



Dear Friend

Each week - whether it concerns an 80 year old living in her car that we helped into a motel; or a new family coming to the Food Pantry and being greeted by a kind face and a compassionate heart; or a woman in TWR who is able to have her laundry done, get clean and relax indoors for the day; or someone who is facing eviction and fear of becoming homeless who we can support with rental assistance - all of these moments are only possible because of our amazing supporters, donors, volunteers and community partners, namely YOU. And while we are blessed to have a variety of funding sources, more than half of our annual budget is raised through individual gifts, sponsorships and the generosity of so many wonderful and dedicated supporters. Thank you!

And now, the big announcement! As you can imagine, having our annual Jazz on the Green event in the fall will be *virtually* impossible. So, we are going virtual! We are pleased to unveil this year's event: **Jazz on the Screen**. It will be happening August 25th-29th. Click [here](#) to learn all about it and how you can join us and get 'jazzed up to serve.' You will also see the amazing people and community partners that we are honoring this year.



We are working hard to create a fun, multi-day experience with videos, silent auction, online jazz and some surprises. We will keep you updated throughout the summer. Our first surprise opportunity is to get your very own Friends In Deed yard sign! See below for the link with all the details. It is going to be an FID summer extravaganza.

Finally, I want to take a moment to thank our hard-working and dedicated staff for keeping FID running and allowing us to continue to provide our services with compassion, connection and dignity. A huge shout out to: Tim, Stacey, Doug, Coty, Marlene, Jane, William, Najwa, Debbie, Helen and Marty. I couldn't be more proud to be a part of this awesome team.

Blessings and have a lovely, safe weekend,

Rabbi Joshua



We can only operate with your help!

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LEARN ABOUT PLANNED GIVING



Click [here](#) to claim your own FID yard sign!



Our thanks to the Women's Auxiliary Church of Scientology of the Valley for holding a food drive for us!




The Society of St Vincent de Paul at Assumption BVM also held a food drive...



...collecting 1,500 lbs of food in three hours!



Volunteers from the society unload the food



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