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Executive Director's Update



At the heart of every strong community is love; not the romantic kind, but the everyday acts of care that connect us. It's the volunteer who offers to drive a carless father to a job interview, the high school students who show up early on a chilly, damp Saturday morning to volunteer at a 5k, and the local church members who quietly donate to a food drive.

We're honored that through this spirit of unity, Family Promise of Shenandoah County has been recognized by the Chamber of Commerce as the 2025 Non-Profit of the Year. This award is not just a reflection of our organization's work; it celebrates every supporter, volunteer, and partner who has poured love into making our community stronger. Your generosity, time, and belief in our mission have made all the difference.

As we move through this season of love, let's remember that community isn't built through grand gestures, but through the many small ones we practice every day. Together, we can make kindness our greatest resource and continue building a community rooted in compassion and gratitude. Thank you, Shenandoah County!

"And now these three remain: faith, hope, and love. But the greatest of these is love." 1 Corinthians 13:13

Wishing you peace,
Kelly

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newsletter:

Latest news, and more.
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Case Manager's Corner
Holly



With snow, ice, and below-freezing temperatures in our area a few weeks ago, we made sure our sheltered families had everything they needed. We delivered flashlights with extra batteries, blankets, food, and snow shovels to help them stay safe and prepared. Families were called daily to ensure water was running freely, pipes had not frozen, and electricity had not gone out.

After the snow and ice ended, landlords ensured driveways and walkways leading into the shelters were cleared and safe. Because of the incredible support of our community, Family Promise is able to provide shelter to children and their families. Thanks to your support, four families—including seven children—were able to stay safe and warm during the recent winter storm.



Family Promise of Shenandoah County has been named the 2025 Nonprofit of the Year!





**Annual Steak Dinner
Fundraiser**

March 7, 2026

4-7 p.m.

Woodstock Moose Lodge

Contact 540-459-4599
for ticket information (Pre-sale only)

\$25/person



**Many Thanks to
Our Landlord Partners**

Ed & Ruth Aumiller
Peggy Smoot
Zion Lutheran Church



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2025 IMPACT REPORT

| Month | amount | families | children |
|--------------|---------------------|------------|------------|
| January | \$14,092.80 | 39 | 65 |
| February | \$9,968.97 | 28 | 49 |
| March | \$9,372.24 | 29 | 25 |
| April | \$11,045.22 | 36 | 62 |
| May | \$10,428.00 | 23 | 49 |
| June | \$7,732.81 | 24 | 52 |
| July | \$11,988.46 | 22 | 45 |
| August | \$10,990.94 | 29 | 69 |
| September | \$7,670.97 | 29 | 63 |
| October | \$7,310.12 | 26 | 47 |
| November | \$7,203.58 | 27 | 61 |
| December | \$10,556.55 | 23 | 38 |
| Total | \$118,360.66 | 335 | 625 |



OUR STAFF

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR KELLY STOREY
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Did you know?

We want to make sure you're aware of a special giving option that may benefit both you and the causes you care about: the Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD). If you are age 70½ or older, you can make a QCD directly from your Individual Retirement Account (IRA) to a qualified nonprofit organization like Family Promise of Shenandoah County.

This method of giving may allow you to:

- Satisfy all or part of your Required Minimum Distribution (RMD),
- Reduce your taxable income, even if you do not itemize deductions, and
- Make a meaningful contribution to the mission of [Organization Name].

To make a QCD, you must transfer the funds directly from your IRA to Family Promise of Shenandoah County. If you're considering this option, we encourage you to consult with your financial advisor or IRA custodian to ensure the distribution is processed correctly.

We are happy to provide any documentation or information needed to help facilitate your gift. If you have questions or need assistance, please feel free to contact us at 540-459-4599 or kellystorey@shenandoahfamilypromise.org.

Thank you again for your continued commitment to our work assisting Shenandoah County families. Your support makes a lasting difference.