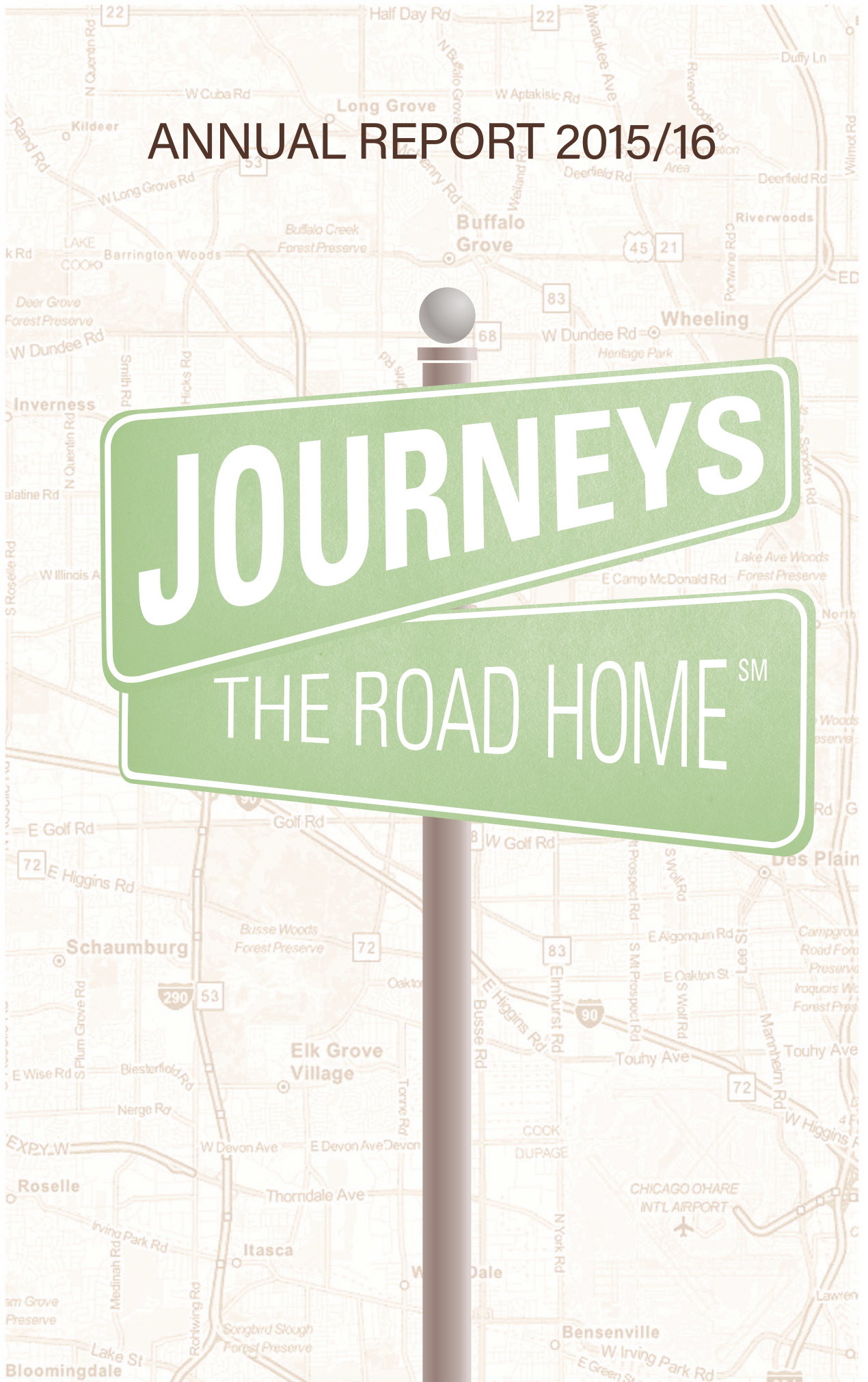


# ANNUAL REPORT 2015/16

# JOURNEYS

# THE ROAD HOME <sup>SM</sup>





**38% of children receiving services at JOURNEYS are age 5 and younger**



**More guests stayed at PADS sites this year than any other year in our history**



**The HOPE Center provided 22,266 clinical services this year**

## Our Mission

To individually assess and serve the homeless and near homeless, while broadening community awareness and involvement with the homeless.

## Our Vision

To be the nationally recognized agency for leading its local communities in providing effective, comprehensive services to the homeless and near homeless.

## Our Core Values

**RESPECT** | We operate with respect for clients, donors, one another, and the wider community. We work with respect for the structure, mission, and vision that we share.

**TEAMWORK** | We provide support to one another, working cooperatively throughout the organization to ensure that we meet goals together.

**MISSION-DRIVEN** | JOURNEYS' mission is to individually assess and serve the homeless and near homeless, while broadening community awareness and involvement with the homeless. Everything we do is driven toward that mission.

**COMMITMENT** | We work with urgency and commitment to fulfill our mission and goals and strive for excellence and quality in all we do.



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# A Year in Review

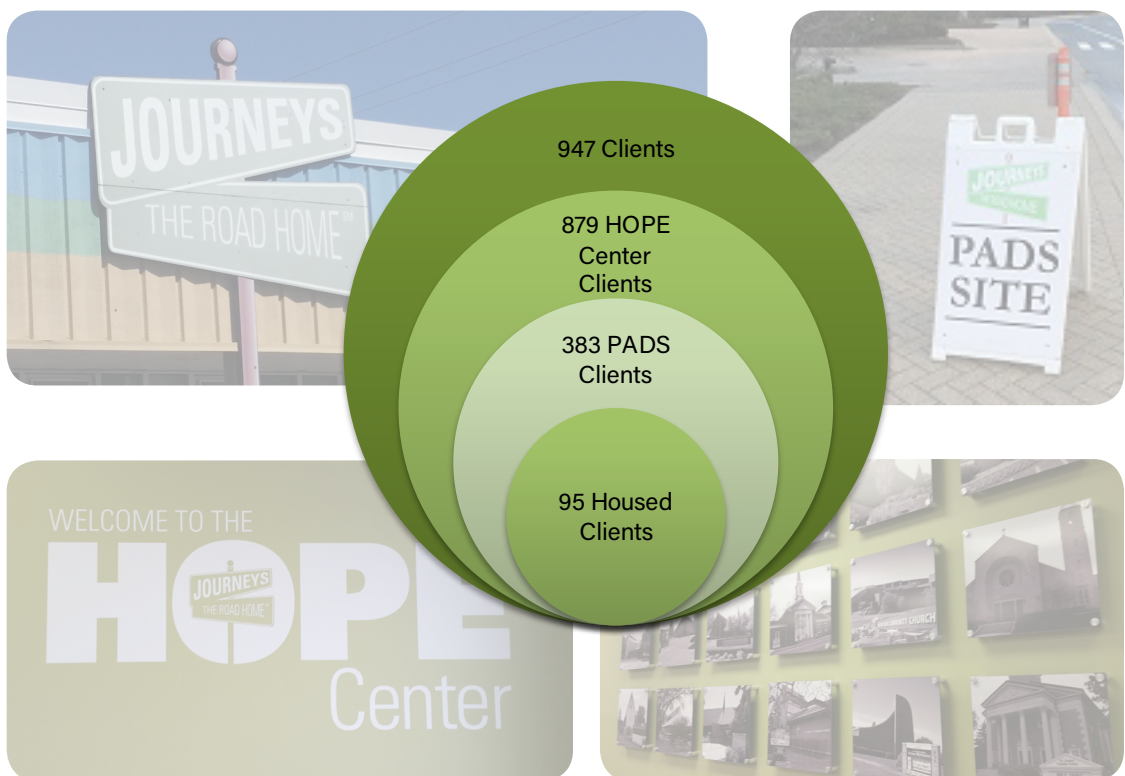
Dear Friends,

Thank you for making our 2015/2016 Fiscal Year yet another remarkable year for JOURNEYS | The Road Home! This year marked 27 years of service for the organization.

Over the past year, we have had the pleasure of watching JOURNEYS truly raise the bar for ourselves and for those we serve.

While the external environment for nonprofit organizations remains a very challenging one, we have seen our community come together and show resilience, focus and a shared sense of purpose, working effectively as a unified voice for change. While the obstacles have been many – from a persistently tough fundraising climate to discouraging public misperceptions about the role and value of homeless services assistance – what has shone through is the steadfast commitment to helping the community’s poorest and most vulnerable take charge of their lives and thrive, becoming who they were intended to be.

JOURNEYS faced our share of challenges in 2015/2016, but we’re pleased to report that, thanks to the hard work and dedication of our team and committed partners who participated in working groups and other key initiatives, we saw many notable successes in 2015/2016!



Our staff and board have done an incredible job at expanding our outreach while strengthening our programs and services. We worked conscientiously to develop consensus around strategic goals of year-round shelter, transportation, and affordable housing as well as increasing our accountability and transparency. The JOURNEYS team has worked tirelessly to raise the voice and profile of JOURNEYS with our community, partners, and beyond.

JOURNEYS has become a trusted resource for leaders seeking to hear the views and opinions of the homeless service community and explore partnerships to help the poor and struggling. We have moved from having a seat at the table to helping to set the agenda.

Our ongoing goal is to keep our overhead low while increasing our services for the community, and you truly make this possible! JOURNEYS is stronger than ever due to our continually expanding community who come together to donate time, resources, and talent in support of our important mission.

Thank you for wholeheartedly being a part of the JOURNEYS movement. We are looking forward to much more in 2017!

Yours Sincerely,



**Beth Nabors**  
Executive Director



**Burt Jensen**  
Board President



**“We have moved from having a seat at the table to helping set the agenda.”**

**- On JOURNEYS' role in ending homelessness**

# HOPE Center

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The HOPE Center offers a comprehensive array of services to stabilize homeless and near homeless persons into housing. We provide case management, counseling, and material goods, to increase a person's income, address their health issues, and move them into permanent and stable housing. Each year we help hundreds of people get or keep stable housing.

During the last year, we greatly increased our transportation capabilities to help people reach the ultimate goal of stable housing. Because transportation in the suburbs is so important to make progress towards any housing goal, it has been a primary target for improvement. In particular, we have acquired a wheelchair accessible van to help people get to appointments. We also have received more funding to distribute more transportation vouchers to people.

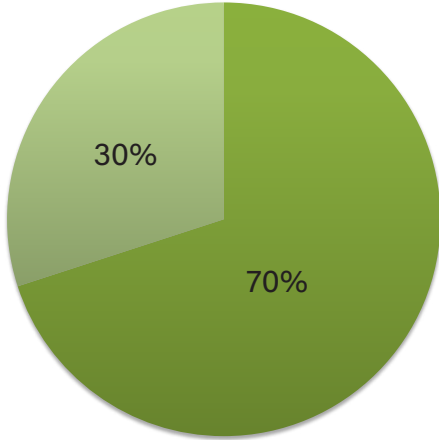
For those people who are ready for stable housing, over the last year our Pathways Housing Readiness program has partnered more closely with a number of area programs. For example, we have worked closely in the SubCook Zero team of providers to assess the most vulnerable homeless clients and their needs and place them in supportive housing based on specific criteria. We have also continued to refer and place clients into the Pathway Development Institute housing run by our sister agency, where many people have successfully and happily resided before moving into mainstream housing.

## **Over the upcoming year, the HOPE Center plans to:**

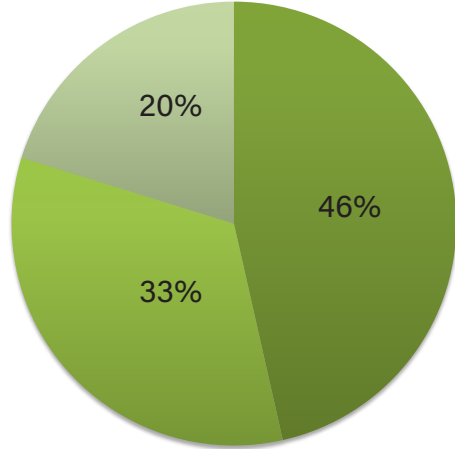
- Provide transportation to and from the shelters, prioritizing those people with disabilities and families
- Use new assessment tools to place people into supportive housing, prioritizing veterans, the chronically homeless, and families
- Participate in a coordinated region-wide assessment process that looks to shorten a person's time being homeless and increase access to resources to stabilize a person's life

## Who do we help?

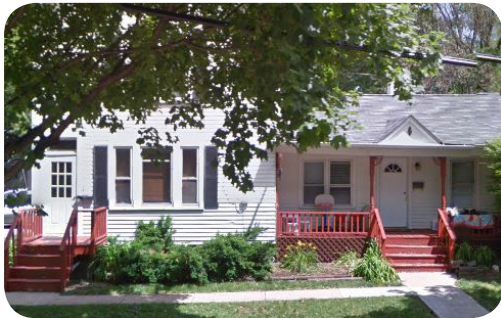
The face of homelessness has changed over the years. Today's homeless are not only middle-aged men, they are also women, children and families. The face of homelessness at JOURNEYS has increasingly become more diverse.



- Homeless (656 clients)
- At Risk of Becoming Homeless (288 clients)



- Men (436 clients)
- Women (315 clients)
- Children (194 clients)



## Did you know?

The top 5 services provided are long-term case management, shower access, clothing, material goods & ongoing emergency food assistance.



Heartland Alliance helped us provide hundreds of free high quality healthcare to our clients

# PADS Shelter Program

The PADS Shelter program is comprised of 18 emergency overnight shelters placed throughout our service area that are available every evening from October 1st until April 30th. The shelter sites are hosted at faith based organizations and staffed by volunteer leadership teams as well as a dedicated group of volunteers. Many of these locations are part of our original group of shelter sites from when we began offering services over 25 years ago.

PADS emergency shelter sites provide a temporary, and important sense of stability – of home, in the midst of what is a challenging situation for our guests. Knowing there is a safe place at night to rest among volunteers who genuinely care, is significant when all other aspects of life are in the complicated process of getting untangled.

This past 2015-2016 season, the PADS program offered a total of 15,150 nights of shelter where 45,450 meals were served. On average, 70 guests were hosted each night and the average length of stay for a guest was 39 days. During this season, the busiest month was March, where we saw 2,507 nights of shelter. In February we had our busiest night when 167 individual guests were hosted. The most notable change this season was a 142% increase in the number of children under the age of 5 staying at the overnight shelters. For many of our clients, the PADS shelters are the first step towards additional assistance and The Road Home.



Looking forward toward 2017, we are excited to be introducing summer shelter options starting May 2017. This will allow clients to utilize the overnight emergency shelters year-round and receive continued comprehensive support.



PADS volunteers  
logged over 25,000  
hours serving 383  
guests at 18 sites



# Service Area

SERVICE AREA	CLIENTS SERVED	SERVICE AREA	CLIENTS SERVED
Arlington Heights	112	Northfield	1
Barrington	8	Palatine	247
Bartlett	1	Park Ridge	5
Buffalo Grove	16	Prospect Heights	20
Des Plaines	80	Rolling Meadows	24
Elk Grove Village	25	Roselle	6
Glenview	10	Rosemont	3
Hanover Park	9	Schaumburg	37
Hoffman Estates	27	Skokie	2
Inverness	1	South Barrington	1
Morton Grove	3	Streamwood	16
Mount Prospect	62	Wheeling	32
Niles	17	Wilmette	2
Northbrook	5	Other*	175

\*Includes among others: Addison, Aurora, Belvidere, Blue Island, Burbank, Chicago, Chicago Ridge, Clarendon Hills, Crystal Lake, Dolton, Downers Grove, Elgin, Evanston, Fox River Grove, Franklin Park, Hillside, Huntley, Lake Forest, Melrose Park, Mundelein, Northlake, Richmond, Rockford, Vernon Hills, Wheaton, other Illinois cities, other non-Illinois cities.

## Total Clients Served 947

PADS Site	LOCATION	GUEST VISITS	MEALS SERVED
All Saints Lutheran Church	Palatine	487	1,461
Christ Lutheran	Palatine	1,117	3,351
Christus Victor Lutheran Church	Elk Grove Village	706	2,118
Congregational United Church of Christ	Arlington Heights	1,059	3,177
First Presbyterian	Arlington Heights	905	2,715
First United Methodist	Arlington Heights	710	2,130
Holy Family Catholic Community	Inverness	833	2,499
Kingswood United Methodist	Buffalo Grove	697	2,091
Our Lady of the Wayside Catholic	Arlington Heights	402	1,206
Our Saviour's Lutheran	Arlington Heights	811	2,433
Palatine Presbyterian	Palatine	620	1,860
Prince of Peace Lutheran	Schaumburg	763	2,289
St. Alphonsus Catholic	Prospect Heights	789	2,367
St. James Catholic	Arlington Heights	1,096	3,288
St. Mark Lutheran	Mount Prospect	1,493	4,479
St. Mary Catholic Church	Des Plaines	745	2,235
Trinity United Methodist	Mount Prospect	730	2,190
Willow Creek Community Church	South Barrington	1,187	3,561
<b>Total 2015/2016</b>		<b>15,150</b>	<b>45,450</b>

# Community Involvement

The communities surrounding JOURNEYS have continued to show their generosity in many ways whether that is through donations, volunteering or hosting third party events.

Volunteers are the heart and soul of JOURNEYS, and can be found across our service area at the various PADS overnight shelter sites, at the HOPE Center and at events throughout the year. This past season we were blessed with over 2,000 volunteers who gave over 25,000 hours of their time to help JOURNEYS work towards achieving its mission. JOURNEYS has not only been blessed with volunteers, but has received many donations from generous groups and individuals within our community. This past season donors collected everything from hats and gloves to baby supplies and food. Over 50 collections and third party events were held in support of JOURNEYS. We are beyond thankful for the continued support.

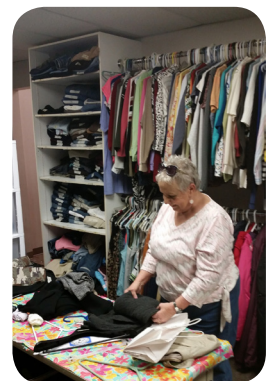
Moving forward, JOURNEYS will be implementing expanded opportunities for the community to become more involved. This season look for our expanded volunteer youth program which focuses on getting youth involved in helping those who live within their community. We will also focus on growing our leadership program at the PADS sites, offering more opportunities to volunteer for special events, starting a corporate ambassador program and more. Stayed tuned for ever-expanding opportunities to get involved at JOURNEYS | The Road Home this upcoming year.



*ComEd donated a pancake breakfast*



*First Presbyterian Volunteer Day*



*Sorting clothes*



*HOPE Kits for female clients*



*Neighborhood food drive*



*Prince of Peace Service Day*

# Signature Events

JOURNEYS plans 3 signature events throughout the year: Garden of Giving Women's Luncheon in the spring, Superhero 5K Run/Walk in the summer and Bid for HOPE Gala in the fall. The proceeds from each event directly supports JOURNEYS' programs and services.



*Bid for HOPE | Medinah Country Club*



*Garden of Giving Women's Luncheon  
Inverness Golf Club*



*Superhero 5K Run/Walk | Downtown Palatine*



Every December, JOURNEYS holds a Homeless Memorial Service around the winter solstice. Staff, board members, local officials and community members alike gather to remember and honor the clients who passed away that year.



# Financials

## Statement of Financial Position

ASSETS	2015-16	2014-15
Cash	\$417,336	\$301,902
Receivables and Prepaid Expenses	19,318	15,032
Property & Equipment, Net of Depreciation	418,437	448,633
Total Assets	<u>\$855,091</u>	<u>\$765,567</u>
<b>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>		
Due to Affiliate	\$(931)	\$ 0
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses	0	2,090
Total Liabilities	<u>\$(931)</u>	<u>\$2,090</u>
Unrestricted Net Assets	\$800,451	\$752,568
Temporarily Restricted Net Assets	55,571	10,909
Total Net Assets	<u>\$856,022</u>	<u>\$763,477</u>
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u>\$855,091</u>	<u>\$765,567</u>

## Statement of Activities

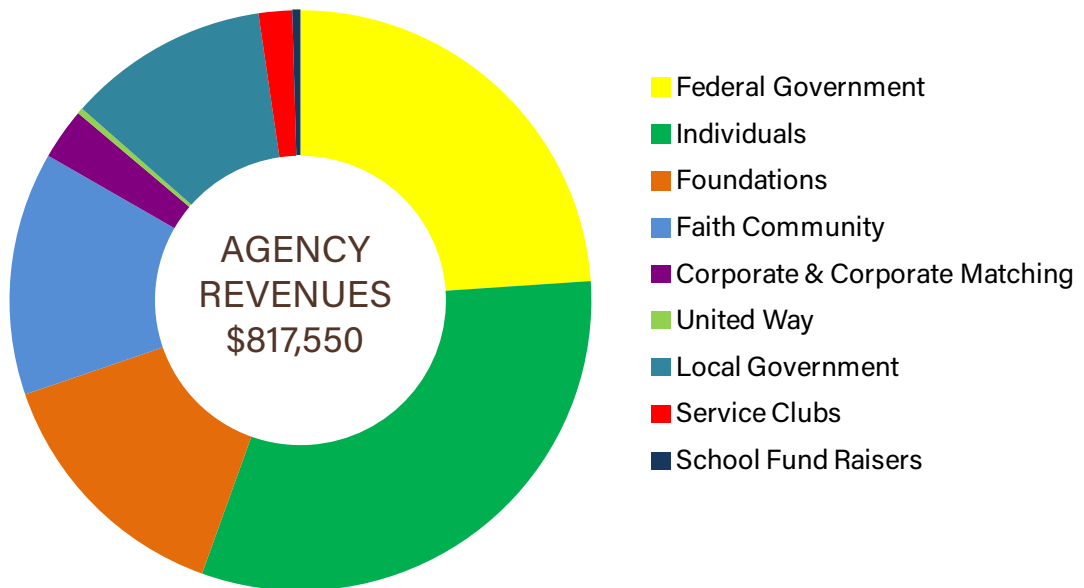
REVENUES		
Federal Government	\$195,708	\$172,729
Individuals	258,097	186,811
Foundations	116,580	184,645
Faith Community	110,538	84,129
Corporate & Corporate Matching	23,317	20,158
United Way	2,685	9,041
Local Government	91,694	145,969
Service Clubs	15,256	14,179
School Fund Raisers	3,674	1,403
Agency Revenues	<u>\$817,550</u>	<u>\$819,065</u>
<b>EXPENSES</b>		
Client Programs & Services	\$443,012	\$438,547
PADS Program	145,957	123,828
Fund Raising	208,011	166,191
Administration	75,990	74,563
Agency Expenses	<u>\$872,970</u>	<u>\$803,129</u>
Agency Income	<u>\$(55,420)</u>	<u>\$15,936</u>
<b>EVENTS</b>		
Event Income	\$146,568	\$138,487
Event Expenses	43,266	36,844
Net Event Income	<u>\$103,303</u>	<u>\$101,643</u>
Total Net Income	<u>\$47,882</u>	<u>\$117,579</u>

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## Analysis of Revenue and Expenses

### REVENUES

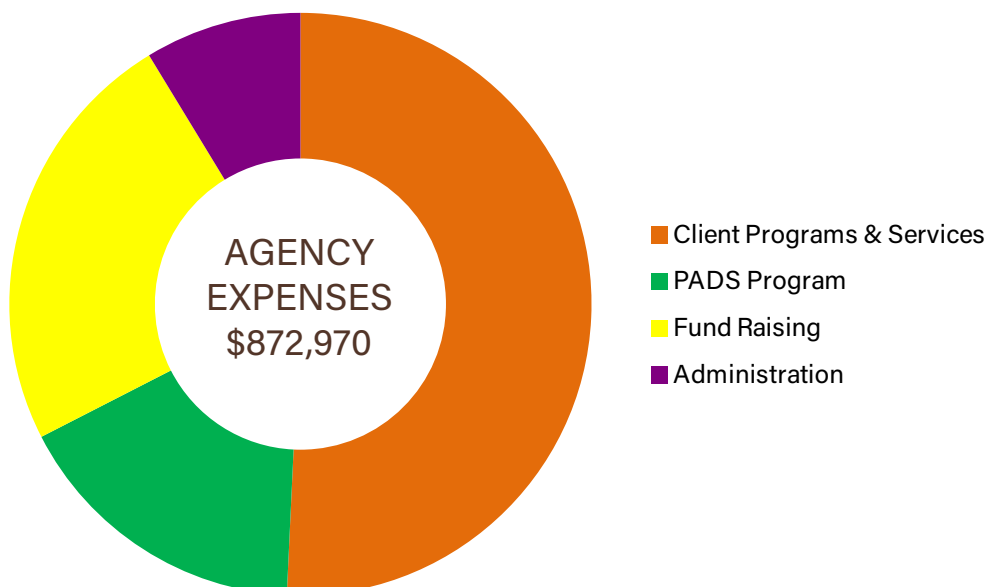
JOURNEYS receives its support from a wide variety of sources.



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### EXPENSES

Almost 70% of agency expenses support Client Programs and Services and the PADS Program.



# 2015/16 Donors

On behalf of JOURNEYS' clients, staff, board of directors, and volunteers, we acknowledge the generosity of the following individuals, families, organizations, faith communities, government agencies, foundations, and businesses that have made a positive impact on the lives of others through their support. This list does not include the thousands of volunteers and community members who have made in-kind donations of time and goods totaling nearly \$1,000,000. Only the top twenty in-kind donors are recognized here. The agency regrets the omission of the names of any individual or organization.

## INDIVIDUALS

### \$20,000+

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#### INDIVIDUALS

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