

Your quarterly update from our mission field, as we uphold the sanctity of life and foster a culture of compassion and support.



# REFLECTIONS from Melany

Dear Friends and Supporters,

*Merry Christmas! We are so thankful for this special season and for the many ways God has been at work over the past few months. Your support has truly been the greatest gift to Aggieland Pregnancy Outreach, and because of you, the last two quarters have been full of life, growth, and meaningful milestones. We're excited to share these special updates with you in this holiday Special Edition Newsletter.*

From completing construction, a new office space, our **Ribbon Cutting**, to growing programs, this is a season of impact made possible by YOU.

We officially relocated to our new space at **550 Fraternity Row**, creating room to grow and better serve families. Our new home reflects our community's faithfulness.

Ally's Place provides safety, stability, and support for young women in need. When housing is secured during crisis, the door opens to a brighter future filled with hope, education, health, and opportunity.

We can't wait to share stories of how your support is transforming lives.

Take a peek inside! See a **virtual tour here**.



# Happy Birthday, APO!

For 27 years, since November 9, 1997, we have grown in impact, faith, and the lives we serve.

## Our outreach programs are changing lives:

## Programs are in Full Swing!

- **Mama Club** is giving young moms a community of support.
- **Real Men** is challenging young dads to step up with strength and love.
- **Parent Academy** is meeting young teens in five local area high schools, equipping them with practical tools and lasting friendships.
- **Baby Steps** classes are encouraging and empowering parents in their pregnancy & parenting journeys. Various classes are held weekly, and are offered in both English and Spanish.



We have worked tirelessly this fall to support our clients. We completed home studies, hosted support groups for birth mothers and adoptive families, supported one placement and celebrated three finalizations. During National Adoption Month in November, we shared encouragement and resources with our community on social media and in emails. We recently hosted an Information Meeting and have a Pre-Application Meeting scheduled for January.

One family said: *"Thank you so much for walking with us through this journey. We are so grateful for your guidance and support- it means the world to us."* We are grateful for every family who entrusts us with their story and for every supporter who helps make these moments possible.



Congratulations to this sweet family on their son's adoption finalization.



This fall provided meaningful outreach opportunities to share our services.

## Brazos Valley Gives: Thank You!

Thanks to your generosity, APO had incredible success during Brazos Valley Gives. Every gift goes directly into our educational programs that meet families where they are and gives them the hope of a brighter future.

**Praise God for the \$95,640 raised!**

## Upcoming Events:

- 1/10 Adoptive Family Support Group
- 1/20 Mama Club resumes for spring semester
- 1/23-24 Pre-application Meeting for Prospective Adoptive Families
- 3/5 Texas Roadhouse Event: **Boot Scootin' Babies**

# YOUR FINANCIAL IMPACT

So far in 2025, we have received \$380,000 of our \$690,000 annual goal.

## Join Us in Year-End Giving

As 2025 draws to a close, we invite you to partner with us in a special way. Your year-end gift ensures that families in crisis have access to support, education, and hope - and that our programs will continue to thrive into 2026.

Providing complete care for one mother and her baby living in Ally's Place costs \$3,000 per month. This includes both direct services and the essential support systems that allow us to walk alongside families with consistency, compassion, and hope.

When you give to APO, you are directly providing support to those facing unplanned pregnancies, promoting Christian parenting, and offering adoption as a loving option. Thank you for your faithful generosity!

### One mom recently shared:

*"I never thought I'd have people who cared about me like this. APO feels like family."*

**Your support makes stories like hers possible.**

## PRAYERS

- For Ally's Place: for routine and community among residents and for more new residents.
- For Teen Parent Programs: for teen parents graduating high school this month, as well as the needed mentor moms & dads for spring semester of Mama Club.
- For staff: Our team has grown! Please pray for unity and efficiency as we learn to carry out our mission together.

## PRAISES

- For Grace Bible Church Midtown campus, hosting Mama Club in the spring.
- For the growth of educational programs happening in all of our services, and the needed discernment to meet those needs.
- For Ally's Place successfully launching and operating.

## PARTNER WITH US

- Would you like to volunteer? Do you have potential donations for our Mama Store? Contact [andrea@pregnancyoutreach.org](mailto:andrea@pregnancyoutreach.org).
- Do you have questions about your financial donations or events? Contact: [tracy@pregnancyoutreach.org](mailto:tracy@pregnancyoutreach.org).

Alongside the opening of Ally's Place, we are excited to share the launch of **Ally's Place Childcare Center**, a licensed on-site day care serving the children of both staff and residents. Achieving licensure was a complex and intentional process, but one that directly supports our mission by removing childcare barriers and strengthening stability for the families we serve.



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