

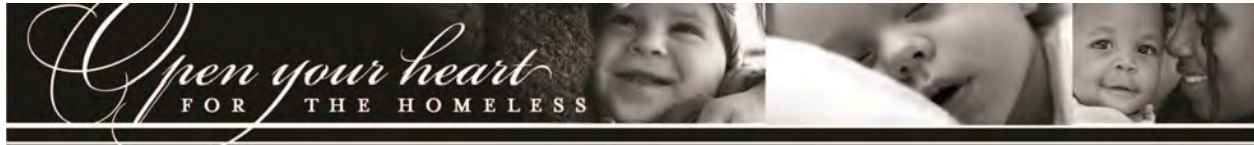
Open Your Heart *for the* Homeless Gala

The St. Louis Aquarium at Union Station
Friday, October 2, 2020



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A Message from Our Gala Chairpersons

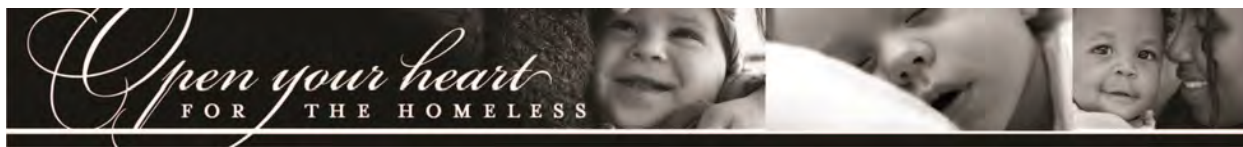
Dear Friends,

We are honored to help support the Gateway180 Open Your Heart for the Homeless Gala Celebration. We believe that every child deserves a safe place where they can learn, play, dream, and achieve their full God-given potential. Over the past decade, we have been inspired countless times by the courage, determination and resiliency we have witnessed by the families we have been so privileged to work with.

While we are humbled by the knowledge that the majority of our clients are children under the age of 13, we are encouraged that through the support of Gateway180 over 80% of these families remain in permanent housing 3 years later. On behalf of the Board, staff, and families of Gateway we offer our greatest thanks for all you do for our families and to make our community a better place!

Patrick White MD

Patrick and Elizabeth White



A Message From The Executive Director

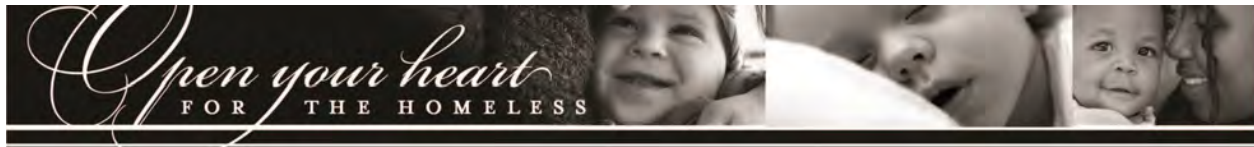
Thank you for joining us, in person or virtually, to celebrate our Gateway180 mission. During this challenging year and era of suspended services and Zoom Meetings, the issue of family homelessness prevails! In response to the pandemic, Gateway180 has not stopped providing safe & nurturing shelter, empowerment and rehousing services, and Rapid Rehousing Programs to those in need of stability, protection, and housing. In fact, we have enhanced our services, meeting the demand for wi-fi & virtual learning, increased on site meals, increased day services and case management; We have accommodated new internal policies, procedures and systems, to counter decreased "in person" community supportive services, the suspension of government office services, the reduction of job availability and childcare. We have stepped up our purchase and implementation of PPE, use of thermometers, social distancing, hotel vouchers, and COVID testing to insure those in need have a safe temporary home, not only from which to "get out of the way of the virus", but also from which to receive support in moving forward to stability and a "forever" home.

As the largest family Emergency Shelter in the State of Missouri, we understand our role in the lives of those experiencing homelessness. Since the beginning of the pandemic, we have moved 27 families from shelter to independence and permanent housing, have housed 7 new families in our scattered site Rapid Rehousing Program, and most recently, have assisted 11 households facing evictions with necessary funds and landlord negotiations to preserve their housing.

We are honored by and thankful for your support and the impact your support has on empowering families and communities to thrive.

Thank you and stay well!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kathy Connors". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.



Tonight's Menu

FIRST COURSE

Dried Cranberries, Apricot, Candied Walnut, Brie Cheese and Flatbread Cracker - Served with Lemon Truffle Vinaigrette and Maple Balsamic Vinaigrette.

SECOND COURSE

The Split Plate - Grilled Hickory Spiced Beef Tenderloin with Bourbon Demi-Glace and Spinach Artichoke Stuffed Chicken Breast with Herb Jus, accompanied by Vegetable and Quinoa Napoleon, French Beans, Carrots, & Blistered Tomatoes.

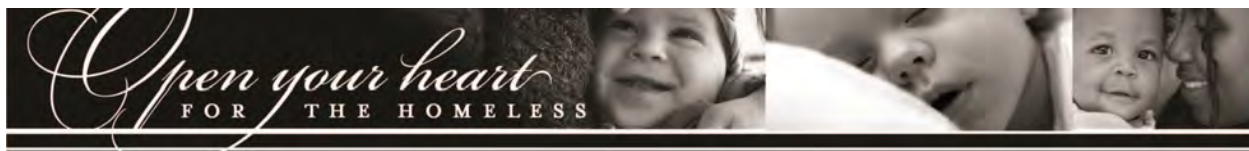
The Seafood Entrée - Seared Sea Bass with Ginger-Soy Glaze, accompanied by Vegetable and Quinoa Napoleon, French Beans, Carrots, & Blistered Tomatoes.

Vegan/Vegetarian Entrée - Vegetable and Quinoa Napoleon with Marinara, Vegan Mashed Potatoes, French Beans, Carrots, & Blistered Tomatoes.

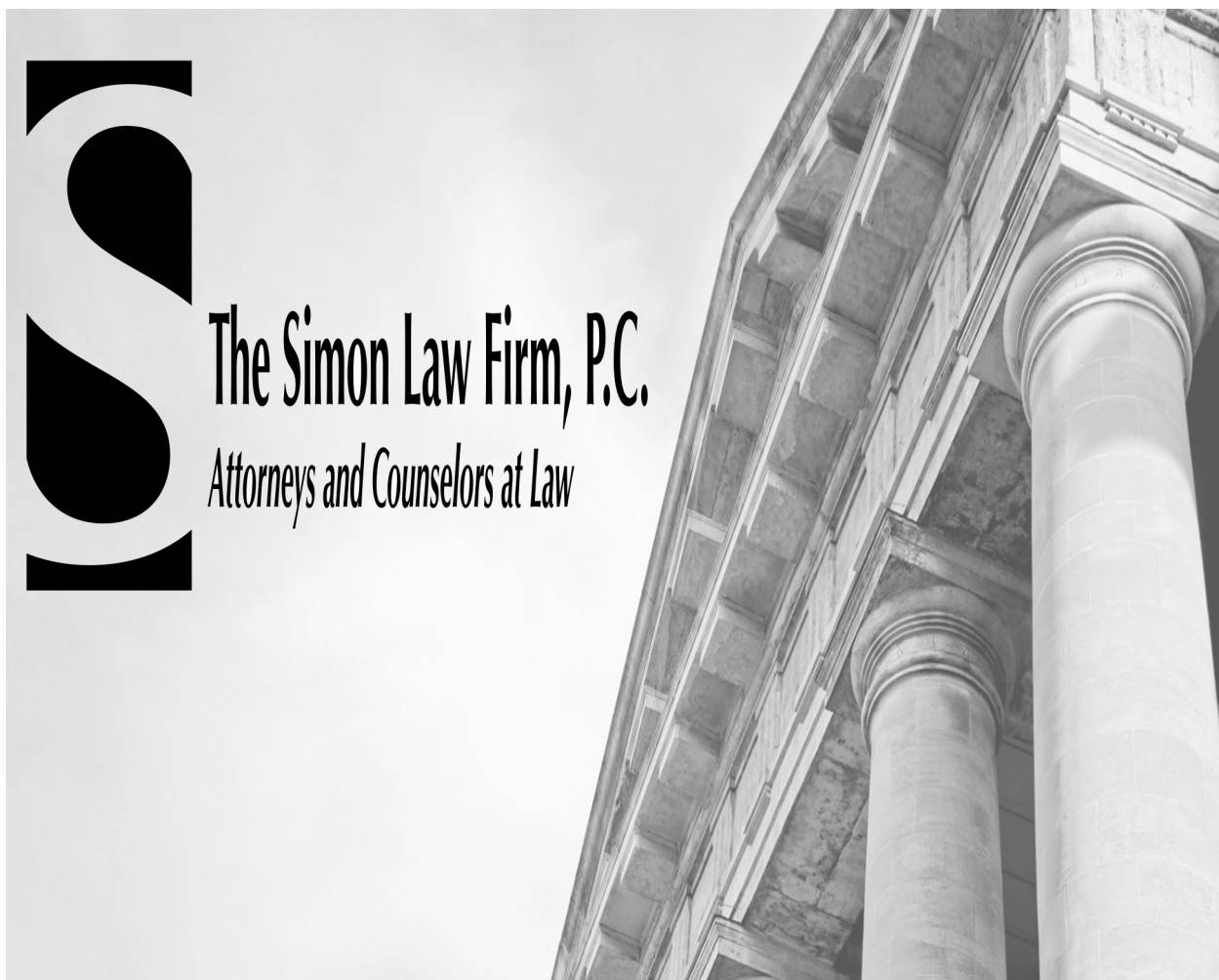
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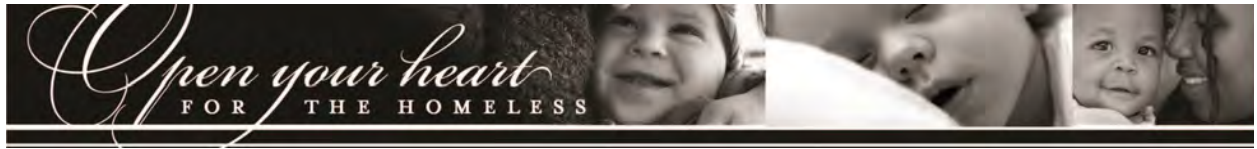


Thank You for Your Generosity!



Schedule of Events

Reception.....	6:30pm
Silent Auction Opens.....	6:30pm
Bubble Wall.....	6:30pm
Dinner.....	7:30pm
Program Starts.....	8:30pm
Live Auction.....	8:45pm
Aquarium Opens (after the Fund-A-Need).....	9:15pm
Silent Auction Closes.....	9:45pm
Check-Out Opens	10:00pm
Silent Auction Winners Notified.....	10:00pm
Aquarium Closes.....	10:15pm
Conclusion.....	10:45pm



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Auction Rules

General

The following terms and conditions (unless modified by posted notice or verbal announcement) outlines the auction items for sale at this year's "Open Your Heart for the Homeless" Gala. This evening's event supports the mission of Gateway180: empowering adults and families to become independent and permanently housed.

Bid Number

Each guest will be given a bid number upon arrival. This number is your only means of identification. Please keep it throughout the evening.

Your Bid

A signature or verbal bid during the auction is a legal offer to buy. At the call of the auctioneer, the highest bidder shall be deemed to have purchased the offered item in accordance with all of the conditions set forth herein and thereupon (a) assumes full risk and responsibility therefore, (b) if requested will sign a confirmation of purchase and (c) will pay the purchased price in full for all items purchased. All sales are final and there will be no exchanges or refunds. In all cases of dispute, the decision of the Gala Committee is final.

Restaurant/ Hotel Certificates

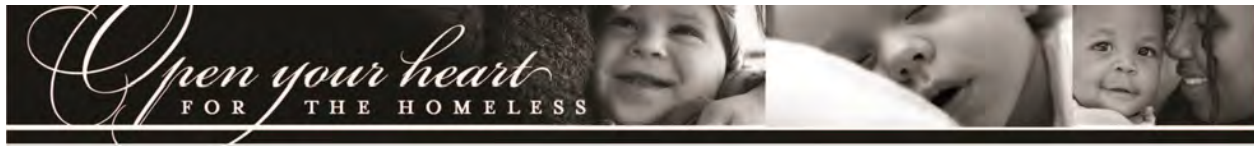
Restaurant certificates do not include liquor, tax or gratuities, unless otherwise indicated. All hotel/resort/condominium reservations are based on availability unless the certificate specifies a specific date.

Expiration Dates/ Restrictions

Please pay attention to all conditions, restrictions and expiration dates on items and services. Services, tickets, certificate items, etc. must be used within one year of the auction and are subject to mutually agreed upon times and dates except where noted by donor.

Travel & Accommodations

Gateway180 assumes no responsibility for travel arrangements and will be held harmless by purchaser on all claims regarding travel and stay. No refunds will be made for canceled tickets and accommodations. All air transportation is coach class unless otherwise noted and is subject to blackout dates. Future donations depend upon strict observance of these restrictions.



Auction Rules

Right to Withdraw

Gateway180 reserves the right to withdraw any item at any time before the call for bids on that item.

Items Sold "As Is"

Gateway180 has endeavored to catalog and describe the items correctly, but all items are sold "as is." Gateway180 neither warrants nor represents and shall in no event be responsible for the correctness of the description, genuineness, authorship, provenance or condition of any item. No statement contained in the catalog or made orally at the sale or elsewhere shall be deemed to be such a warranty or representation.

Packaging and Handling

If packaging and handling of purchased items is done by Gateway180, it is done at the risk of the purchaser. Gateway180 is not liable for any acts or omissions of carriers or packers, including those that Gateway180 may recommend. Such carriers or packers may carry their own insurance and any claim for loss or damage should be addressed directly to them.

Payment

Payment must be made in full the evening of the event. Guests may pay at the "Pick-up and Pay" area at the conclusion of the Live Auction. Cash, Check, American Express, Discover, MasterCard and Visa will be accepted.

Items can be removed only by exhibiting a paid receipt from an auction cashier. Unless otherwise noted, all items must be removed from the Randall Gallery at the close of the auction unless specific arrangements are made between the winning bidder and venue staff.

Sports Memorabilia

Please note that on any sports memorabilia item. Gateway180 has done everything in its power to secure a valid certificate of authenticity. The agency neither warrants nor represents, and shall in no event be responsible for, the authenticity, genuineness or condition of any item.

Re-sold/ Re-donated Items

Gateway180 assumes no responsibility for any item purchased and either resold or re-donated to another event. Items may not be resold at public sales.

Live Auction

Your Bid Number will be recognized by the auctioneer. Please hold up your bidder number so it can be easily seen.



The Bubble Wall

**Join Us at the Bubble Wall - a Fun Game of
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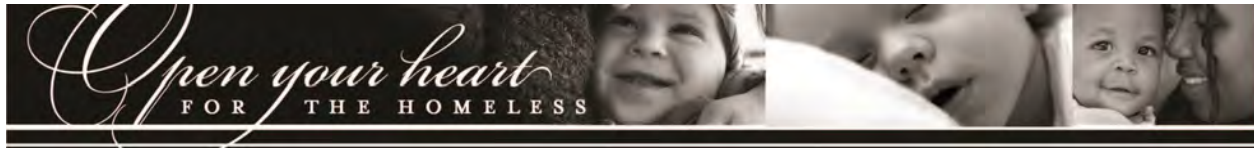


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Please purchase a Bubble, all of which contain a prize! It's guaranteed that the minimum value of each Bubble prize is what you paid, and in some cases it's much more. Prizes range from gift certificates to a weekend getaway.

. \$50 & \$100 donation levels available per Bubble



Live Auction Items 301 - 302

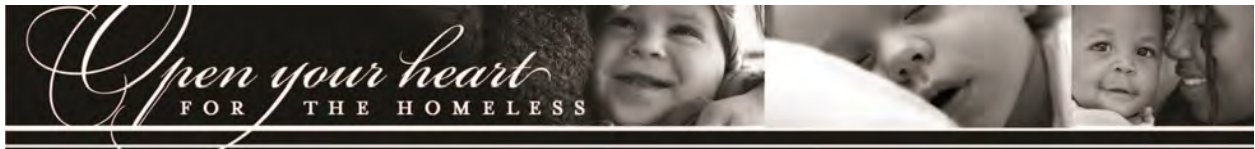
301 **FRENCH LICK RESORT**

Get away for a 2 night stay for two at West Baden Springs Hotel; Includes 1 round of golf for two, plus cart, at the Donald Ross Golf Course. Reservation based upon availability. Black out dates during holidays and special events.

Donor French Lick Resort

302 **SKI WHISTLER, BRITISH COLUMBIA**

Enjoy 3 nights at the Fairmont Chateau in Whistler, BC. Nestled at the base of Blackcomb Mountain, and home of the 2010 Olympics, Fairmont Chateau Whistler is a landmark ski-in ski-out hotel. This BC golf resort defines mountain luxury. Naturally spectacular, Fairmont Chateau Whistler resort delivers. Discover a perfect balance of relaxation and adventure and create memories of a lifetime in this snowy mountain playground. Black out periods December 15 - January 5th, special events; and/or Statutory/Holiday Periods.



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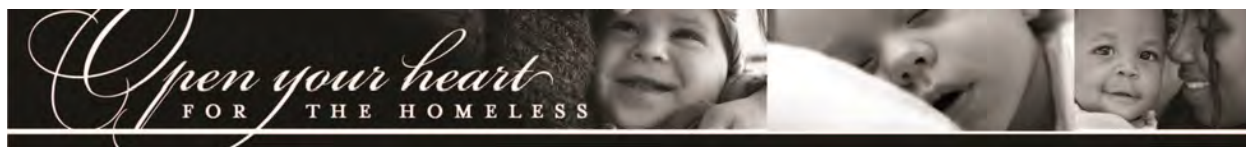


Table Hosts

Many Thanks to our Generous Table Hosts!



Ben & Jenna Voss

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Nike



Gateway180 and Nike Air MI would like to remember and honor Dr. Marla Clark for her unwavering dedication to our Gateway180 mission, agency strategic planning, and especially to the children served by our mission. Dr. Clark supported health, exercise and education for our shelter families, founding the Nike - G180 Basketball Mentoring Program, the Kid's Corner Reading Club and the MLK Day Nike Fair at G180. Dr. Marla will be forever remembered and missed.



Dr. Marla Clark



Live Auction Items 303 - 304

303 **OUTER BANKS NORTH CAROLINA**

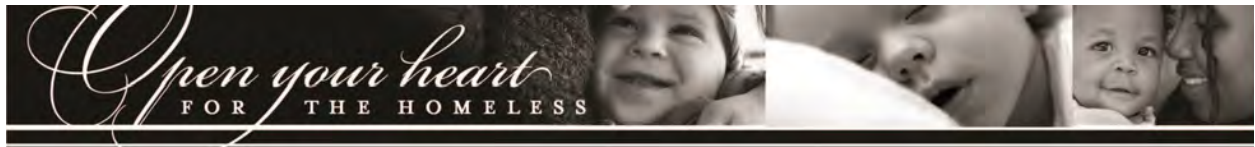
This ocean front beach treasure has 4 bedrooms (Sleeps 7-8); 3 bathrooms, screened in porch, outdoor grill, and outside shower are among the many amenities. Watch the colors of sunrise or a graceful formation of pelicans from this fantastic setting. Lots of decking, well appointed, thoughtfully outfitted and perfectly located. Booking are only Sunday - Sunday on a mutually agreed upon date.

Donors: Sharon Wilson

304 **GOLF VIP**

Play some of the best courses in town! This package includes 18 holes of golf for three people plus the member at 4 private courses: Glen Echo, Norwood Hills, Sunset Hills, and Westwood.

Donors: Gonz Fernanadez, David Stokes, & Neal Perryman

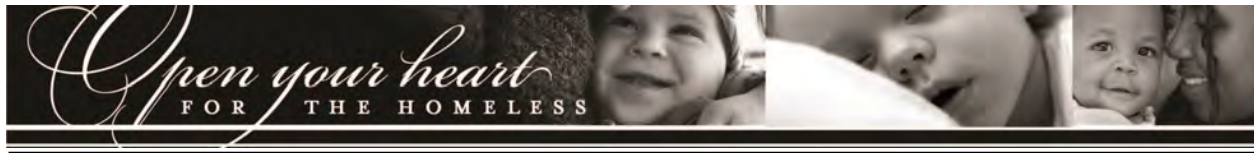


Hope Blooms - Purchase Your Flowers!

Buy Now on Text Bid! Auction Table Centerpieces are available for purchase and were donated by:



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Live Auction Item 305

ITEM IN HOME DINNER

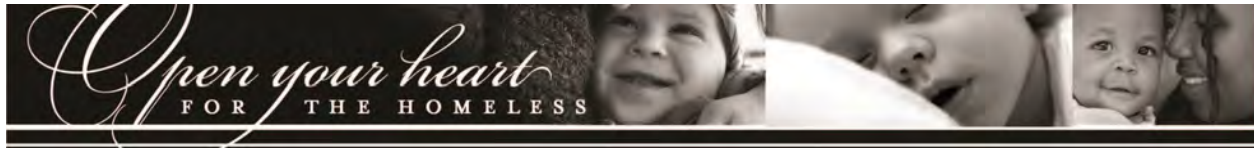
305 This In Your Home Dinner will serve 10 -12 guests. You and your guests will have the pleasure of personalized service with some of St. Louis's hottest talent, Carl Hazel & Angela Ortmann.

Chef Carl Hazel offers expertise in a wide range of culinary methods including; farm-to-table, whole-animal cooking, butchery and charcuterie, as well as menu creation. A self-trained cook, Carl got his start working underneath his sister, head chef at Royal N'Orleans, in Cape Girardeau. Since then Carl has worked at St. Louis' favorite restaurants, including The Scottish Arms, 1111 Mississippi, Sqwires and Gamlin Whiskey house. Carl has won some of the city's best-known food events, including Taste of St. Louis and RFT Iron Fork.

Angela Ortmann, STLwinegirl.com, has been a food, drink, and hospitality professional for over two decades in the top restaurants and hotels of San Francisco and Saint Louis. She is a sommelier with a passion for food and wine pairings, working regularly with local chefs and restaurants to create unique dining and event experiences.

This donation is also in partnership with the Vino Gallery. The Vino Gallery is a retail wine boutique, lounge space, and bar located in the Central West End. The Vino Gallery specializes in smaller production, artisan wines, and beers with a strong emphasis on customer service and product education. Offerings include: wines by the glass and bottle, beers, poured spirits

Donors: Performance Food Group, Karl Hazel , Angela Ortmann & The Vino Gallery



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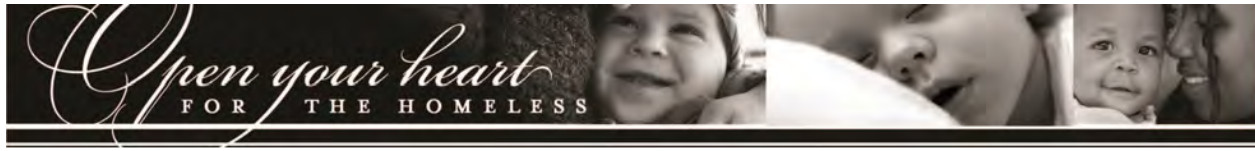
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Live Auction Item 306

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Explore the Great Outdoors and Go on a Wildlife Adventure in Jackson Hole, Wyoming . Four Days & Three Nights at The Lodge at Jackson Hole for Two, Including a Grand Teton Small-Group Wildlife Safari (Land Only) Experience the beauty of the West in Jackson Hole, the gateway to Grand Teton and Yellowstone National Parks, which is an internationally celebrated playground that promises invigorating mountain air, awe-inspiring star-filled skies and an astonishing profusion of wildlife. Consisting of 330,000 acres, and home to more than 60 species of mammals, 30 species of birds and several types of fish, Grand Teton National Park is an incredible place to see wildlife in their natural habitats, and you'll get the pleasure of doing so on an exhilarating tour by open-air safari-style vehicle! Whether you go for world-renowned skiing, snowmobiling and sledding during the winter months, or exceptional fly fishing, hiking and rafting in the summer; the luxurious Lodge at Jackson Hole is the perfect place to recharge after an exhilarating day exploring this magnificent region

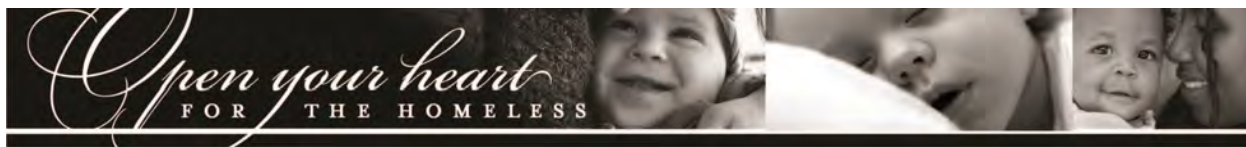
Limited availability in June and July. Some restrictions may apply during special events. Blackout dates: May 23-24, 29-31, Jun 6-7, Sep 11- 13. Tour runs on specific days of the week and at specific times. If tour is not available, it may be substituted with equal or similar experience. Entrance fees to Grand Teton National Park are not included. Tour participants must be 6 years of age or older. A minimum 30 day advance reservation is required. Travel is valid for 24 months from date of issue.



Gateway180 would like to remember and honor Mr. Richard (Dick) Wegner. Dick led the Trinity Lutheran Gateway180 Action Team and was an avid and dedicated supporter of the Gateway180 mission for many years. Dick embodied and exemplified our G180 values of compassion, pragmatism, dignity and respect. He strongly supported the families we served, as he prepared Saturday evening Family Night Meals, called Bingo, prepared Brown Bag Lunches, and so much more, always while advocating for the Gateway180 mission and those it serves. Dick will be missed greatly and will be forever in our thoughts.



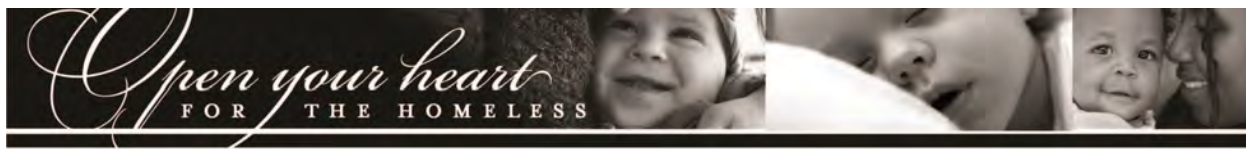
Dick Wegner



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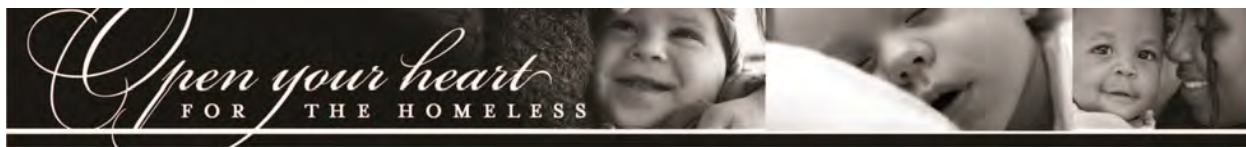
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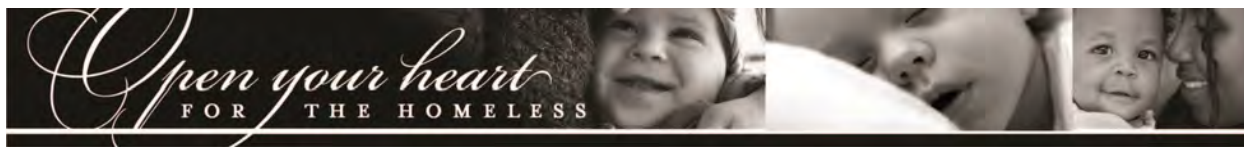
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ST. LOUIS CARES ACT & COVID

Gateway180, CARES Act Funding, and Health & Housing Stability

Mayor Lyda Krewson and the City of St. Louis have allocated \$5.4 million to rental and mortgage assistance to assist qualifying City Residents facing financial hardships due to COVID 19.

Gateway180 is proud to be selected as one of the agencies invited to partner with the City of St. Louis to work with and assist families who are facing housing instability due to the recent pandemic. These households include those that face the possibility of eviction, have been evicted or rendered homeless due to the negative financial impact of COVID 19.

This program empowers Gateway180 to work with the head of household to identify and substantiate utility and rent or mortgage payments in arrears, and negotiate with, make payment to and resolve landlord and / or utility debt that has occurred due to COVID 19.

Our program objective is to facilitate housing continuity and stability for individuals and families negatively impacted by COVID 19.



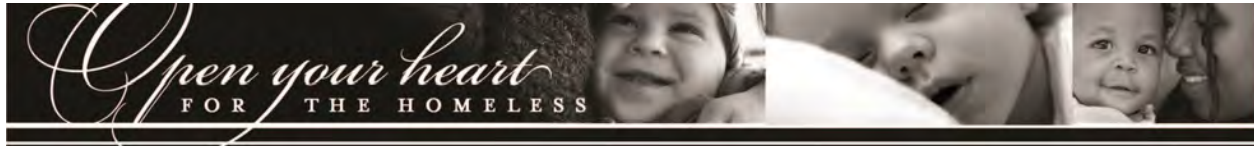
A Special Thank You!

Thanks to the support and generosity shown at the 2019 Open Your Heart for the Homeless Gala Celebration, in 2019, Gateway180 served as a safe and nurturing home to 541 children and 456 women and family members experiencing homelessness.

With your support, we provided 54,750 safe Nights of Shelter for families in need, including 19 Veteran households!
In addition, we moved 278 families from shelter to stable housing!

Thank you for your help in empowering and making life better for these families and for our communities!





Fund A Need

Be a Part of the Solution

In this year of a COVID 19 pandemic, our Fund A Need seeks support of our shelter operations. In response to the COVID 19 pandemic, we have embraced a reduced number of beds to ensure social distancing for individuals and families that have no other options, but to reside in shelter. Less available beds in our shelter, coupled with the recent financial "hit" to our STL community, has reduced the number of funds available to support our mission and its programs.

Please be generous and help us provide a safe temporary home, virtual school setting and safe haven from the pandemic for families experiencing homelessness.

\$10,000 - A Month of Full Shelter and Re-Housing Programs

\$5,000 - One Month of Shelter Meals, Milk and Healthy School-Day Snacks

\$2,500 - Case Management & Family Resources for 1 Month

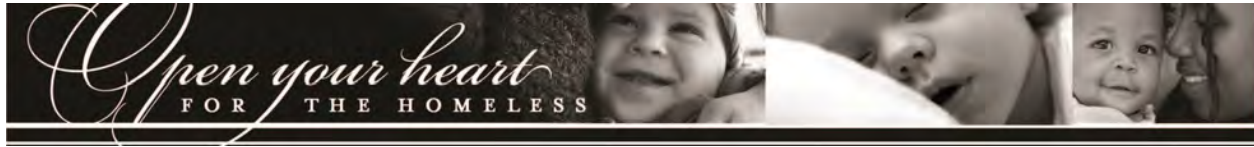
\$1,000 - A One Week Shelter Stay for a Family of Four, inclusive of Virtual School Accommodations

\$500 - Sanitizing Spray, Clorox Wipes, Bleach and Face Masks

\$250 - One Day of Shelter Utilities, including Wi-Fi, Heating / Cooling and Hot Water for Laundry & Showers

\$100 - Bedding, Towels, Linens & Hygiene Items for 1 Family





Upcoming Events

GATEWAY180 GOLF CLASSIC

Friday October 23rd at Forest Park Golf Course

KENDRA SCOTT GIVE BACK

Two days of 20% of sales go to Gateway180, with our special Gateway180 holiday code. Here's how it works, on November 4&5 the use our special holiday code (coming soon) and 20% every purchase made online or in person at the Kendra Scott Central West End location goes to Gateway180. So kick off your holiday shopping with Gateway180 and Kendra Scott.


VOM FASS WINE TASTING

Join us in 2021 for an exclusive wine tasting event at Vom Fass in Maplewood from 5pm – 7:30pm. For a \$20 donation to Gateway180, you will enjoy a private wine tasting, snacks and samples of the many unique and quality olive oils, balsamic vinegars, liqueurs, whiskeys, and brandys that Vom Fass has to offer. In addition Vom Fass will donate 10% of the days sales to Gateway180.

Check Gateway180.org in for details.

Follow us on Gateway180.org, Facebook, Twitter and Instagram - @gateway180stl to learn more about our upcoming events!

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Commitment

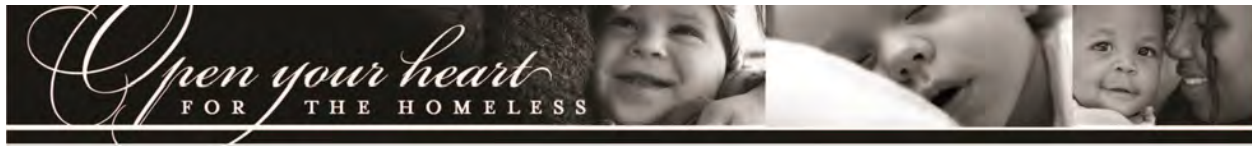
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Special Thanks

Many hands have made this a wonderful event for Gateway180. We extend our special thanks to the following companies and individuals for their contributions to the creative aspects of the event, including logos and invitations, our paddle raise video, and one-of-a-kind live and silent auction items!

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WHEN YOU WRITE YOUR BEST RESUME,
YOU WRITE THE STORY OF YOUR
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