- Ephrata Public Library
- Excentia (d.b.a. S. June Smith Center) Faith Friendship Ministries
- Friendship Community · Gaudenzia Vantage
- Go Beyond LLC · Grace Chapel Food Pantry
- Hands Across the Street
- HDC MidAtlantic · Hempfield Rec Center
- Hope Within Ministries Horizons at Lancaster Country Day School
- Keystone Human Services

- Lancaster County Council of Churches/Food Hub
- · Lancaster County Partnership for Public Health
- Lancaster Health Center Lancaster LGBTO+ Coalition
- Lancaster Recreation Commission
- Landis HCBS
- Meals on Wheels
- Mental Health America Mighty Mehal Foundation
- Milagro House Moravian Center of Lancaster
- North Star Initiative Off the Streets
- Parish Resource Center
- Patients R Waiting Inc Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Cruelty
- to Animals
- Planned Parenthood Keystone Power Packs Project
- Pregnancy Resources at Cornerstone PRiMA Arts Inc
- REAL Life Community Services
- Red Rose Intercultural and Educational Foundation Safe Communities
- Safe Families for Children
- San Juan Bautista South Central PA Sickle Cell Council
- Spanish American Civic Association
- The Factory Ministries The Kidney Foundation of Central
- The Mix at Arbor Place United Disabilities Services
- Wakefield Ambulance Assn.
- Water Street Ministries Youth Advocate Programs
- YWCA Lancaster

Pennsylvania

### RESPONSE



In January 2021, United Way of Lancaster County launched Project SOS (Share Our Stimulus), a community generated fund to redistribute funds to individuals and families financially impacted by COVID-19. During a period of economic instability, many families suffered loss of income and supports while, at the same time, other community members received un-needed stimulus funds and desired to donate to impact others!

United Way stepped up to meet the needs of struggling families by using ALICE framework to qualify applicants and accepting community donations. Within 34 days, 426 applications were received. After screening, 365 applications (1,202 family members) were eligible and received a total of \$167,500. Over several months, compassionate community members donated not only their stimulus checks, but those who did not receive these funds still donated to help those financially affected by the pandemic. In addition, corporate sponsors contributed \$50,000 to cover administrative costs so that every penny supported our community members.

of applicants were experiencing loss of income

of applicants were behind on utilities

of applicants applied for unemployment benefits

of applicants were behind on rent or mortgage

"I'm in need with food and my utilities. It's hard being a single mother to try and support everyone with the pandemic. Living check to check because of hours being cut and being afraid of catching COVID." -PROJECT SOS Recipient

### **LEADERSHIP SOCIETY (CONT.)**

### Bronze Leaders \$1,000-\$1,499 (cont.)

Beniamin R. Johnson Robert & Carol Johnson Stephen Johnson Deb Jones, MSW, LCSW

Thomas J. Jordan, IV & Dr. Valerie L. Jordan

Sugirtha D. Judd

Stuart & Veronica Juppenlatz

John P. Kalafut

Mark & Chrissy Katkovcin

Elizabeth Katz

Craig & Kisha Kauffman Luke Keenv

Dr. Ann S. Keim Bill & Ellen Kepler

Peter & Annie Kerekgyarto

Kim. Jubum

Van & Lisa Knox Tim & Anne Koenig

Keith & Nicole Koger William W. & Mary Ellen Kopetz

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Donald B. Kraybill Robert Kreidler

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Mr. Daryl B. Krushinsky

David & Holly Kutz

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Ron Lemen Sarah Lesser

Benton Levengood

Bruce & Lynda Limpert

Paul & Jan Lipinsky

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Mr. & Mrs. George A. Ludwig

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Doris Lyons Michael Lyons

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Donna Lee Mackin

Carol Macking

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Jove Mills Mahler

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Mr. Richard Manning

Clifford Martin

Rebecca Martin

Steven Masia

Mr. & Mrs. Paul Mattaini

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C. Clair McCormick

Marian McKee

Susan L. McMullen

Julie McNamara

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Jeff & Gail Miller Kevin Milligan

Lynn A. Mills Claude & Julie Minnick

Gerald L. Mohar Cindi Moses **Brad Mowbray** Mahendra Naiddo Dr. Jeanne H. Neff David & Susan Nicholas Peter Nicholson

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Brian Rank

Rick & Vanessa Rankin

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Kevin, Melissa, Acacia, & Iriana Ressler

Vivian K. Ressler

Gerald & Mary Alice Ressler

Mike & Jeanne Riley

Marc and Correen Russo

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Mr. Todd W Sangrey

Caesar J. Santiago

James & Sally Saxton

Bev & John Schantz

Matthew & Allison Schlegelmilch

Andrea & John Schmid

**David Schneider** 

William Schori

Jeanine & Jeff Schreiber

Tim & Linda Schuetze

Nicole & J. Seroky

**Brent & Amanda Shaw** 

Tim Shenk & Christine Kaufman

Scott & Jessica Shenk

Ms. Kimberly H. Shirker

Richard Short

Deidre W. Simmons

Zachary J. Smead

Philip & Erin Smith

Tom & Michele Souders

Ellen & Kevin St. Cyr

Christine Stabler, MD

Donald G. Stafford

Richard Stein

Mary Beth Stengel

Lawrence Fredrick Strassner III

Mrs. Kelly L. Strunk

James & Victoria Stuccio

Joe Subacz Derick Swartz

Joseph J. Swope

James H. & Judy L. Thomas J. Richard Thomas

Scott D. Tipping

Donald & Melanie Totaro

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Jonathan Ulmer Mary C. Veitch

### **LEADERSHIP SOCIETY (CONT.)**

Bronze Leaders \$1,000-\$1,499 (cont.)

Lee M. Wager David Wagner Christopher M.G. Wall Glenn & Gail Walz Charles "Chip" Wasson John Wayne Weaver Joan & Marc Weiner Robert & Mary Ann Welsh Stephen R. Wenrich Todd A. Wentling Amy & Lars White David S. Willenbecher Thomas S. Williams Linda Wilson Lvnn Wise Kevin Wolford John & Elizabeth Wood Daniel Wright Lisa Yoder Cynthia Yule Tim & Andi Zellers Mark & Teresa Zettlemoyer

Anonymous (49)

Scott & Holly Zieber

\*\*This list was created on July 22, 2021. We apologize if your name was omitted.



### OUR WAY F<u>orward</u>

### LETTER FROM OUR CEO

Hello and the warmest of greetings to you, your family, and the various communities in Lancaster that you represent.

Nearly two years ago, I was blessed with the opportunity to lead United Way of Lancaster County as President and CEO. Of course, nobody knew that three months later we would begin this challenging and painful journey through the COVID19 pandemic. For so many in our community, plans were put on pause as were celebrations and our very ways of life. I remember in the early days when Melissa, my wife, said to me "it's going to be the little griefs that add up." She was prophetic in this and I remember the first time I heard a child speaking in disappointment that their planned birthday party at Chuck-E-Cheese was going to be postponed. Some months later, I saw that they were closing for good. It may seem a small dream deferred to some but to him it was earth shattering. On the work side, similar struggles have occurred through unplanned retirements, job losses, and the difficulties of changing whole business models be it remote work or even the way we deliver services and products we sell.

I hope what you saw in these preceding pages is the power of United Way of Lancaster County to respond, support, and innovate in uncertain times. Melissa's grandfather, Dick Mong, passed away recently and I remember telling him about this new job. He had been United Way of Venango County's campaign chair in 1972, setting their campaign fundraising record. He gave me this advice, "Kevin, some of the brightest people I've ever known worked for United Way. If you trust in those you work with to come together to provide solutions, you will be successful." That advice rings true. We have directly funded nearly 200 organizations. This is through a mix of what we were already doing and increasing support because of your generosity during difficult times. We aren't through it yet, but together I know that we'll find Our Way as a community.

I personally appreciate the support you have given and continue to give, whether that is money or time or just the work itself. I anticipate that we will continue to do great things in the coming

times because we know a great secret: we can do so much when we Live United. That's Our Way, together.

Gratefully,

Kevin Ressler



### FINANCIAL STATEMENT

### United Way of Lancaster County Operating Activities 2020-2021

Fiscal Year Total Public Support	Year End June 30, 2021	Year End June 30, 2020	% Change From 2020
Revenue Grants Mgmt Fees Admin Fees Misc Income	\$2,892,978 \$2,037,307 \$575,863 \$30,029 \$182,140	\$2,870,463 \$1,734,927 \$396,245 \$82,583 \$234,301	
TOTAL INCOME	\$5,718,317	\$5,318,519	7.52%
Program Expenses Awards/Distributions Marketing 211 Call Center Volunteer Center VITA Community Impact	\$(1,919,294) \$(278,862) \$(711,027) \$(96,413) \$(224,943) \$(685,310)	\$(3,105,504) \$(132,544) \$(675,816) \$(93,146) \$(332,712) \$(438,862)	
TOTAL PROGRAM COST	\$(3,915,849)	\$(4,778,584)	-18.05%
Support Services Admin & General Fundraising TOTAL SUPPORT SERVICES	\$(541,612) \$(583,781) \$(1,125,393)	\$(549,402) \$(610,847) \$(1,160,249)	
			45.440
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$(5,041,242)	\$(5,938,833)	-15.11%
Nonoperating Activities Changes In Net Assests	\$1,091,053	\$(133,363)	
Net Assests Beginning of Year End of Year	\$4,691,986 \$6,460,114	\$5,445,666 \$4,691,989	<b>07 00</b>

**HONORARIUM & MEMORIALS** 

In honor of these very special people:

In honor of **Barbara Hall**, from: Ms. Susan E. Savage

In honor of **Joe & Margaret Coxey**, from: David E. Hosler

In honor of **Kevin M. Ressler**, from: Congregation Shaarai Shomayim

In honor of **Mark Miller**, from: David E. Hosler

In honor of **Steve O'Neill**, from: Fulton Bank

### In memory of these very special people:

In memory of **Betty Lou Royer**, from: Marilyn & Dennis Gehringer Jack R. Vogel Revocable Trust Jean M. Royer Kathy Lynn Horne Marilyn M. Shinaman Andrew & Kristina Sloyer Jeffrey N. Lefevre

In memory of **Iris MacRae**, from: Susan & Gerald Eckert



United Way of Lancaster County

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Thanks to High co-workers, United Way, and to all in our communities who help us Live United.



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