



# GRACE THROUGH TRANSITION



*Christian Family Services, Inc.*  
A CHRISTIAN ALTERNATIVE

2024 ANNUAL REPORT

# FATHER OF THE FATHERLESS AND PROTECTOR OF WIDOWS IS GOD IN HIS HOLY HABITATION.

Psalm 68:5 ESV

51

Women with unplanned pregnancies contacted CFS in 2024

19

Women due to deliver in 2024 made adoption plans

14

Women placed their child with an adoptive family

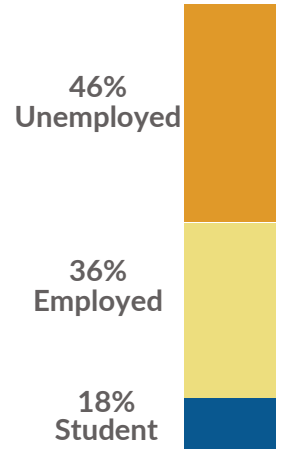
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Women placed their child via Safe Haven

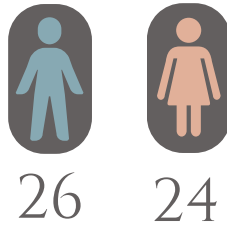
## WOMEN WHO MADE ADOPTION PLANS



### EMPLOYMENT STATUS



### AVERAGE AGES OF BIRTH PARENTS



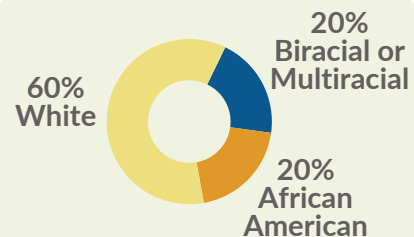
### FINANCIAL NEED



## 14 NEWBORNS AND ONE TODDLER WERE PLACED FOR ADOPTION

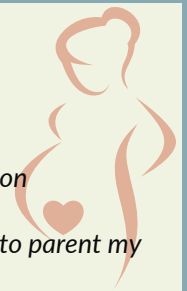
47% Girls 

53% Boys 



## WOMEN EXPLAINED THE SITUATION THEY WERE IN

- Not stable, very young.
- Pregnant, single mother & not working. Dealing with life challenges.
- Single mother with 10 month old, pregnant with new baby.
- Not financially stable.
- I have no support from the child's father and I'm currently in an addiction program and trying to gain back custody of my other children.
- I'm currently a single mom of 2. I am pregnant. I'm looking for a family to parent my unborn child.



SUPPORT TO WOMEN WITH ADOPTION PLANS

52.79% Housing

13.96% Court

9.81% Utilities

7.4% Transportation

7.13% Food

5.56% Birth Father

1.07% Benevolence

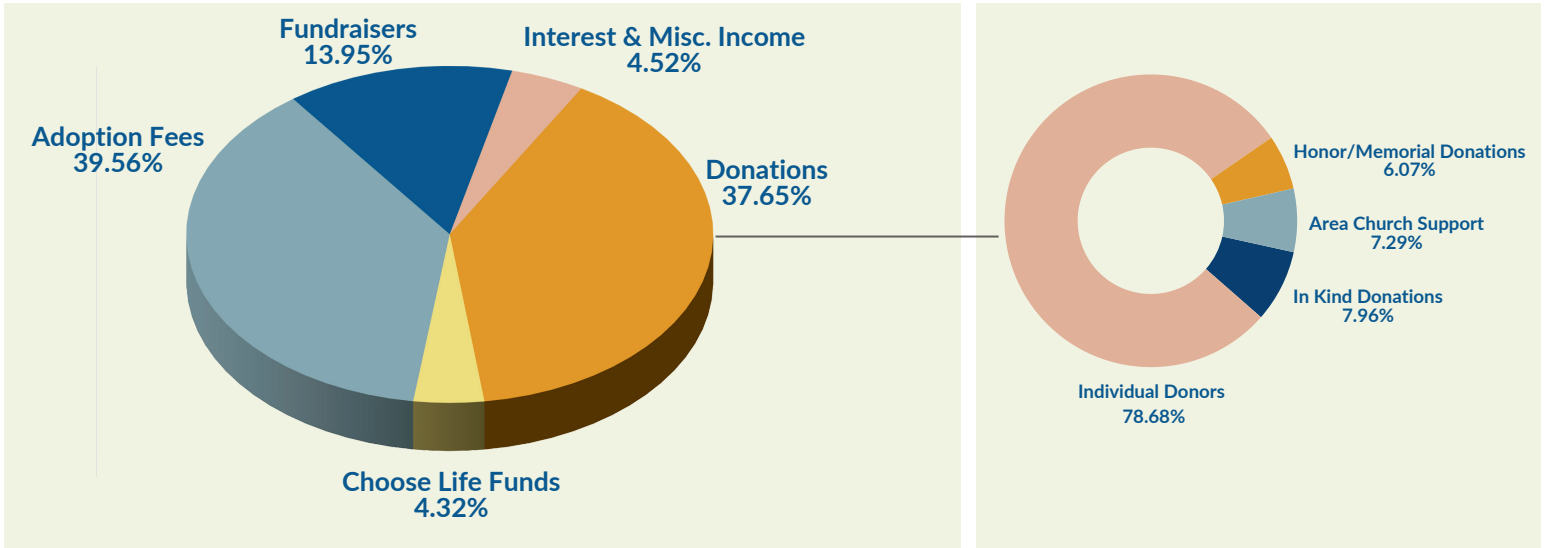
1.04% Birth Certificates

0.7% Child Care

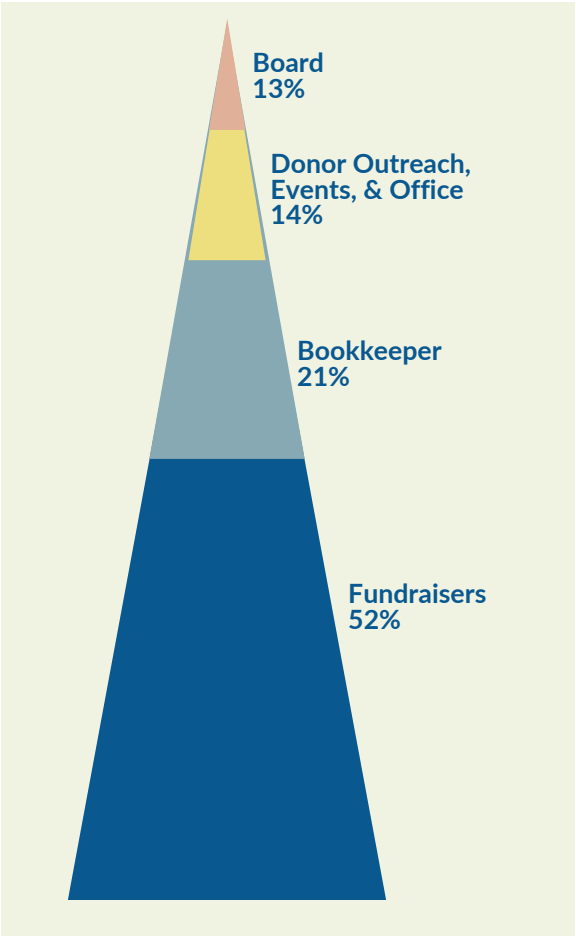
0.4% Meeting

0.14% Phone

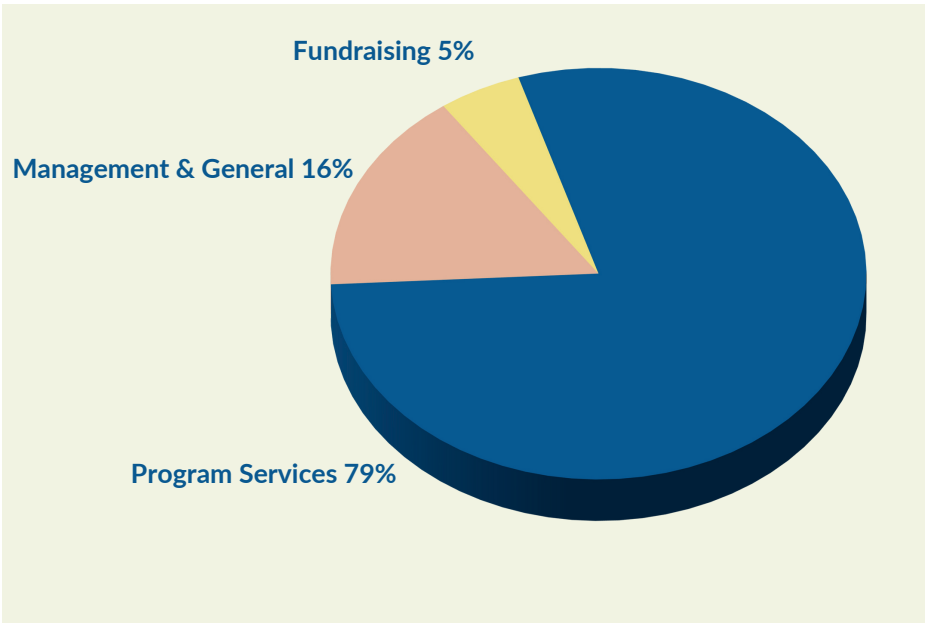
# DONATIONS AND INCOME



# DONATED SERVICES



# EXPENSES



***I want my baby boy to have both parents and be born into a stable environment.***  
 -CFS Birth Mother

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# GRACE THROUGH TRANSITION

2024 was a year marked by transition for Christian Family Services. Jerry retired after more than two decades of dedicated service and graciously guided me as I grabbed hold of the reigns as executive director. Kim also retired, and Angie moved into the critical position of caseworker. It would have been impossible to navigate these changes without the steady presence of Donna and Becky as well as guidance from the Board of Directors.

God was at work through it all as we facilitated placements of 14 babies and one toddler into faithful and loving adoptive families. 51 women with unplanned pregnancies contacted CFS and explored their options. Many of these women received emotional, relational, and financial support from CFS as they chose to parent or make an adoption plan.

Your gifts make this support and ministry possible, and we appreciate the grace you have shown us through transition as we continue our James 1:27 mission "to look after the fatherless and widows in their distress" in 2025.

Thank you to all who have supported CFS this past year.

*Mandy*



*I want a better life for my child with stability, education, and a promising future.*

*-CFS Birth Mother*

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Gold  
Transparency  
2024

**Candid.**

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