

2022 Annual Report



Christ
House



Our Mission



Christ House's mission is to provide comprehensive and compassionate care for people experiencing homelessness with acute medical needs in the District of Columbia and to offer assistance in addressing critical issues to help break the cycle of homelessness.

A MESSAGE FROM DR. GOETCHEUS

DEAR FRIENDS,

As we reflect on another year of providing comprehensive and compassionate care for people experiencing homelessness with acute medical needs in Washington, DC, we are moved by your unwavering support and dedication that have made a profound impact on the lives of the patients we serve.

2022 was a year of perseverance—the belief that brighter days lie ahead, even in the face of challenges. Perseverance is a common quality of our patients who, despite burdens sometimes too heavy to comprehend, refuse to succumb to despair and instead choose to find hope. Our organization was built on this very essence of hope, and it is our collective perseverance that has kept us moving forward for 37 years.

Within our resilient community, we witness firsthand the strength that resides within each individual. Every day, we encounter patients who refuse to be defined by their circumstances, who diligently work toward healing, and inspire us with their determination.

None of our achievements would be possible without you—our volunteers, donors, staff, and supporters. I want to express my heartfelt gratitude to each and every one of you. Your compassion and commitment fuel us daily. Whether it is through financial contributions, volunteering your time, or simply spreading the word about our mission, your involvement makes a tangible difference. Thank you for being with us on this journey.

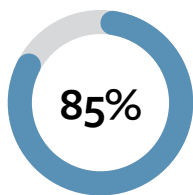


Sincerely,

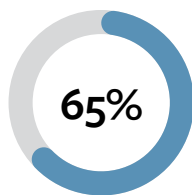
A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Janelle Goetcheus".

Janelle Goetcheus, MD
Medical Director, Co-Founder

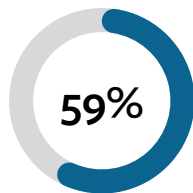
PATIENT DEMOGRAPHICS



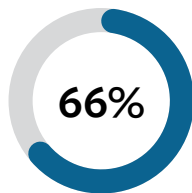
Patients with 3 or more health needs



Patients with a mental health diagnosis



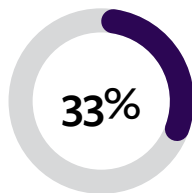
Patients with mobility aids



Patients age 55 or older



Patients referred from hospitals



Patients admitted from the street or shelter

THE POWER OF COMMUNITY

David and Reggie met over twenty years ago on Martin Luther King Avenue in Southeast DC. Their friendship, which initially started over substance use, has only grown stronger in the past decade through recovery and their time together in Christ House's Kairos permanent housing Program.

After his recovery in 2008, Reggie visited David regularly on the streets and talked to him about his recovery program. David could see the positive effects it had on Reggie's well-being. Inspired by Reggie, David joined the same recovery program less than a year later.

Both men arrived at Christ House in 2014. David experienced chronic kidney disease and back pain, while Reggie endured emphysema, frequent seizures and diabetes. In 2015, David and Reggie were invited to join the Kairos Program. The two agree that it was the best decision they have ever made. While they believe the Kairos Program provides an indispensable support system, both men said that they still lean on each other whenever they need extra encouragement.



“He’s my crutch. That’s why I’m really still here, because of my buddy.”

-David, Kairos Program Member

HOLISTIC CARE



155

AA/NA CLASSES
HOSTED



31,354

MEALS
SERVED



1,920

TRANSPORT TO
APPOINTMENTS



2,200

PASTORAL
COUNSELING
SESSIONS



COMMUNITY SUPPORT



1,942 Donors



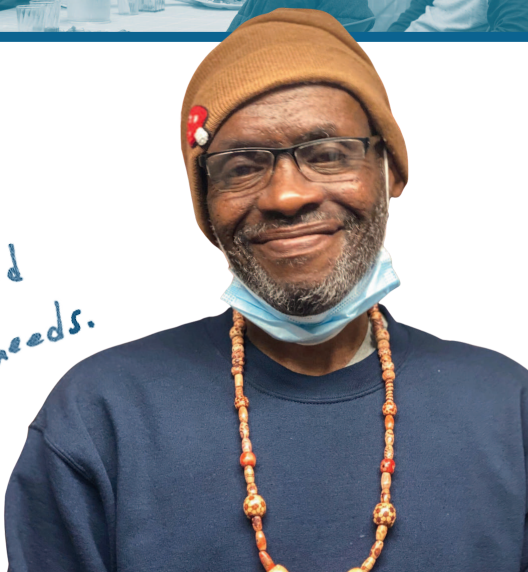
4,941 Financial Gifts



11,423 Volunteer Hours



I'm thankful for Christ House for helping me recover from my injury. And also with all the help from my addiction from alcohol and drugs. Helping me get housing and my other needs.



KAIROS PROGRAM



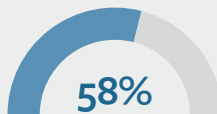
2022 marked a significant milestone for our Kairos permanent housing Program. Three decades ago, we embarked on an extension of our mission to address a pressing need for permanent supportive housing for former patients. We recognized that providing temporary shelter, if available, would not suffice. It was essential to create a solution that offered stability, dignity, and the opportunity for individuals to rebuild and rejoice in their lives alongside others and with the accessibility of staff support.

In 1992, Christ House initiated the Kairos Program. This residential recovery community, located around the corner from our medical respite facility, provides permanent supportive housing.

Kairos Members are supported in their daily lives and receive support from our Addictions Counselor, Chaplain, and Medical Coordinator. The presence of Kairos Members for current patients is invaluable and often an inspiration for patients to achieve greater stability.

37 Members in 2022

63 Average age



Kairos Members
with 3+ health
challenges



Kairos Member
sobriety rate

KAIROS PROGRAM



We are deeply grateful for your support of the Kairos Program over the last three decades which has allowed us to create an environment that fosters a sense of belonging and beloved community. You have made a true impact on the lives of our Kairos Members who add profound value to our mission every day.

"Kairos means the world to me. Comparing this to where I lived before, I wouldn't have it any other way. I have structure and spirituality here and that keeps me on track and drug free. There are so many benefits and the program helps me out tremendously. I just can't say enough good things about it."

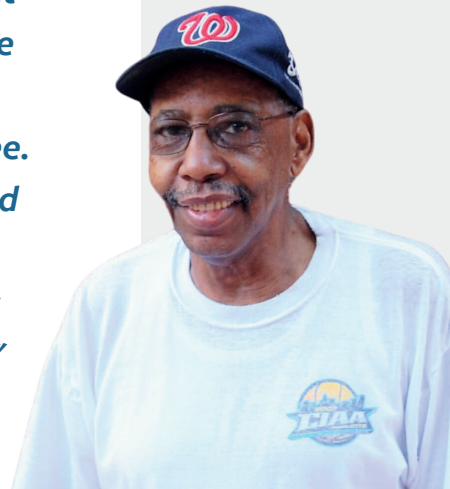
-Kairos Program Member

218

Kairos Members
since 1992

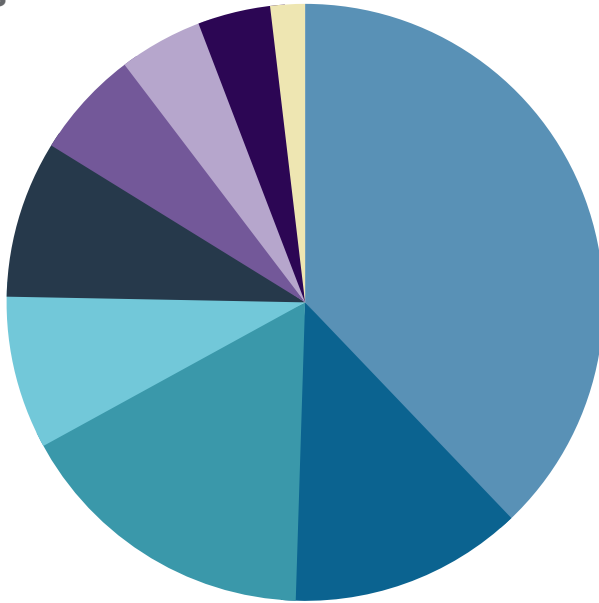











Kairos Members
in the program
5+ years



FINANCES

Expenses



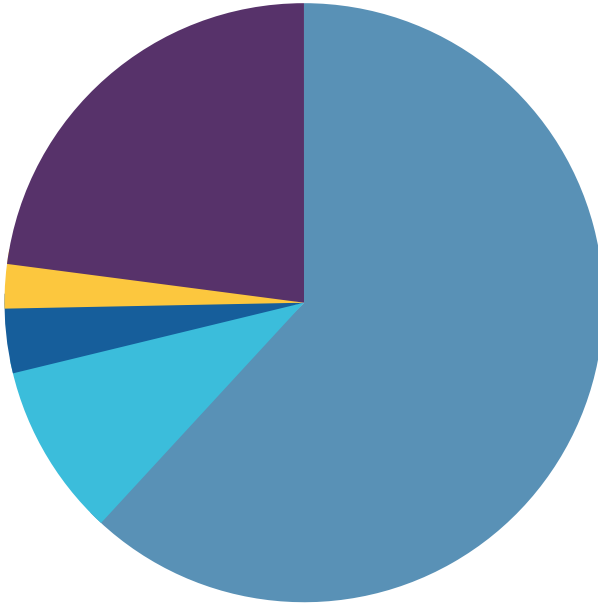
	Social & Medical Services	\$1,541,718	38%
	Building & Facilities	\$672,597	16%
	Kairos Program	\$514,974	13%
	Food Service	\$346,422	9%
	Management & General	\$337,649	7%
	Community Engagement & Volunteer Services	\$238,178	6%
	Fundraising	\$184,433	5%
	Spiritual Life & Pastoral Services	\$160,367	4%
	Transportation Services	\$76,382	2%







TOTAL EXPENSES

\$4,072,720

FINANCES

Revenue



	Contributions & Foundations	\$2,822,238	65%
	Federal & Local Government	\$1,046,498	24%
	Kairos House	\$427,132	10%
	In-Kind Contributions	\$158,545	4%
	Other	\$108,738	2%
	Interest & Dividends	(\$229,370)	-4%

TOTAL REVENUE

\$4,333,781

Christ House is a 501c3 nonprofit corporation. Copies of the completed financial statement, audited by Mullins, PC, are available from Christ House upon request.



*Dr. Janelle Goetcheus and Rev. Allen Goetcheus
Co-Founders of Christ House*



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