2017

"We Speak to them with ***our hands*** before we try to speak to them with ***our lips.***"

- St. Peter Claver

ANNUAL REPORT

THE ST. PETER CLAVER FOUNDATION

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A Message From

DR. GERALYN C. SHELVIN

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Dear Supporter:

I am grateful to once again bring you greetings on behalf of the Board of Directors of the St. Peter Claver Foundation. Being able to serve a third year as President of the Board of Directors has been a blessing and I am truly honored to have this privilege.

Through a variety of programs and initiatives our Foundation has facilitated, we have touched many lives - continuing to pursue the principles of our Claver mission and living out the charge our Patron Saint, Peter Claver, challenged us to fulfill centuries ago.

We continue striving to increase our capacity to serve all mankind by identifying and seeking out opportunities to serve, aligning our resources and forming beneficial partnerships, and seeking to "Speak to them with our hands, before we speak to them with our lips". Our ability to continue having a growing and positive impact is enabled by the generous support of our donors, community partners, and the dedication and hard work of the members of the Knights of Peter Claver and Ladies Auxiliary who provide financial, physical, and creative support for charitable programs and efforts throughout the county.

As a non-profit organization, this Foundation operates solely on funds received as donations, which help to continue our constant will to serve our communities. Because of this, we hope to steadily increase the support that the Foundation in terms of contributions from individuals, organizations, corporations, and public trusts. Our work is never done, and I hope that you will consider supporting our charitable works by donating to the St. Peter Claver Foundation through one-time, ongoing, directed giving, wills, or estate planning.

Please help to continue the spread of news of our charitable works to individuals, businesses, corporations, and other entities in your communities, and please request their efforts through donations and sponsorships to our Foundation.

We look forward to your support as we continue to embody "Faith and Service in Action!"

Dr. Geralyn C. Shelvin
President
St. Peter Claver Foundation

THE ST. PETER CLAVER FOUNDATION

M I S S I O N

The mission of the Foundation is to promote and enhance the charitable goals of the Knights of Peter Claver, Inc. by addressing the multiple charitable needs and aspirations of the Order's members, its parishes, and the Catholic community.

V I S I O N

We envision a vibrant strong healthy community in service to God, to Church, to key Stakeholders and to itself resulting in a higher quality of life for communities served.

V A L U E S

Spirituality. We believe and subscribe to the teachings and philosophies of the Roman Catholic Church. We have experienced, first hand, what Faith can do and wish to enable others to share in its riches.

Inclusiveness. Although we subscribe to the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church we realize that we are not on the earth alone. Our goal is to assist any organization in service to our community at large. We view diversity as strength.

Accountability. Each Board Member of the St. Peter Claver Foundation understands his or her responsibility to its donors. The Board of Directors operates under a strict code of ethics. The Saint Peter Claver Foundation is committed to making sure that donor funds are used for the intended charitable act(s) and to support programs effectively.

THE ST. PETER CLAVER FOUNDATION

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WOMEN'S & DOMESTIC ISSUES

AT-RISK YOUTH PROGRAMS

ERADICATION OF POVERTY

HOUSING ASSISTANCE

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RELIGIOUS SUPPORT

ELDER SUPPORT

EDUCATION

DISASTER RELIEF

"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful committed (Clavers) can change the world; indeed, it's the only thing that ever has."

Faith and Service in Action...

scholarship dollars awarded to deserving students

$35,500

foundation giving in 2016

$129,904

2016 percentage increase in donations received

59%

"Thank you so much for your generous donation of $800 to be used for program operating expenses."

-SICKLE CELL ASSOCIATION OF TEXAS MARC THROMAS FOUNDATION

"We are honored to have been awarded a $1500 grant from the St. Peter Claver Foundation, nominated by the Knights of Peter Claver and Ladies Auxiliary Holy Cross Court 284."

- OPEN DOOR PRESCHOOLS

CLAVER IMPACT

8/25/2017

St. Peter Claver Foundation
1825 Orleans Ave.
New Orlans, LA 70116

Dear Friends of Catholic Charities:

Thank you for your recent gift of $500.00 in support of Catholic Charities Fort Worth. We are grateful you have responded to our need for help with such compassion and generosity.

We want to offer life-changing services. We want to instill hope in people. We want to develop a culture of innovation and saying "yes." Periodically, we reassess our strategy to ensure our actions follow these objectives.

For the next five years, our plan can be summed up in three words: Create, Eradicate, Transform. We will create solutions by testing life-changing programs and conducting research studies. We will eradicate barriers by serving our clients holistically through comprehensive services. And we will transform our community by engaging key leaders and groups to be advocates for change.

I look forward to celebrating with you all the successes that lie ahead and hope that you continue your engagement with Catholic Charities Fort Worth. Together, we can change lives. You have my deepest thanks for helping us bring hope to so many. Your support inspires me, and I can't wait to see where the next five years take us!

To find out more about Catholic Charities Fort Worth and how we're ending poverty in this community, please visit our website at CatholicCharitiesFortWorth.org and sign up to attend one of our KNOW Poverty Hours (tour of our mission) at knowpoverty@ccdofw.org

With sincere appreciation,

Heather Reynolds
President/CEO

MEALS ON WHEELS CENTRAL TEXAS RECEIVES FINANCIAL SUPPORT FROM THE ST. PETER CLAVER FOUNDATION

Dear St. Peter Claver Foundation:

Thank you so much for your generous donation of $800 to be used for program operating expenses.

Please find enclosed the signed Sickle Cell Organization Grant Recipient Agreement dated September 11, 2017.

Sincerely,

Linda Wade
President & CEO

Sickle Cell Association of Texas
Marc Thomas Foundation

Dear Grants Administrator:

We are honored to have been awarded a $1500 grant from the St. Peter Claver Foundation, nominated by the Knights of Peter Claver & Ladies Auxiliary Holy Cross Court 284. Your generosity will make a true difference in the lives of the children and families of Open Door-East.

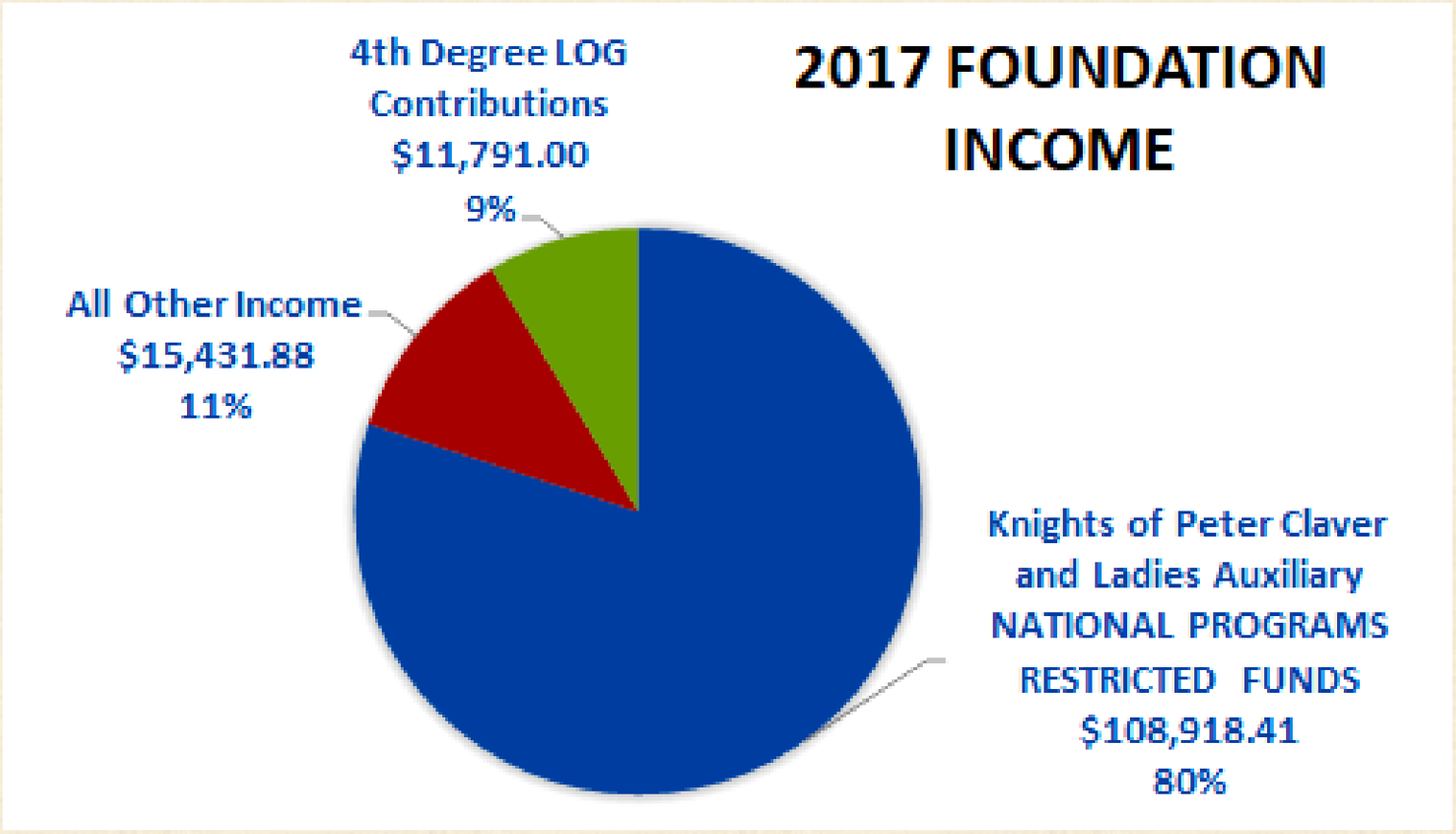
Open Door continues to fulfill our mission every day: to provide high quality early education and care to children of diverse needs and backgrounds. Thank you for partnering with us to help make that a reality.

Please extend our heartfelt appreciation to members of your charity committee.

Sincerely,

Larry Elsner
Executive Director

2017 AT A GLANCE...



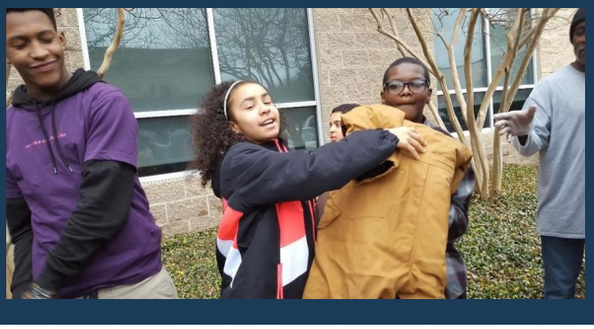
2018 KPC/LA GIVING DAY:

$12,292 total raised!

126 total donations!

GIVE NOLA DAY

Thank You!



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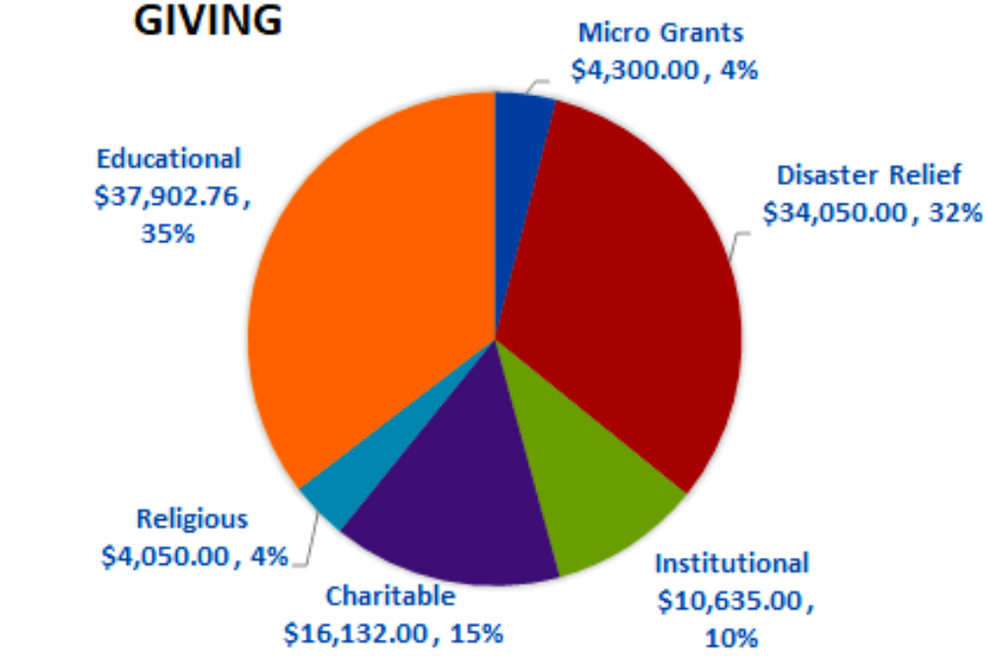

2017 AT A GLANCE...

INCOME

RESTRICTED DONATIONS	
MicroGrants Income	8,627.78
Emerging Leaders	2,450.00
Foundation Gala Income	11,745.39
Scholarship Income	22,674.25
Restricted Donations	1,000.00
Sponsorship Income	300.00
Disaster Donations	25,510.00
Charitable Donations	12,357.00
Religious Donations	4,492.00
Soaring High Income	3,105.00
Partners in Educ Income	7,299.00
Tolton Educ Fund Income	7,484.99
Other Educational Donations	1,730.00
Sickle Cell Income	6,635.00
Human Development Income	4,000.00
Other Institutional Income	1,299.00
UNRESTRICTED DONATIONS	
Public Donations	1,997.88
Director Donations	2,460.00
Convention Fundraiser	6,979.00
Donation / Silent Auction	3,995.00
TOTAL INCOME	**$ 136,141.29**

EXPENSES

RESTRICTED DONATIONS EXPENSES	
MicroGrants Expenses	4,300.00
Emerging Leaders	2354.56
Founder's Gala Expense	11990.25
Scholarship Expenses	17,574.25
Sponsorship Expenses	300.00
Disaster Expenses	34,050.00
Junior Charity Expenses	1,200.00
Other Charitable Expenses	14,932.00
Religious Expenses	4,050.00
Soaring High Expenses	3,105.00
Partners in Educ Expenses	7,299.00
Tolton Educ Fund Expenses	5,644.51
Other Educational Expenses	4,280.00
Sickle Cell Expenses	6,635.00
Human Development Expenses	4,000.00
OPERATIONAL EXPENSES	
Printing and Copying	448.31
Software	353.40
Website Development / Maint.	1,564.35
Processing Fees	179.88
Bank Fees	12.85
Taxes and Fees	84.90
FUNDRAISING EXPENSES	
Funraiser Expenses	8,809.63
TOTAL EXPENSE	**$ 133,167.89**

POSITIVELY IMPACTING LIVES

The Knights of Peter Claver and Ladies Auxiliary Changing Lives for the Better!

The Knights and Ladies make great contributions in service and funding. **3rd Degree members** contributed **$108,918.41** in restricted funds to support the Order's National Programs (Human Development, Scholarship, Sickle Cell, Charity, and Soaring High) and the **4th Degree LOG members** contributed **$11,791.00** in support of their two major charitable programs (Educate the Religious and Partners in Education). Together with the St. Peter Claver Foundation, our Order's charitable arm, we were able to raise over **$135,000** towards improving the lives of our brothers and sisters across the country!

WOMEN'S/DOMESTIC ISSUES AND AT-RISK YOUTH PROGRAMS.

- Social Services
- Domestic Abuse Support
- Family Support
- Youth Development

ERADICATION OF POVERTY AND HOUSING ASSISTANCE.

- Temporary and Emergency Housing
- Home Furnishings and Supplies
- Job Training
- Food Pantries

HEALTH AND WELLNESS.

- Sickle Cell Research / Support
- Medical Supplies / Equipment

ELDER SUPPORT.

- Drive-A-Senior Programs
- Living Assistance

RELIGIOUS SUPPORT.

- Support through the LOG Educate the Religious Program for Individuals Pursuing Vocations
- Support for Religious Orders
- Assistance with Sanctuary Repairs

EDUCATION.

- Tutoring / Afterschool Programs
- College Track Programs
- Classroom Supplies and Equipment
- Tuition Assistance and Financial Aid
- Support through LOG Partners in Education

DISASTER RELIEF.

- Assistance to Impacted Churches
- Individual Assistance for Impacted Members

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KPC / KPCLA DIVISIONS SUGGESTED DONOR LEVELS

COUNCIL/COURT - BASIC	$ 100.00
COUNCIL/COURT - SPONSOR	$ 1,000.00

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SPCF...

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