



This Mother's Day...
Donate in your mother's name.
Donate in thanksgiving for all that mothers do.
Donate in honor of all mothers devastated by COVID-19



Dear Friend,

As we all struggle through this extraordinary time, I hope this email finds you, your family, and loved ones safe and well.

At St. Mary's Center for Women and Children, we continue to work passionately around the clock. We work to keep the women, children, and families in our residences safe, and care for those in quarantine.

As the largest family homeless shelter in the City of Boston, located in Dorchester on the former site of St. Margaret's Hospital, St. Mary's has a 26-year history of serving as a haven for homeless women, children, and families. But we are more than that, we are a healing environment for the abused and traumatized, a place of growth and stability, a beacon, and a resource for the greater community.

But, we need your help because skilled, passionate, and experienced as we are, this COVID-19 pandemic now threatens our ability to continue providing core services to those that need them most. As resilient and determined as the mothers in our programs are to build a new life and better future for themselves and their children, this nightmare situation threatens their very existence.

Our staff and families are also impacted, many of them already living on the edge. The bottom line? This situation has stretched our resources and staff to the limit.

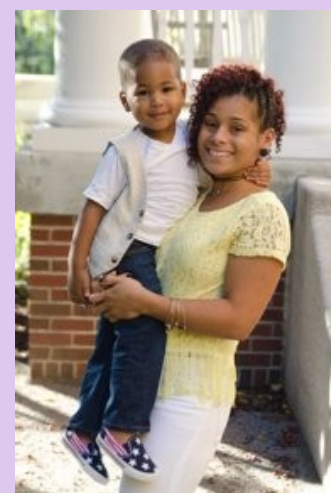
But, we are not giving up our efforts and our hope! That is because of you. With the help of supporters like you, standing with us during these uncertain times, we will be able to be here for our homeless families, and for the greater community.

As Mother's Day approaches, please donate to support our critical work at St. Mary's. Donate in your mother's name. Donate in thanksgiving for all that mothers do. Donate in honor of all mothers devastated by COVID-19.

We are grateful for your support.

Thank you! Stay safe and well.

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