



Dear Friend,

Over the past ten weeks, The Community Foundation of South Lake County has released more than \$150,000 in grant funding to fifteen local nonprofit organizations caring for those most affected by the pandemic. Our focus has been on food insecurity, rental and utility assistance, and the elderly. **How is this investment making a difference?**

- In the area of food insecurity, we have been able to provide funding for **over 100,000 meals to our community.**
- **Rental assistance was provided to 29 families, and 7 families were provided with utility assistance.** These grants help people be able to stay in their homes.
- Our grant to the elderly is helping **63 South Lake seniors with basic needs for the next 6 months.**

The staff and I, along with our engaged and supportive Board of Directors, have been thankful to our community, other foundations and our donors who have continued to support these efforts. The needs are still great.

If you would like to have a conversation on how you can help, I would be happy to speak with you! Simply call me directly at (407) 453-3031, or email me at [kathy@cfslc.org](mailto:kathy@cfslc.org).

Sincerely,



Kathy Smith  
Executive Director

## CFSLC & LIVE WELL FOUNDATION

The Community Foundation of South Lake County has received another grant from the Live Well Foundation for \$30,000! Over the next three months, the CFSLC will distribute this funding in the form of grants to nonprofit organizations working to alleviate food insecurity locally.



The organizations who will benefit from this grant are: Faith Neighborhood Center, Family Christian Center, Real Life, South Lake Community Ministries and Word Keepers. Partnership with the Live Well Foundation is greatly appreciated and their generous investment will continue to assist us in our efforts to fund food pantries throughout our South Lake community, supporting families who have been affected economically because of COVID-19.

Thank you, Live Well Foundation of South Lake!

## GRANT IMPACT: A NEW BEGINNING



*Congratulations to Garrett on his graduation from New Beginnings of Central Florida's Independent Living Program!*

CFSLC Grant Recipient New Beginnings of Central Florida's mission is to empower our Central Floridian neighbors to overcome the pain of poverty and the alienation of homelessness.

To further empower participants, New Beginnings recently renamed the "Homeless Rehabilitation" program to the "Independent Living" Program! This six- to eight-month program provides a hand up to homeless neighbors in need through enrichment, education, faith, tools and love. ♥

## GOOD NEWS



### CFSLC AWARDS 9 SCHOLARSHIPS

"The DREAM program has impacted me because it has given me the opportunity to pursue my college education! I think the program is great...

Thank you for all your help!"

- Chelsea, DREAM Scholarship Recipient



### CFSLC RECEIVES GUIDESTAR PLATINUM SEAL

CFSLC is now Guidestar Platinum! This is the highest level of recognition offered by GuideStar, the world's largest source of information on nonprofit organizations, and demonstrates accountability and excellence.



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