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## Snapshot of Who We Are

'Hope Restoration Specialists'



Kirk Ray Smith, BHS, MHS

President & CEO

















## **OUR MISSION, VISION and VALUES**

#### **OUR MISSION**

• RCS's Mission is to feed the hungry, help families facing homelessness return to self sufficiency and empower survivors of domestic violence.

#### **OUR VISION**

 RCS will be recognized as the premier agency providing basic needs services with the goal of ending generational cycles of hunger, homelessness and domestic violence.

#### **OUR VALUES**

• Compassion-Support-Fairness-Dignity-Service-Trust















## 'A New Way Forward'

Becoming More Viable, Impactful, Visible, Inspirational and Deliverable

## FY19 – FY21 Strategic Priorities

**Address More Community Needs** 

**Develop Passionate, Mission-Driven Leaders** 

**Advocate to Influence Public Policy** 

**Collaborate with Others** 

Promote and Protect the RCS Brand

**Promote Sustainability and Philanthropy** 















## **Organizational Facts**

- Established by 15 local congregations in 1967
- 80 full and part time staff
- 2,500 volunteers
- 5 Unique Program Branches
- Operating Budget- \$10 million
- We receive roughly \$9.5 million in annual support.
   Greater than 70% comes from government grants and contracts
- Serving over 130,000 people annually
- Serves all of Pinellas County
- \$0.85 \$0.92 of Every \$1 Goes to Direct Support of our Mission
- Named both Large Charity and Large Business of the year in 2018















**Hunger:** Everyone Eats...

- RCS Food Bank

**Homelessness:** Everyone is Secure...

- RCS Grace House
- RCS Affordable Housing

**Domestic Violence:** Everyone is Safe...

-The Haven of RCS

**Basic Needs:** No One Goes Without...

- RCSThrift Store Partnership
- Duke Energy Assistance Program

















#### **RCS Food Bank & Network Distribution**

#### Pounds of food we provide annually

• **Onsite:** 1.5 mil lbs. of food

• **Sub-sites:** 2.2 mil lbs. of food

• **Total:** 3.7 mil lbs. of food

#### Pounds of food needed to feed a family of four

• One week: 131 lbs. of food

• One month: 560 lbs. of food

• One year: 6804 lbs. of food

#### Average number of individuals we serve on a daily basis

• Over 1000 children, adults and seniors throughout Pinellas County through sub-sites







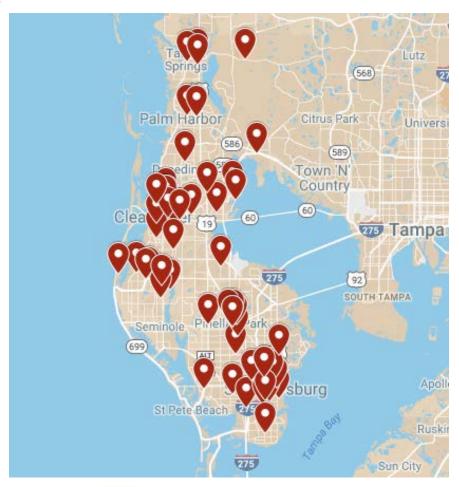








### RCS Supported Food Banks, Pantries, Kitchens



















#### **RCS Grace House**

- 550 individuals each year through residential services
- 40 individuals through our follow-up case management program
- 61% of participants are children
- Average length of stay is 10-12 weeks
- 28% of individuals come from southern Pinellas County
- Average cost per person per night is \$20 for shelter services
- 9 out of 10 families who complete the program move on to permanent, sustainable housing

#### **RCS Affordable Housing**

- Provide long-term/permanent housing for 11 families and 30 individuals annually
- 63% are children
- Average daily cost to operate is \$50 per day















#### The Haven of RCS

- The Outreach Center serves over 17,000 individuals each year 47% are children
- The Safe House Shelter serves over 250 women and children each year 33% are children
- Average length of stay at shelter is over 60 days
- 30% of shelter participants come from south county
- Average daily cost to operate our safe house shelter is \$55 per person

#### **RCSThrift Store Partnership**

- Provide clothing, household items and furniture RCS participants and the central and north Pinellas community
- Provide direct and indirect retail services through strategic service alliances
- Serve 1000 participants annually including 200 homeless individuals annually

#### **Energy Assistance Program**

- Provide energy bill assistance to over 85 families annually throughout central and north Pinellas
- Provide over \$10,000 in energy assistance through Duke Energy and the United Way
- We turn away nearly 500 individuals each year due to limited financial resources











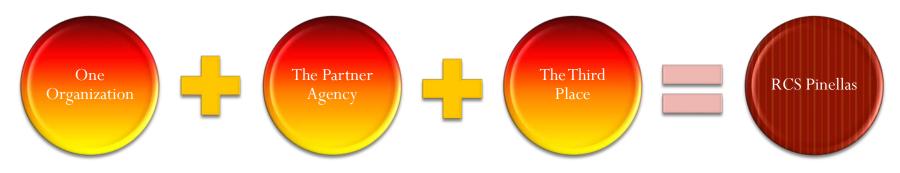






## **Culture of Adding Capacity**

Providing Help & Hope through Innovation and Collaboration





















## Appeal '365'

- Advocacy- understanding and willingness to take the *Time* to communicate RCS
- **Volunteerism-** willingness to share individual and group *Talent* with RCS
- Financial Support- ability and commitment to provide financial <u>Treasure</u> in support of RCS











### RCS RECEIVED THE DISTINCT HONOR OF





**2018** 

LARGE
CHARITY
BUSINESS OF THE YEAR
AWARD WINNER



TAMPA BAY BUSINESS JOURNAL





### RCS RECEIVED THE DISTINCT HONOR OF



for the 3<sup>rd</sup> year in a row!

Only 17% of the charities evaluated have received at least 3 consecutive 4-star evaluations!





## **Housing Expansion Initiative 2020-21**



















## **Housing Expansion Initiative 2020-21**





### Proposed New Affordable Housing Locations

















## **Housing Expansion Initiative 2020-21**





#### **RCS** Grace House

















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