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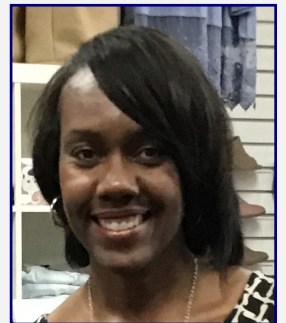
*Wish List*

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## Director's Corner

By: Nicole Rosser



WOW, It is hard to believe that we are about to celebrate Thanksgiving Day! The time has passed so quickly this year, but what a great year it has been for Family Promise of Greater Houston County. We count our blessings each day because of your support.

December will be here soon and our generous donors are already asking about adopting families for Christmas. I ask that some look at providing non-traditional gifts to families this year. Toys are great, and we certainly want to see our children happy, but some of our parents are struggling with monthly expenses to support their families. Non-traditional support to families at Christmas will help parents maintain a sense of dignity and the ability to purchase some small gifts for the family with the funds they will save.

We currently have five graduate families with hard working parents that can use some support in one of the following areas in the month of December: Assistance with Utility Bills, Childcare Expense, or Medical Prescriptions. Your gifts will assist these families with one of these needs. If you are interested in adopting a family to assist financially contact the office to let us know.

If you prefer to adopt a family and providing the traditional gifts you are certainly welcome to do so! Contact the office soon, preferably no later than December 1st, to let us know.

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### ***Beautification Provided at the Day Center***

*The Greenbriar Garden Club of Warner Robins is one of our Community Partners. They have generously given of their time and talents many times and recently came by to 'spruce up' the front area of the Day Center. They created new seasonal wreaths for the front doors, planted small shrubs, & laid pine straw in several areas to give the entrance some extra curb appeal.*

*Pictured here with Nicole Rosser are club members, L-R, Julie Tharp, Ronda Meier, Angie Livingston, and Sherin Hinnant. Not pictured, who also gave of their talents this day, were club members Cindy Gordon and Jackie Warnock.*



*We also want to say thank you to board member, Ronnie Shivers, for donating and installing a much needed mailbox!*







Thank you for your support at the August and November Belk Charity Days. The funds raised are \$1,256.

The end of the CFC is November 21st. Mark your donation sheet for #90951 to support Family Promise!



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From the **135 Children** who have been a part of the Family Promise program,

**"THANK YOU** for so lovingly receiving us into a 'new home' each week."



### A HUGE THANK YOU to:

- \* The Host and Support Congregations and their volunteers who provide our meals, set up and take down rooms, spend the night, & much more
- \* Van Drivers who take us wherever we need to go
- \* Cargo Trailer Movers who make sure beds and our belongings are ready each Sunday when we arrive at our 'new home' for the week
- \* The volunteers who make the Day Center a welcoming 'Day Home'
- \* The many donors who provide the funds to make it all possible

Mark Your Calendar!  
Car City will be held April 26-27, 2019



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shelter, meals and support services to  
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**Thank You!**

**We are grateful for these  
recent financial donations:**

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**Brenda Hopson**  
**Douglas and Luann Purcel**  
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