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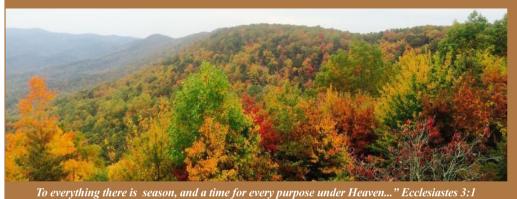
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Fall 2021

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Angel Babies Boutique

Newly appointed Director Patti Johnson (left) and Executive Director Pat Page (right)

Dear Friends.

I am excited to announce that we have a new Director at The Pregnancy Center! Patti Johnson has been serving as our Assistant Director since February. She has done a fantastic job and has earned this new title. She is a joy to have on board serving along with me and the rest of the team in this wonderful ministry. If you have not had an opportunity to meet Patti personally, please stop by the Center or make plans to meet her at the Banquet on October 5.

Friends for Life,

Pat Page **Executive Director**

SEASONS

A new season is upon us. And with each change of seasons, we transition from times of renewal and blossoming, to seasons of falling away and dormancy. The bounty of Fall gives way to the barrenness of Winter. Yet in God's perfect design, each season is a necessary time of preparation for what is to come. Spring brings new birth as flowers bloom, trees bud, nests fill with eggs, and newborn animals fill the forests.

One thing we see without fail, is the falling away that seems like an ending is actually God's preparation for a new beginning. New buds appear on the tree's old growth. The fawn steps out on shaky legs to follow in the sure footsteps of its mother. And so, life and God's plans continue throughout every season of life.

At The Pregnancy Center, we are entering a new season. The unexpected season of shutdowns and closures is being followed by a new season as we continue to meet the needs of our clients in an oftenchanging environment.

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Client Story

This family is precious to us! Rhonda, her husband Jack, and their daughter welcomed a baby boy on Father's Day! You may remember Rhonda's testimonial of how The Pregnancy Center has been a blessing to her (featured in the Spring 2021 newsletter). Bright Course online classes helped prepare Rhonda and Jack for their new baby, and also offered guidance on how to introduce their 5-year-old daughter to the newest member of the family. Having one-on-one counseling support by phone when Rhonda was given bed-rest orders late in her pregnancy was a blessing to this family. Our Client Advocate came alongside her and prayed for her continued trust in God. We were even able to have a meal delivered to their home during a particularly rough patch late in her pregnancy. After delivery, the couple revisited the Center and gifted the staff and volunteers with cookies

> and a beautiful card. Rhonda wrote "Thank you for not only providing the wonderful classes, but also for checking on and praying for my family." We were blessed to serve this family!



visited Lisa and the rest of the Client Services team to say thank y<mark>ou after the</mark> birth of <mark>her baby.</mark>



CURRENT NEEDS:

6–9-month boy's clothing Diapers sizes 4-5-6, and Baby wipes.

The Angel Babies Boutique appreciates donations of all things "baby", especially gently used clothes, umbrella strollers, high-chairs, pack-n-plays, and bassinets. All donations receive a 10% off coupon for the Boutique, and a tax-deductible receipt.

BOUTIQUE PROVIDES RESOURCES AFTER HOUSE FIRE

In June, we received an urgent call from another local helping organization. A young family had suffered a catastrophic loss the night before when their home caught fire. The mother was in her third trimester of pregnancy. Within an hour of that call, our Angel Babies Boutique staff was assisting the family. Baskets were filled with everything from toddler clothes for their little boy, to maternity clothes for the expectant momma. We were once again reminded how grateful we are to be a part of meeting needs in times of crisis. Additionally, we were able to send them out the door with a new car seat. What a privilege to be the hands and feet of Christ to the community we serve. Through your support, we continue to have the opportunity to invest into lives to meet both tangible needs, and to share the hope of Jesus Christ.



CAR SEAT EVENT

Friday August 20 from 12-5pm, in conjunction with our BACK-TO-SCHOOL DOLLAR DAY SALE, we will be hosting a CAR SEAT SAFETY CLINIC. A certified car seat safety technician will

be on hand to answer questions as well as ensure seats are properly installed. The technician will even help install car seats into vehicles! Please share this wonderful opportunity with others. We pray many will come by for this free service as we work together to help keep EVERY CHILD SAFE on our roadways!

Car Tags Benefit Center



Did you know....... when you purchase a CHOOSE LIFE license plate at the time of your tag renewal, or at any time during the year, a significant portion of those funds goes directly to the ministry here at The Pregnancy Center?!? Tags are available from your local tag office. Displaying this specialty tag is a clear message that you support EVERY life.



A big thank you goes out to Matt Moore for coordinating the young men from the Jesuit High School in Tampa, FL. They invested two days weeding and doing landscape maintenance at the Center. With the recent rains, this was a BIG need. The group also took a tour of the Center, where they learned more about the miracle of life before birth! For service opportunities please call the Center.

PRAYER NEEDS

- Our clients and their unborn babies
- Hearts to be drawn to Christ
- Financial provision for new client resources
- Banquet planning committee, sponsors, table hosts, and guests
- Mom's Time Out Community Outreach
- Adding another male counselor/mentor

Mom's Time Out



Here at the Center, we meet and serve mothers from many walks of life. It is our strong desire to share the love of God with families, and to be a connecting point in the Community of Faith for those who are seeking. and who need to experience in a real and powerful way the life changing hope of a growing relationship with Christ Jesus. We invite you to partner with us and pray with us as we launch our new weekly 1 hour connecting event.

MOM'S TIME OUT, begins August 9, from 10-11am weekly. Childcare is available by calling the Center to reserve your space. If you would like to attend, pray for, invite, or share this opportunity within your fellowship or community group, please feel free to do so.

Big Canoe Missions Conference

We were so honored to be a part of the Big Canoe Missions Conference! From beginning to end, every part of this conference was filled with people who were excited to be there and experience all that God is doing in the ministries represented. We felt so loved and cared for by Big Canoe Chapel. Executive Director Pat Page and Boutique Manager Lori Woodworth each had the opportunity to share the mission of our ministry. The clients at the Center will continue to benefit from the very generous donations given. We are so thankful for the partnerships that enable us to continue the work God has called us to in North Georgia.

Business Community Visits The Center

We were delighted to host Ballground Business & Community Association members at the June Lunch & Learn event. Attendees were treated to a tour of the Center. Guests met our staff and volunteers, and were presented an overview of our ministry by Center Director Patti Johnson.



Banquet Fundraising Dinner

This year's banquet will be held Tuesday October 5 at the beautiful TATE HOUSE. Please consider being a table host and inviting others. As we enter a new season of growth and outreach, the theme NEW BEGINNINGS is an appropriate one! We are excited to share the vision for this new season in service to the Lord, the community, and our clients. We count it an honor to have you join us for an evening in preparation for what is to come. God is doing a great work. Thank you for being a part of it! Deadline to RSVP is September 24, please register by going to Babyontheway.org or contact our office.

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Our client services team is busy as more clients are now coming to the Center in person. Additional clients are taking the online course option. Our client numbers are up 50%! Because of this new growth, we have purchased additional streaming services to meet the increased demand. All clients are seeking guidance, training, hope, and encouragement through these programs.

We saw God's perfect hand in His provision of a new building in 2020 during a difficult year. Today, the Client Services area and the Boutique are regularly filling with precious souls seeking support. We are grateful for this change of seasons. We humbly request your continued prayers and support as we seek to point parents toward the Faithful Father that desires to walk with them through every season of their own lives, and the lives of their children. Thank you for partnering with us in each season of this ministry. Your support makes it all possible.

Blessings!

Patti Love Johnson Director