

# New Season

## a note from our CEO

Who would have thought that 16 years ago, an encounter with a woman who collapsed on my lawn would have brought us here today? Julia introduced me to the needs of homeless women and children in Brevard County and that changed the trajectory of both of our lives.

I never could have imagined what God would do in the years that followed that encounter. The women and children that have come through the doors of our ministry have all been taught the Gospel, been loved, supported and cared for in a way that is unique and transformational. Your support to allow me to lead this organization in this way has been one of the greatest privileges and honors of my life.

The time has come for me **to pass on the daily management of the ministry** so I can direct my daily focus to my family.

Effective June 30th I will be officially retiring.



Stacia and Julia



Amy opening the Transformed Shop



To secure the sustainability of the mission, we have raised up a strong and committed and talented staff, a healthy board, a financial security, hundreds of passionate volunteers and a loyal donor base. Together, we have achieved these goals to the glory of God!

I am thrilled to tell you that our current Program Director, Amy Lyon, has been chosen to be the new CEO!

Over the years, Amy has held many roles at the mission including Case Manager, Facilities Coordinator, Transformed Shop Director, and most recently Program Director.

I have been so blessed by you over all these years and can't wait to see the growth and support that continues in the years to come!

With unending gratitude,

*Stacia*

# Volunteer Spotlight

New Life families feel embraced and encouraged by the support they receive from our volunteers.

This May was a special month of pampering and our moms could feel the love! It was a special Mother's Day thanks to **Church at Viera** and the Flight Day team who spoiled our moms and loved on them lavishly!



## Current capacity: 21 families



Cottages at the LTC

## Future Capacity:

Phase I: 15/20 families  
Phase II: 100 families

New Life Mission's Kids Academy



The Transformed Shop has been busy working on new products. Over 800 RISE UP Limited-Edition bracelets were made for Community Care and Share 2022. White denim was painted by the children at Kids Club to add some fun color.

Some kids joined their moms in making beads.

Our volunteers have been a huge blessing as so many of our moms are in school full time or working and their hours in the shop have been limited.

The Shop is preparing to move to the Village where one of the warehouses will hold our production center. New products coming soon!

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# He Makes All Things New!

## Graduation 2022

On May 13th, New Life Mission proudly graduated two incredible women from our program. Both graduates achieved remarkable, long term, sustainable goals.

One graduate has become a business owner of her own nail salon and the other is the proud member of a local fire station as a firefighter/EMT.

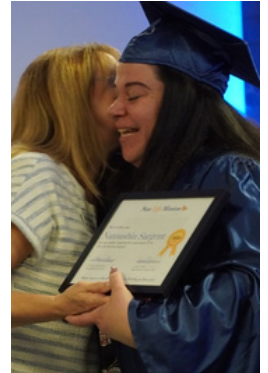
Coming into our program at the beginning of the pandemic, both moms found ways to navigate the world while overcoming their own traumas and challenges. We are immeasurably proud of these women and ask you to join us in praying for their families as they step into the future God has set before them.

These graduates would like to personally thank all of our supporters for helping them and they look forward to serving you in the community!

As we grow, these graduates are paving the path for future women to go into amazing careers.

Current residents are in school now to become nurses, paralegals and insurance agents. Higher education is needed beyond GEDs for many incoming residents.

As we grow and the need in Brevard County grows, New Life Mission is ready to take action in breaking the cycle of homelessness.



## New Life Village Update



We continue to make great improvements to the Village Property!

Our main administration building is being renovated to become a multi-purpose space and Kids Academy. Our housing renovations are near completion and we are hiring staff. We plan to welcome families in August 2022.

If you wish to tour the property or donate toward the Capital Campaign, contact [AnnMarie.B@NewLife-Mission.org](mailto:AnnMarie.B@NewLife-Mission.org).



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**Come work with us!**



# Rise Up!

## Community Care and Share 2022

April 21 and 22 we packed the ballroom at the Hilton Rialto in Melbourne for our annual fundraiser.

Graduate Shannon surprised the audience and announced her new job as our Intake Specialist. Shannon is the first student of our program to become an employee. In her new role, she will be the first person that women experiencing homelessness reach when they call our mission.



You raised \$720,000 for this event and we gained over 300 new donors. We are so thrilled to be supported so strongly as we move forward to open the Village!



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