



CHRISTIAN FAMILY & CHILDREN'S CENTER

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Dear Friends of the Center,

We have been so blessed over all the years in ministry and we give all the praise and glory to the Lord for providing for our needs through many generous donors. Prayers and donations have made a significant difference! If you have given in the past- THANK YOU! If you are considering a gift, please seek the Lord and follow His leading.

It is a privilege to serve families through the Center's many programs. Every day the teachers at Champion Christian School (CCS) and Preschool share a living faith as well as high quality academics integrated with Biblical principles with their students.

Every week people find help in the work of the counseling program. From developing ways to deal with depression or anxiety, working on difficult family or marriage issues, or helping kids work on the problems of life, lives are changed through this program.

Our community coach bus trips, blood drives, and continuing education classes (CEUs), bring together people from different geographic areas, different churches and denominations, and many different age groups.

We prayerfully continue to press on to expand our early education and summer programs, Champion Christian School and Christian Counseling Services, and are looking into new work with senior citizens.

Would you consider a gift to the Center to partner with us in our continuing mission of educating, equipping, and engaging the world for Christ?

Here are some suggested Center needs if you want to designate your gift:

Where needed most. Help towards general operating expenses is greatly appreciated. This allows us to pay our bills, payroll and respond to ongoing needs.

The **Amanda Wingrove Memorial Financial Aid Fund** is to help families in need to afford a Christian education at Champion Christian School. Amanda was our financial aid director for 15 years before she passed away from a battle with Lymphoma. She helped so many families in her role and we wanted to honor her memory by establishing a fund to help students with special financial aid. 75% of our student body receives some type of financial aid in order to be able to attend CCS.

Many clients are getting professional, Biblically based help through the Center's **Christian Counseling Services**. Some of these clients are unable to pay the full fee and are in need of financial aid. Designated donations to the counseling program will cover those expenses.

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Public policy awareness. In his work as Co-Coordinator of our state Council for American Private Education (PACAPE), Merle has been traveling to Harrisburg as well as Washington, D.C to share with our legislators about the need to preserve religious freedoms and tell the story of how that directly affects us here at the Center. He has been instrumental in organizing Christian schools in many other states as well. Resources are needed to help this endeavor. Some travel expenses are covered, but none of his time or extra work is covered. If you are passionate about Christians standing in the gap for our religious freedoms you may want to give to this aspect of our ministry.

Projects at the Harr Athletic Field (North Campus in Donegal) have been ongoing. Fencing around the soccer field has been put up but more is needed. The wooden stairs from the parking lot down to the field need replaced with concrete steps. When resources are available, plans are in place to put in a walking track, improve the bleacher area, build a pavilion, and create a softball/baseball field.

May God bless you all!

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