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These precious babies were born at Our Lady's Inn January – June 2021.

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| <i>Aalayah</i> | <i>Miracle</i> |
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Finding Hope and a Better Future in a Pandemic

Jenna and her children moved into Our Lady's Inn as the pandemic lockdown was beginning in the spring of 2020. Due to the pandemic, she had recently lost her job at a school where she worked in food service. After her job loss, she was unable to remain in her home.

Over the course of the next several months, as Jenna began to feel safe and her trust with OLI staff increased, she accepted mentoring in the areas of parenting, budgeting, and stress management. She learned about the stages of child development and how best to care for and guide her children. The pandemic lockdown provided her the time to give her children more of herself. She began to read to them, play games with them both inside and outside, and to appreciate her children for the special little people they are.

She attended a variety of in-house classes including Childbirth, Well-Baby Care, Nutrition, Family Wellness Parenting Program, and the Counselor's DBT Change Groups. She worked with OLI's Child Advocate to ensure her children were engaged in virtual learning. She worked with OLI's Nurse to ensure a healthy pregnancy and with the Counselor to understand and address the impact her trauma history has had in her life. She became a mentor to new pregnant moms as they moved in during the lockdown.

Her Case Manager was able to assist her in applying for Rapid Rehousing, a housing program which offers a rent subsidy for a few months to families who need short term assistance to get back on their feet. She was able to find a house to rent which met her family's needs, delivered a healthy baby girl, and after maternity leave was able to secure employment with the post office. She has applied to the police academy and her ultimate goal is to be a police officer serving and protecting our community! Jenna continues to participate in our Aftercare Program and is very grateful for the help she received at Our Lady's Inn. For her, "it has been life changing."



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Our Lady's Inn provided Jenna with the programs, skills and resources she needed to move forward with a promising future.

What's Happening at OLI...



**Miles for
MOMS
IN NEED**

ANNUAL 5K RUN • 2021

Register online at
ourladysinn.org

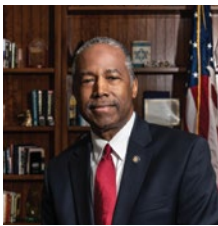
Virtual 5K Run begins Saturday, October 23rd!

Thanks to all who participated in Our Lady's Inn First Virtual Annual 5K last year. Please join us again in this event which supports homeless, pregnant mothers in crisis. The race runs from Saturday, October 23, 2021 through Saturday, November 20, 2021. Registering by Friday, October 1st guarantees a shirt in time for the race. For more information or to register, visit ourladysinn.org.



Special Guest Speaker Dr. Ben Carson

In celebration of the 40th anniversary of Our Lady's Inn, we are excited to announce our 2022 Angel Gala Honorees Sam and Gloria Lee. Look for your invitation to arrive in the mail.



LIFE, LIBERTY AND THE PURSUIT OF HAPPINESS

Dr. Ben Carson examines the reasons we should cherish and protect life.



Special thanks to Donna Harper and Jean Siebelts of Ring Around a Recipe for generously sharing your talents with OLI, and ensuring our gardens are ready for a bountiful harvest!

18th Annual -Tee Off for Life Golf Tournament

Thank you to our Golf Committee, generous sponsors, golfers, donors, volunteers and individuals who provided support to the event.

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from the Chief Executive Officer

In the Gospel according to Luke we read how Mary, Mother of our Lord, learning of her relative's pregnancy, hastened to the hill country of Judah. Mary traveled to share her joy in the new life each was carrying, as well as to offer practical support to Elizabeth during her confinement.

Following Mary's example, the staff of Our Lady's Inn hasten to offer support to women when we learn of their pregnancies. We embrace the news of the pregnancy with love as we journey to pick up a frightened pregnant woman abandoned at a bus stop; we welcome in a woman abruptly dropped off at our door; we quickly take a tutorial to learn sign language when a woman and her daughters - all hearing impaired - are referred to us.

We offer these ladies the practical support needed during their pregnancies and continuous encouragement in their choice for life. We share in the joy of the new life they will bring into the world and guide them over the hurdles they will encounter.



I am blessed to work with an amazing group of faith-filled women who have such a heart for our mission and who daily walk the challenging path of motherhood with those who call Our Lady's Inn home.

Please pray for us!

- Peggy Forrest -



Don't forget to visit Amazon Smile to designate Our Lady's Inn as your charity while doing your shopping. Amazon will donate a percentage of your purchase to OLI. Tell your friends!

Become a Monthly Donor

Monthly giving is a wonderful giving option for both you and homeless, pregnant moms supported by Our Lady's Inn. Your monthly gift provides a steady source of income that will provide weeks, months and years of a safe and supportive environment in her choice to give life to her unborn baby. Help us save lives by signing up at: <https://ourladysinn.org/recurring-donation/>.



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From: Mark Luczak

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From: Elizabeth Raskob

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From: Mary Clare Florentin

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From: Don and Kathy Goedeker

Jan Rozanski

From: Jerome and Bridget Shen

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From: Maureen Hoock

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From: Michael and Julie Connors

Glenn Schubert

From: Susie Bickel

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From: Eric and Jennifer Schuck

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From: Janet Keller

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From: Edith Hadzima

Neal Wessler

From: Snooks Wessler

Nancy Wieberg

From: Dianne Lordi

Bernice Wojcicki

From: Peggy Forrest
David and Diane Snively

Frank X.

From: Marilyn Koncen

The Board, Staff, Volunteers and Families of Our Lady's Inn Offer our Sincere Condolences to the Families of...

Gerry Hempstead

Longtime OLI supporter and volunteer

Leonard J. Kinealy

Longtime OLI Twice Blessed volunteer

Sue Ratchford

Longtime OLI supporter and volunteer

UPCOMING events

Mark these dates
on your calendar



VIRTUAL 5K

October 23, 2021 through
November 20th, 2021

TRIVIA

Saturday
January 22, 2022
CBC High School

Angel Gala

Sunday
April 24, 2022
Old Warson County Club

Please consider sponsoring an Our Lady's Inn signature event with a personal or corporate sponsorship. Your sponsorship demonstrates your commitment and encourages others to support Our Lady's Inn.

Gifts Given in Honor of... January 1, 2021 – June 1, 2021

Happy Birthday! Judy Budrovich

From: Marianne Russell

Jamison Castro

From: Liesel Schneider

Cindy Granville

From: Marianne Russell

Diane Hildebrand

From: Marianne Russell

Mary Kernan

From: Michael Kernan

Joyce Knobbe

From: Mike and Lisa Kurkowski

Gloria Lee

From: Robert and Julie Peetz

Stacey Macko

From: Marianne Russell

Kassie O'Brien

From: Kelly Andel

Dorothy Pfaff

80th Birthday
From: Gregory and Angela Echele

Evelyn Puleo

From: Ken and Laura Krueger

Marco Romero

70th Birthday
From: Chris Smith

Sandy Smith

From: Kathleen Higgins

Janet Susi

From: Stephanie Adcock

Lillian Weilbaecher

1st Birthday

From: Lauren Meyer
Chuck and Jan Robinson
Mr. and Mrs. Dave Weilbaecher
Lisa Whittington

Mother's Day

Barbara Fournier

From: Don and Marge Haefliger

Mothers of Sacred Heart

Catholic Church

From: Sacred Heart Catholic
Church

All the Women of St. Catherine

Laboure Parish

From: St. Catherine Laboure
Catholic Church

Healing

Reverend Michael Lampe

From: Peggy Forrest

Gene McLaughlin

From: Peggy Forrest

Reverend Tom Molini

From: Peggy Forrest

Anniversary

Monsignor Jerome Buchheit

70th Ordination Anniversary
From: Peggy Forrest

Bill and Mabel Lombrano

60th Wedding Anniversary
From: Dianne Lordi

Monsignor Gregory L. Schmidt

60th Ordination Anniversary
From: Chris Smith

Steve and Julie Sesti

50th Wedding Anniversary

From: Dianne Lordi

In Honor

Betty Anderhalter

From: Leona and Jeff Larkin

Betsy Beauparlant

From: David and Alyssa Gratz

Diann Bomkamp

From: Bob and Laura Voigt

Jamison Castro

In honor of birth

From: Liesel Schneider

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From: Jo Ann Buckley

Sammie Evans

From: Jerry and Jeanne Brendel

Bob Garagiola

From: The Kesting Family

Sister Marlene Geppert, OSF

From: Marilyn Koncen

God, Jesus and Holy Spirit

From: Michael Janitch

God

From: Kevin and Jackie Quigley

Marge Haefliger

From: Barb Fournier

Father Michael Lampe

From: John and Janell Brunner

The Luczak Family

From: Mark Luczak

John Martens

From: John and Janell Brunner

Shirley Masters

From: Laura Skidis

Kate McBride (O'Brien)

From: Darlene Fuchs

Michael and Leah McCoy

From: Mike and Karen McCoy

Marge Merjavy

From: Joe and Joan Gleich

Reverend Tom Miller

From: Curtis Sandoval

Chuck Neff

From: David and Amy Olson

Our Lady's Inn

From: Yvette Peebles

Our Ten Grandchildren

From: George Miller

The Raffaele Family

From: Mark Luczak

Judy Schmucker

From: Dan Schmucker

Mary Thuet

From: Sara Craig

Tara Tracy and son, Max

From: Garry and Karen Battles

Mary Vilimek

From: Sarah Parker

Lillian Weilbaecher

From: Ruth Donaldson

Monsignor Ted Wojcicki

From: David and Diane Snively