

First Choice for women



*Together
for
Life*

2018 Annual Report

A NOTE FROM THE CEO



Dear Friends,

I can't tell you what a blessing it is to be serving the Lord here in this position!

Over the last 5 years I have had the pleasure of watching the Lord transform our efforts into a thriving ministry spanning two counties!

Each year I have the privilege of praying and asking the Lord for His direction and vision for the coming year. This year, through a variety of circumstances, He placed the phrase *"Together for Life"* in front of me. What does that mean, and how will that impact our vision for 2019? Ephesians 4:16, says, *"From whom the whole body, being fitted and held together by what every joint supplies, according to the proper working of each individual part, causes the growth of the body for the building up of itself in love"*. Thinking about this passage, I believe He is calling us to work together in these tumultuous times for the unborn.

At First Choice, this will include adding to staff, increasing the number of volunteers at each center, expanding hours and growing the abstinence education program in Anderson, seeing more abortion minded clients, and adding programs that will broaden our range of services and help us to be more proactive in our communities.

In order to accomplish these objectives, we need individuals in the body of Christ to join us in our efforts by using his/her talents to strengthen the First Choice for Women ministry.

If you are already partnering with First Choice for Women, I want to personally thank you and hope that you are encouraged as you read this newsletter and see a snapshot of the amazing things God had done in the past year.

If you are new to First Choice and are looking for a place to be involved where God is already at work in an incredible ways, we ask that you consider partnering with us today - prayerfully, financially, and/or by getting involved as a volunteer. Together we will see lives saved, young people instructed on the importance of abstinence before marriage, and women's, men's, and family's lives truly transformed for the glory of God!

Together for LIFE!

Lisa Miller
Chief Executive Officer

FINANCES

Fiscal Year End December 31, 2018

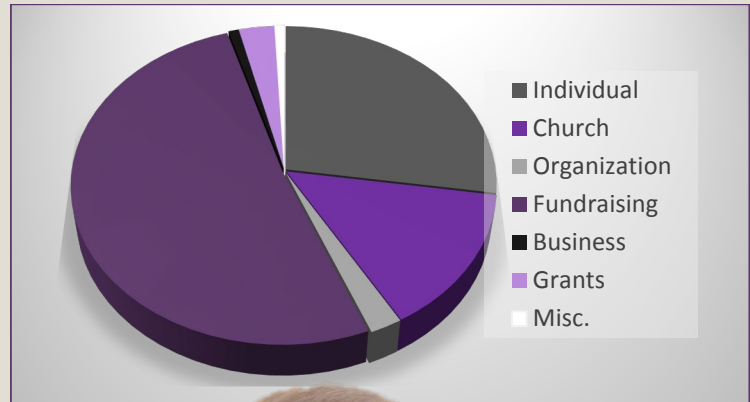
At First Choice, we believe in making the most of every dollar that is donated and work diligently to be good stewards of your gifts.

Total Income: \$370,335

Total Expenses: \$345,693.25

Income Sources:

Individual Gifts	\$ 101,376
Church Donations	\$ 52,874
Organizational Gifts	\$ 8,378
Fundraising	\$ 190,556
Business Donations	\$ 3,141
Grants	\$ 11,075
Misc. Donations	\$ 2,935



SERVICES

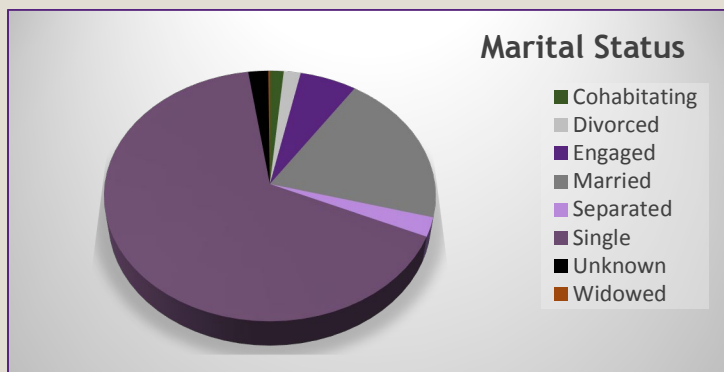
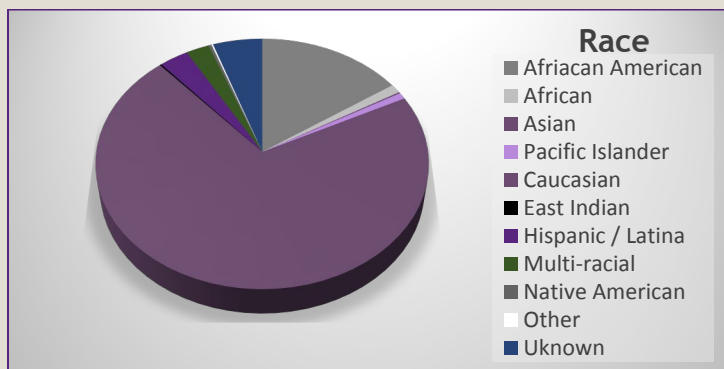
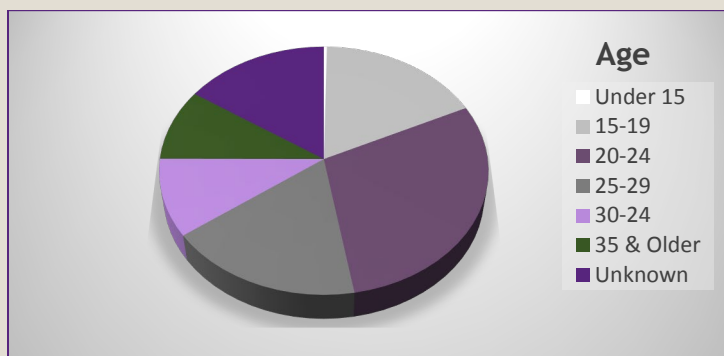
ALL FREE OF CHARGE:

- Pregnancy testing
- Ultrasound confirmation of pregnancy
- Options counseling
- Community referrals
- Sexual integrity and STD education
- Parenting classes
- Material support
- Baby Bucks incentive program
- Post-abortion recovery program

CLIENT STATISTICS

- Number of Clients: 613 ↑ 8% over 2017
- Client Visits: 2,523 ↑ 12% over 2017
- Pregnancy Tests: 311 ↑ 10% over 2017
- Positive Results: 144 ↑ 28% over 2017

**28 Abortion-vulnerable clients
CHOSE LIFE for their babies!**



OPPORTUNITIES FOR INVOLVEMENT

- Prayer – the foundational need of a successful ministry
- Life Ambassador – be our contact person in your church family
- Financial – Become a monthly partner, give a one-time gift or give a gift in memory or honor of a loved one or friend
- Volunteer – Become a client advocate or help us out by answering the phone, or a million other jobs - we need everyone!
- Donate diapers, baby clothing, toys or baby toiletries

COMMUNITY SERVICES

- Sexual integrity and pro-life educational programs
- Speakers for women's groups and special events
- Surrendering the Secret post-abortion recovery program

CHURCHES AND GROUPS

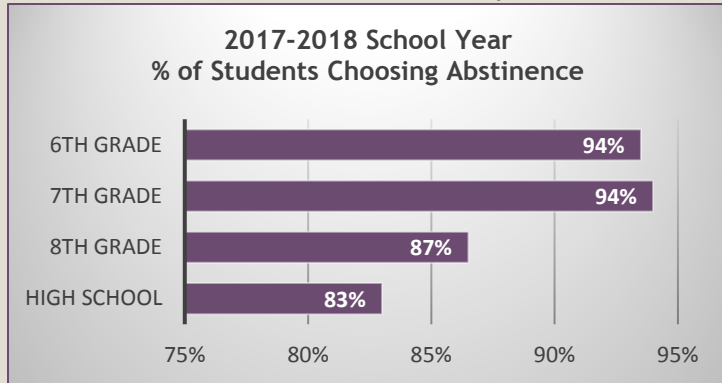
- Group projects – Make baby blankets; offer assistance with our fundraisers.
- Have a diaper or clothing drive
- Host a baby shower, to help stock the shelves with baby items
- Invite a speaker to your women's group or meeting
- Have a baby bottle fundraiser or diaper drive
- Group volunteer services projects – sort and clean toys or clothes



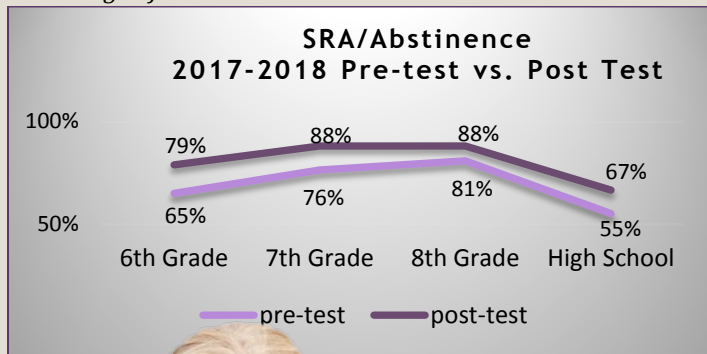
SRA/ABSTINENCE STATISTICS

During the 2017-2018 School year and summer programs our Creating Positive Relationship Program (CPR) was taught to 3,191 students in 21 schools and youth organizations throughout Muncie/Delaware and Anderson/Madison County.

After completing the CPR program, an average of 89.25% of students chose abstinence over sexual activity.



After completing the CPR Program, knowledge levels increased by an average of 11%



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