



Family Life Services of Washtenaw County

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E-newsletter

#FLSVirtualGala *Livestream Recording available until MIDNIGHT on July 29th!*

Did you miss the livestream on July 14th? No problem! There is still time to hear Pam Tebow's inspirational story and watch the recorded livestream video!



Family Life Services' Virtual Gala Livestream was such a beautiful evening! Our speaker, Pam Tebow, shared many "God Stories" of how the Lord has blessed her

and her family in providing a platform through Tim Tebow's athletic successes to share the love of Jesus and passionately advocate for the sanctity and beauty of all life!



Before the event, Pam Tebow came to visit Family Life Services for a tour of the building and to meet with some of our staff, volunteers, and clients. It was such a wonderful opportunity for Pam Tebow to learn about our center from various people's perspectives whose lives have all been impacted by the work done at Family Life Services.



Family Life Services' income is short over \$50,000 due to the COVID-19 pandemic. We are on our way to meeting our goal, but we still need your help to get there!



You can help in a few different ways! Please watch and share the [FLS Gala Livestream](#) - available until midnight on July 29th. We also invite you to prayerfully consider [making a donation](#) in honor of this year's gala celebration to support this life-affirming ministry.

Please enjoy watching this brief highlight, and then head on over to the [gala registration page](#) to watch the full livestream! The livestream recording is available until Wednesday, July 29th.



Donor Spotlight!

Huge thank you to [Knox Presbyterian Church](#) in Ann Arbor and [St Joseph Catholic Parish](#) in Dexter for both their financial and in kind donations towards the FLS Virtual Gala. Our event would not have been possible without your very generous support!

Thank you to [House on the Rock Church](#) for hosting a baby shower in honor of Family Life Services!

Client Updates!

Counselor, Mary Palazzolo, explains how she has been helping at FLS during the pandemic to provide online educational courses for our clients. These classes meet via zoom. Mary schedules calls at different times on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday. FLS volunteers will text clients who might be interested in continuing in the Growing Together Educational Program during this time of stay at home. After the clients join the zoom meeting, a video is played, followed by a discussion. Some of these topics classes include caring for toddlers, bedtime routines, tantrums, parenting discipline, etc. A wide range of applicable topics are offered to the clients. As a volunteer, it gives Mary and others an opportunity to help FLS from home. This opportunity also allows clients to continue learning and earning points towards free material goods during this time.

Volunteer Spotlight!



We are so thankful for our volunteer, Cassandra! Cassandra deep cleaned and disinfected the entire FLS building. Cassandra now serves as our hospitality greeter, temperature taker, and disinfecting volunteer for clients entering the building. What a blessing to have Cassandra with us! Cassandra was able to meet Pam Tebow outside of the center before the gala.

Walk for Life 2020

The 2020 Family Life Services' Walk for Life website is now LIVE! [Register here](#) for the August 29th, 10am event at Lillie Park! Create a team, join a team or register as an individual walker.



You can join others at the park or walk on your own at a time and place that works for you. This fundraising event is an exciting opportunity for members of our community to safely gather. Funds raised will help cover new expenses and diminished donations resulting from the coronavirus pandemic. We look forward to seeing you there!



Job Opportunities Available

Family Life Services will have two open staff positions.
Is God calling you to serve in this Christian pro-life ministry?

Please visit our job postings and prayerfully consider applying if you would be a good fit. Additionally, encourage others you know to apply!

Please visit the links below to view the job postings.

- [Client Services Manager](#)
- [Outreach & Education Coordinator](#)

We ask for your prayers as we navigate this recruitment and hiring process.

Material donations now accepted

Family Life Services is now able to safely accept donations of gently used baby and maternity items. You can bring them to the center on Monday or Wednesday between 10am and 4pm or contact info@flscenter.com for additional times.

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