



135 Metro Drive, Spartanburg, SC 29303

**JUNE 2023**

**TRAINING CENTER  
OPENING SOON!**

**OPPORTUNITIES TO CONNECT  
THIS SUMMER**

**MISSIONS KIT**

Even kids can support children in foster care!

**BACK TO SCHOOL**

Host a drive or simply collect supplies!

**RUN SIGN UP**

Register early for our annual 5K, Oct 21st!

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BIG hopes and dreams,  
combined with serving a BIG GOD  
= HIS Provisions for HIS kids!

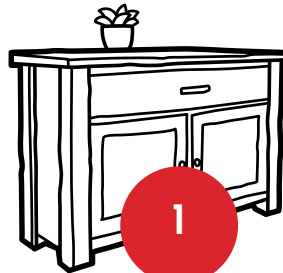
God continues to supply our needs in so many ways! We want to give a HUGE THANK YOU to Compton Plumbing, Tracy McCall Electrical, Davis Contractors, and Greenville Drywall Contracting for donating their services! Thank you Leadership Spartanburg for raising funds to provide the media equipment! And Thank you to all the groups, who have served to get the building ready! It takes a village!

I want to invite each of you to "Have a Seat at the Table" in our New Training Center. It is not complete, but it is on track to be fully functional by the end of summer or early fall. To make this happen, and to have our first foster parent training in September, we need your help! Tables, chairs, and furniture are a vital part of providing the opportunity for foster parents to receive educational, emotional, and spiritual support during their fostering journey. The "Have a Seat at our Table" fund will allow us to purchase the specific items needed to complete the project.

Together we can make a difference in the lives of foster children in our community! Thank you for being the "village" our foster parents need while fostering children from hard places!

*Blessings, Kay Kirby  
Executive Director*

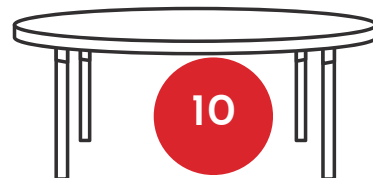
**NEW  
FURNITURE  
NEEDS**



Coffee Bar Cabinet



Built-in Storage Cabinet



Round Folding Tables



Stackable Chairs

**GIVE TODAY @ PSILOVEYOUINISTRIES.COM/EXPANSION**





This past May, as part of our Foster Family Appreciation, we honored the bio & adopted children with special "Golden Tickets" to shop in the toy room!

With the building expansion, our Donation Center is also undergoing BIG changes with more space to process incoming donations and collections. We'd love for you to stop by to see this space, and maybe bring a few of these needed items. 😊

- Immediate Needs:**
- Sports balls (basketball, volleyballs, footballs, etc..)
  - Teen art or craft kits
  - Baby socks
  - Burb cloths
  - Ethnic hair: pick combs and detangle spray

**Back to SCHOOL**

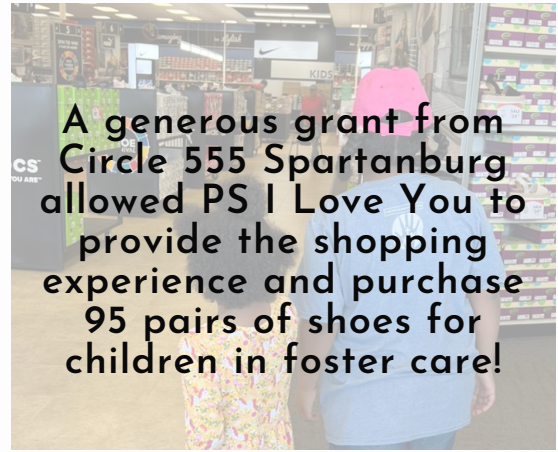
Character Backpacks, Pocket Folders, 3 Ring Binders, Composition Notebooks, Notebook Paper, Crayons, Colored Pencils, Markers, Glue sticks, Erasers, Pencil Sharpener, Scissors, Rulers, Pack of Pens and Pencils, Highlighters, Index Cards, Dry Erase Markers, Pencil Boxes or Pouches

For more info, see our Amazon Wishlist on [psiloveyouministries.org](http://psiloveyouministries.org)

# SPRING SHOE EVENT



On March 26th, foster families from all over the county met Kay at Shoe Carnival to enjoy one of her most favorite activities... **SHOE SHOPPING!**



A generous grant from Circle 555 Spartanburg allowed PS I Love You to provide the shopping experience and purchase 95 pairs of shoes for children in foster care!



We also had the opportunity to share the love of Christ through Easter gift bags with treats, a book for the family, activities and a song for the children.



"I have never done anything like this. I'm so excited. It's like I'm about to wake up from a dream!"

Teen girl shopping in the new expanded TEEN AREA of the Resource Center

## Teens in Foster Care

In our expansion, we were able to create a Teen Boy and a Teen Girl room for our teenagers to have their own space and a bigger selection of clothes. Since January, we have seen 40 teenagers in the Resource Center. The number of teenagers coming into foster care is growing.

In May, we met with Spartanburg County DSS Leaders and asked what their greatest need was at this time. The county needs more foster homes and overnight placements for teenagers. There are teenagers that have to stay overnight at the DSS office on air mattresses because there is no place for them to go.

God is calling us to do more for HIS children and for the teenagers in our county that often get overlooked. What can you do? Become a foster parent to help house teenagers, even if it's just for one night. There's such a need, are you willing to help?