



# WE CHANGE LIVES... *You* MAKE IT HAPPEN!

*Dear Friend,*

During this holiday season, we think about what makes this time of year special – a warm home, a family meal and the safety to celebrate together. We're reminded that no one should face the cold or uncertainty of tomorrow alone, especially a mother preparing to welcome her baby into the world.

This past year, with your help, Mothers' Home was able to provide a safe haven for 20 pregnant women and their newborns who were experiencing homelessness, fear, and unimaginable hardship. Women who arrive hoping their child might be born into something better. That hope depends on all of us. Because of supporters like you, our residents receive more than a warm bed. They find help with medical care, nutritious meals, counseling, prenatal support, and the compassionate community every mother deserves. They begin to rediscover safety, strength and a future.

But right now, our needs are greater than ever. Funding cuts have forced several family shelters to close in Delaware County this year. Without any government funding, we rely solely on donors like you. Due to the enormous need in the community and donors inundated with requests, we have experienced a decrease in donations and are at a critical point if we want to stay open and staffed 24/7 for our residents.

**WE NEED YOUR HELP! Without Mothers' Home, there are no options in our area for pregnant women facing homelessness.**

We've seen the incredible transformation that occurs when our community comes together. Please consider making a generous contribution today and help change the life of a young, pregnant woman and her newborn. When you give, you're not just offering assistance—you're offering dignity, stability, and the promise of a new beginning for two lives at once. We also request that you consider reaching out to a friend or a family member to support our mission, as they may not be familiar with Mothers' Home and the vital service we provide.



**This holiday season, we invite you to stand with us. To help a mother find shelter from the cold. To help a baby enter the world surrounded by love and safety. To be part of the hope they carry.**

*From our hearts to yours,  
thank you for supporting us, believing in the power  
of compassion—and for helping us ensure that no  
mother is left without a safe place to rest.*

**Wishing you warmth, peace, and joy,**

*- Brigid Risko, Executive Director, and the Board of Directors of Mothers' Home*

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