



Supporting MCH

METHODIST CHILDREN'S HOME

Faithful Friends

- Since its founding in 1890, Methodist Children's Home has relied upon the prayers and gifts of faithful friends to help provide superior services for our children and youth.
- Individuals and churches provide important financial support that helps the Home meet the daily needs of children and youth. Families are asked to contribute to their child's care, based on their financial situation.
- While generous benefactors have helped the Home build a strong endowment through their financial support, MCH must raise \$3 million in undesignated gifts to meet its annual budget.

Special Giving Opportunities

- Planned gifts help ensure the future of the Home. There are a variety of options that will meet the needs of the children. Donors may also choose to leave a legacy at MCH through their estates.
- The Sunshine Club is a special giving program designed for individuals who support MCH through monthly donations. It consists of the Home's most faithful supporters from a variety of giving levels.
- In-kind gifts are received on a case-by-case basis. Because the Home's annual budget provides for the daily needs of the children, it is often more cost-efficient for MCH to provide daily care items for the children. While the Home appreciates the generous spirit of its friends, MCH does not accept used clothing or items in need of repair.

Speaking Events and Campus Tours

- MCH offers a variety of speakers for presentations to churches, Sunday school classes, service organizations and civic groups.
- MCH administrators and development officers are available to share their personal experiences with the children, and facts about the Home's programs and services.
- Former residents who are now a part of the Home's college program are available to share their testimonies.
- MCH encourages groups and individuals to tour the Waco campus or Boys Ranch. Tours can be completed within two hours and are often led by residents.

For More Information

- To receive more information about the Home or to arrange a guest speaker or tour, call the Development Office at 800-853-1272 or 254-753-0181, or send your request by e-mail to: development@mchwaco.org.

WAYS YOU CAN HELP

Pray for our children and staff.

Provide a financial gift to support the children.

Plan a trip to tour the Waco campus and Boys Ranch.

Set up a speaking event for your church, Sunday school class or special program.

Ask your church staff if they support the Home. MCH does not receive apportionments.

Tell others about the special work God is doing through this ministry.

Consider remembering the children in your estate plans.

