

## You Impact Lives

### A Fear of Fatherhood

Recently, "Mary Ann" came in for a pregnancy test. The test was positive – "Now what?! I'm only in High School, how can I possibly afford to take care of a baby?" she thought. Mary Ann really hoped she could find a way to make her situation just "go away".

She shared the news with the father of the baby, "Marcus" – he, too, was shocked and uncertain about what to do, but he agreed to meet with a Male Mentor. Shock began to turn to acceptance and they began to see that parenting their baby might really be possible.

Through continued encouragement from his Male Mentor, Marcus began to embrace the prospect of being a father, **fear began to subside** and he found ways to support Mary Ann. Each week they meet for prenatal and parenting classes and, though young, are growing in knowledge and confidence to be wonderful parents. They have reconciled with family members, and have decided to marry. HCPCC is so grateful to its advocates, male and female, who gave of themselves to help Mary Ann and Marcus lose fear, find hope and **choose life**!



### Baby Items Needed

- New Premie Socks
- New Laundry Baskets (square 53 Liter size)
- New Baby Clothing 18mo - 4T (Summer)
- New Maternity Clothes



WELCOME LITTLE ONES!

**Did you know?** The AVERAGE family out of pocket cost for pre-natal and delivery care in the US has risen to \$4,500

*"Love patiently accepts all things. It always trusts, always hopes, and always endures. Love never ends. . . So these three things continue forever: faith, hope, and love. And the greatest of these is love." – 1 Corinthians 13:7, 8 & 13*

# You Create Community

## New Services



### CLIENT RESOURCE CENTER:

Nanny's closet will soon be known as the Client Resource Center. This new service enables HCPCC to walk further in the pregnancy with our most **vulnerable clients**. When a client receives a positive pregnancy result and has little or no resource to support her pregnancy, she is at risk for abortion. The lack of access to health care and financial resources are the most influential factors in a woman's decision to terminate a pregnancy. In keeping with HCPCC's mission, we will be walking along side at-risk clients as they complete online applications for health care coverage and other needed resources! This program helps to secure physician care and to provide adequate food and financial resources to support a healthy pregnancy – and ultimately to **choose life**! If you are interested in becoming a volunteer Resource Advocate, please email [Lulu@hpcctexas.org](mailto:Lulu@hpcctexas.org) or call Lulu at 830-249-9717.

### CHILD CARE:

HCPCC will soon be offering child care during group parenting and some prenatal classes, so parents can **focus on their learning**. If you are interested in helping HCPCC with watching children for an hour, please contact Lulu at [lulu@hpcctexas.org](mailto:lulu@hpcctexas.org) or call 830-249-9717.



## New Digs

The new Comfort office space is ready and working well. A big thanks to the Kronkosky Charitable Foundation for providing funds to support these services. Since our move to 211 Main Street at the end of 2019 we have seen growth in EVERY area of service. We also added volunteers and nurses (including those who are bilingual). If you, or someone you know, would like to volunteer in our Comfort Office or just come for a tour, please contact Rosie at [rosario@hpcctexas.org](mailto:rosario@hpcctexas.org) or call 830-446-0351.



**Did you know?** 90% of a person's development happens in the womb!

## High School Students

**WE WANT YOU!**

Are you a high school student interested in becoming a part of the conversation about life and life affirming choices and offering support for those in your generation? Or, maybe you're a high school teacher, youth pastor, or group leader with students who might be interested – We Want You! **HCPCC is developing a Youth Council** that will both advise us on relevant issues facing students today and help provide a space to learn about issues regarding the value of life. Please contact Donna Klingaman, Executive Director at [donna@hpcctexas.org](mailto:donna@hpcctexas.org) or 830-249-9717 to talk more, or send us an instant message through facebook or instagram. We are excited to talk with you!

*"Children are a gift from the Lord;  
babies are a reward."*

– Psalms 127:3

*Save the Date!*  
Annual Gala  
**September 22, 2020**  
6-8pm  
Stay Tuned!



# Your Service is a Gift

## Advisors for Life

We had an outstanding joint annual lunch meeting with our Board of Advisors (BOA) and Church Advisory Council (CAC) members in January. These volunteers are our advocates in the community representing life and love. They heard stories and statistics from guests illustrating the beauty of compassion and care. Here is what one member had to say after attending the meeting *"I have been so impressed on the outreach work that HCPCC does in this community and beyond. They are working hard within the walls of this building but also reaching children, students and adults in the school education and elsewhere!"*



## Thank You Frost Bank

Executive Director Donna Klingaman presents Frost Bank CEO Lewis Thorne and Loan Officer Cayman Gentry with a Corporate Partner **exclusive Beth Coyle print!** Thank you for partnering with HCPCC in serving our community! If you would like more information about becoming a Corporate Partner contact Donna at 830-249-9717.



## Diaper Duty

Lead Volunteer, Karla Ross and her team take up "diaper duty" every month to prepare diaper packets for clients attending group parenting classes. The time, supplies and organization needed for program is quite extensive. Your donations help sustain classes each month, thank you! This past month they packed 6,840 diapers!



Reenie and Sandra check in guests for our Group Parenting Class



Group Parenting Class guests, lots of dads too!

**Did you know?** Clients receive 60 diapers and a pack of baby wipes per child for every Group Parenting Class they attend.

**SAVING LIVES,  
STRENGTHENING FAMILIES,  
EDUCATING YOUTH.**

## Corporate Partners

The Dienger Trading Company  
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Mama Margie's Mexican Café  
Texas Heritage Bank

## Corporate Church Partners

Currey Creek Church  
First Baptist Church of Boerne  
Nineteen: Ten Church  
St. John's Anglican Church  
St. John Lutheran Church  
Trinity Presbyterian Church

## Welcome New VOLUNTEERS

**Debra Bird**

*Client Advocate*

**Melissa Brite**

*Helping Hands*

**Janet Drinkard**

*Helping Hands*

**Esther Flores**

*Volunteer Nurse*

**Pat Staelens**

*Helping Hands*

**Diane Stiftinger**

*Client Advocate*

# You Change Lives

## A Lesson in the Unexpected

Recently, HCPCC had an unexpected incident. At the beginning of the new year, our building faced a large repair. For me, this was a disappointing discovery, especially after committing to a new budget year that didn't include a repair of this nature. How will we pay for such a repair? How will we continue to provide services during construction, and for how long?

Just about the time I began to feel a bit overwhelmed, God gently reminded me – He is Lord of unexpected incidents. Each week, clients we serve are facing unexpected incidents and He helps us care for them. We share with them how God loves them, knows all about them, including what they are facing this very day.

Perspective – that's what I needed. With this gentle reminder, God encouraged me. He is the God of unexpected incidents. **In the unexpected, God is already there and is not caught off guard or unprepared.** So it is, also, with life itself – no life is unexpected, we are all created with love and purpose – Let this encourage you: **"Your eyes beheld my unformed substance. In your book were written all the days that were formed for me, when none of them as yet existed."** Psalm 139:16

Donna Klingaman  
HCPCC Executive Director

## Blessings Abound



The Early Learning Center of St. Mark Presbyterian Church brought their collection of donated items with the help of this beautiful young lady.



Clients received an outpouring of love by generous students and families at Geneva School. They blessed us with a full truck load of equipment, clothing, diapers and more!



Barbara Racinowski and the residents of the Village Oaks subdivision selected HCPCC as their Christmas drive.



Children's classes of St. Peter's Catholic Church blessed HCPCC clients with their gifting.



Each class of Messiah's Kids Preschool blessed us with much needed baby equipment! Thank you teachers and Messiah families for your support!



Thank you Darrell and Debra Wagner for the beautiful brand new baby clothes!

  
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Hill Country Pregnancy Care Center



The Sovereign Sons Motorcycle Club - Boerne, blessed us with a donation! They have incredibly generous hearts for their community!