

Brief Updates from Family Life Services of Washtenaw County

Volunteer Blessings

“My friend’s dad at church said I should volunteer for you,” the 12-year old Purple Team member shared. As she cleaned, her father offered to help translate FLS documents for our clients into Arabic this coming school year.

The next week another Purple Team tween and her father came to volunteer. As she prepared packets of diapers, the full story came out. This dad is a former FLS client. His daughter’s school was encouraging community service. He knew firsthand the difference our ministry makes the community. He encouraged his daughter, and all her friends on the Purple Team, to volunteer at Family Life Services.

He also brought gently used clothes that his children had outgrown to share with our current clients.

What a blessing to see a family we helped in the past now eager to help others.



Volunteers ~ Tenderfoot Boy Scout Timothy and Sr. Gail ~ clean mats in preparation for Play & Learn class. Timothy is earning his Citizenship in the Community Merit Badge.

Client Testimonials

A client we served nearly 30 years ago was overcome when she visited our new center and walked into our FREE maternity clothes closet. She told how we had provided her with lovely things to wear during a very challenging time in her life 3 decades ago!

She’d like to share her Family Life Services/Pregnancy Counseling Center story with all of you for our 35 Anniversary celebration in 2020.

Can you help with that? We are looking for interviewers, writers, editors and videographers to help record client, volunteer & staff testimonials.



Siblings, out of school for the summer, join Play & Learn class. With their parents they enjoy helping babies learn in a safe atmosphere that models teaching your children while you play with them.

FLS FUN FACT: We are sometimes surprised by the coins we find in our fundraising baby bottles. We now have a collection of coins from over 70 different countries! We are not sure what we’ll do with the collection but it is fun to think of the many world travelers supporting FLS.



Volunteer Opportunities

Have a little time this summer or some special talents?

- Website design, development & maintenance, IT techs
- Social media marketing
- Graphic design, newsletter production
- Install phone & electrical outlets
- Remove, replace & repair rotting soffits and gutters
- Tree trimming, weeding, mowing, edging, mulching
- Church Team Leaders for the FLS Walk for Life
- Numismatist to help with foreign coin collection
- Administrative assistant (10 hours a week)
- Cleaning team (3 person hours a week)



Mark Your Calendars

Upcoming Events @ FLS, 840 Maus Ave, Ypsilanti, MI 48198

Sat, June 29, from 9am-noon

New Volunteer Recruitment & Training

Interested in ongoing volunteering at FLS? RSVP to volunteer@flscenter.com
Breakfast provided.

Mon, July 8, at 11:00 am-noon

FLS Prayer Team Gathering for prayer

Join other Christians to pray for the needs of our ministry where we serve.

Mon, July 8, at 7:00 pm-8:00

Walk For Life Planning Meeting

We meet the 2nd Monday of each month & are seeking Team Leaders from each FLS Partner Church.

Mon-Wed, July 22, 23, 24, from 10:00 am-3:30 pm

Service Project Days with SERVE

Middle school Christians from Ohio & Canada will support our ministry. Welcome our helpers from across the borders, north and south.

Sat, Sept 7, 2019 at 9:00 am Walk for Life at Lillie Park on Platt Road, just south of Ellsworth in Pittsfield Township

Gather family and friends, build your team from work, school or church, our Walk for