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# **KEYSTONE GIVING PROGRAM**

At Tradition Capital Bank, we see ourselves as more than a private bank. We are stewards of our community, here to serve and connect people in business and life. From our beginning, we've been building a legacy of generosity by investing our resources into meaningful partnerships with Nonprofit organizations.

Our *Keystone Giving Program* is how we focus our efforts to give back. Through Keystone, we engage employees, clients, and business partners in contributing their time, talents, connections, and financial resources to improve the communities in which we live and work.

We aren't out to prove anything. We don't want a pat on the back. We just want to consistently ask ourselves what we can offer to help people and places flourish and inspire others to do the same.

Thanks for being a part of the story,

**CORY GREGORY** 

DIRECTOR OF GENEROSITY

# **KEYSTONE PARTNERS: 2024**

Our Keystone partners are a small group of nonprofit organizations chosen each year in whom we make a more significant investment of our time, talents, and network to amplify the impact of our financial gifts.



**CAPI** serves immigrants and refugees throughout the Twin Cities guiding clients in their journey toward self-determination and social equality through meeting basic needs, providing economic empowerment, and encouraging civic engagement.

**IMPACT** - Tradition Capital Bank pledged a multi-year commitment towards CAPI's historic 16,000+ sq. ft. expansion of their Immigrant Opportunity Center, with several employees bringing awareness to the project through board and committee service. Food donations from the Bank's "MATTERbox Madness" and "Ending Hunger Games" efforts filled their food pantry in the spring and fall, respectively. The TCB network showed up in service at the Twin Cities World Refugee Day and the annual "Give & Grow" cultural showcase.





www.fmsc.org

**FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN** seeks to provide hope through feeding hungry kids all around the world in both body and spirit.

**IMPACT** - Tradition Capital Bank support targeted a specific Project-Based Food Assistance (PBFA) program in Guatemala City through a ministry called, "Believe Guatemala." This initiative regularly served over 80 children and provided critical nutrition stability that aided further education and employment efforts. Additionally, employees supported FMSC through several meal-packing events, sponsorship of their annual gala, volunteering at Twin Cities food truck festival events, and purposeful shopping through the FMSC global marketplace.



www.stdavidscenter.org

## ST. DAVID'S CENTER FOR CHILD & FAMILY DEVELOPMENT is a

regional leader in child and family development, offering educational support services for over 6,500 kids ages 16 months to kindergarten.

**IMPACT** - Tradition Capital Bank partnered with St. David's through a "Light the Way" sponsorship of their annual gala, where they announced a major initiative to expand their Downtown Minneapolis campus and nearly double their capacity. Employees rolled up their sleeves in service at the annual "Get Out & Grow" fall festivals.





www.bcga.org

## **BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF GREATER SCOTTSDALE** provides safe

places where kids can be themselves and participate in fun programs that build their skills for school, the workforce, and life.

**IMPACT** - As a presenting sponsor, Tradition Capital Bank helped deliver the inaugural Taste Fore The Tour in Scottsdale during the Waste Management Phoenix Open in February. This foodie fundraiser brought together top culinary talent and celebrities to address the needs of the hungry. In its first year, the event raised over \$169,000 for the Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Scottsdale to start a new summer food program.





## ZIMBABWE INITIATIVE

**MATTER** is a Minneapolis-based nonprofit that brings together the best companies, experts, problem solvers, and doers to launch projects that improve communities both locally and around the world.



Since Tradition Capital Bank's beginning in 2005, we have been connected to MATTER (originally Hope for the City). This has led to annual engagement in competitive MATTERbox packing events and various meaningful sponsorship opportunities. In recent years, MATTER has developed a significant, focused presence in the African country of Zimbabwe, launching key projects in agriculture, health, and education.

In 2023, following employee visits to Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe, the Bank launched our own project, informally called the MATTER Loan Program. Through a combination of grant and loan dollars, by the end of 2024, we were able to lend over \$240,000 to 21 small loan recipients, which in turn, created 38 new jobs.

- **INSIGHT TRIPS** In September, nine employees travelled to Victoria Falls, and visited loan recipients and other MATTER projects. In October, a group of Bank leadership, board members, and clients visited alongside these loan recipients and participated in MATTER's Business as Mission (BAM) conference.
- **JOB CREATION** Through MATTER's Career Readiness Institute, the Bank was able to welcome native Zimbabwean, Sheryl Nyathi, as a year-long intern with our IT team. Having excelled in her work, Sheryl marked her graduation in October by accepting a full-time role with Tradition Capital Bank, working remotely from Zimbabwe.
- MATTERBOX MADNESS An annual bank-wide tradition for employees, team members packed over 3,000 healthy meals for children in the Twin Cities and Phoenix areas.
- ANNUAL EVENT The Bank supported MATTER as one of the lead sponsors of their annual fundraising
  event. "Stand- Up for a Cause" was headlined by Zimbabwean comedian, Learnmore Jonasi, finalist on
  America's Got Talent.







## OTHER NOTABLE PARTNERSHIPS:

#### + AMPLIFY MISSION NETWORK | www.amplifymission.org



**MISSION** - Amplify Mission Network connects Christian business leaders with emerging nonprofit ministries to amplify kingdom impact.

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#### + THE DREAM INSTITUTE | THEDREAMINSTITUTE.ORG



**MISSION** - The Dream Institute seeks to transform people's lives by giving them a place to heal and build a solid foundation for the future. Their goal is ending human trafficking and rebuilding lives.

**IMPACT** - Tradition Capital Bank supported the Dream Institute through sponsorship of their annual golf fundraiser as well as their annual Celebration of Christmas event.

#### + HOPE ACADEMY



#### WWW.HOPEACADEMYMPLS.ORG

**MISSION** - Hope Academy is a K-12 school that fosters hope in God within the inner-city of Minneapolis by providing a remarkable, God-centered education.

**IMPACT** - Tradition Capital Bank supported Hope Academy as a sponsor of their 25th Anniversary gala.

## + JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT NORTH | WWW.JANORTH.ORG



**MISSION** - Junior Achievement prepares young people with the skill set and mindset to build thriving communities through experiential learning focused on financial literacy, career readiness, and entrepreneurship.

**IMPACT** - Tradition Capital Bank partnered with Junior Achievement to bring quality hands-on educational experiences to elementary, middle school, and high school students throughout the Twin Cities and Phoenix through regular employee volunteerism with their J.A. In a Day, Biztown, and Finance Park programs.

## + MN ADULT & TEEN CHALLENGE | www.mntc.org



**MISSION** - MN Adult & Teen Challenge seeks to assist men, women, and teens in gaining freedom from chemical addictions and other life-controlling problems by addressing their physical, emotional, and spiritual needs.

**IMPACT** - Tradition Capital Bank supported MN Adult & Teen Challenge through sponsorship of both their spring gala and fall women's luncheon. Additionally, employees organized a summer "Grillin' & Games" event for over 80 of their resident clients.

# MORE PARTNERSHIPS, CONTINUED:

#### + SAGUAROS CHILDREN'S CHARITIES | www.saguaros.com



**MISSION** - The Saguaros are a group of young businessmen in Arizona proudly giving back to the community and supporting local children's charities through larger than life fundraising events.

**IMPACT** - Tradition Capital Bank supported the Saguaros through sponsorship of and engagement with multiple marquee events, including the 2024 Olympiad and the annual Niteflite gala.

### + TREEHOUSE | TREEHOUSEHOPE.ORG



**MISSION** - TreeHouse is on a mission to unleash hope in teens everywhere.

**IMPACT** - Tradition Capital Bank supported TreeHouse through sponsorship of: "Women of Hope" luncheon, "Golf for Hope" golf tournament, and their special 40th Anniversary Celebration.

## + TWIN CITIES HABITAT FOR HUMANITY | www.tchabitat.org



**MISSION** - Twin Cities Habitat for Humanity seeks to bring people together to create, preserve, and promote affordable home ownership and advance racial equity in housing.

**IMPACT** - Tradition Capital Bank partnered with Habitat for Humanity to rehabilitate a recently purchased housing project in the southwest metro and sent over 50 employees over the course of a week to volunteer their time to assist with construction.

## + WASHBURN CENTER FOR CHILDREN | WASHBURN.ORG



**MISSION** - Washburn Center for Children seeks to nurture every child and family's well-being and full potential through transformative children's mental health care.

**IMPACT** - Tradition Capital Bank supported Washburn Center for Children through sponsorship of their annual "Dawn of Hope" breakfast as well as employee engagement in a bank-wide presentation about their resources and services.

## + YOUNG LIFE | YOUNGLIFE.ORG



**MISSION** - Young Life is a Christian ministry that reaches out to middle school, high school, and college students to help them grow in their faith.

**IMPACT** - Tradition Capital Bank supported Young Life through pledged support to the Scott County area, sponsorship of the Southwest Twin Cities annual golf event, and the growing Greater Minneapolis Capernaum ministry.

# **BIG T FOUNDATION:**

As a proud part of the vertically integrated consortium of companies known as Tradition Companies, Tradition Capital Bank supports the goal of the Big T Foundation to band together and multiply our efforts to be a force for good in our community.

Through the Big T Foundation, the Bank supported efforts with the following organizations:

- + EVERY THIRD SATURDAY
- + UNITED HEROES LEAGUE
- + GRIEF CLUB
- + WHISPERS OF HOPE
- + THE RANCH/EAGLE'S HEALING NEST
- + HOPEKIDS

# **EMPLOYEE DIRECTED GIVING:**

Through employee-directed grants, paid time off for volunteering, and a "double match" on employees' charitable giving, we encourage our employees to give their time, talent and treasure in ways that are meaningful for them, and that help shape our community. In 2024, Tradition Capital Bank employees volunteered over 4,300 hours and distributed grants to 172 nonprofit organizations.

- + EMPLOYEE VOLUNTEERED 4.300 HOURS
- + ELECTED GRANTS TO OVER 170 NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS

The Keystone Program was something that drew me to Tradition and that I'm proud to talk about with clients and partners. One thing that sets it apart from the charitable giving at other institutions is that it's so highly driven by employee engagement. We work together to engage all TCB team members... and we have so much FUN doing it!

- KRISTI JACOBSON, Employee - Relationship officer. Business Banking



The Free Book Buggie event at a local school

# ORGANIZATIONS WE GAVE TO IN 2024:

1776 Owens Foundation

360 Communities

A Breath of Hope Lung Foundation

Aim Higher Foundation

Alex's Lemonade Stand Foundation for Childhood Cancer

All Saints Catholic School

Alzheimer's Association

American Cancer Society of Minnesota

American Foundation For Suicide Prevention

American Red Cross

Amor Y Vida Twin Cities Amplify Mission Network

Animal Ark

Animal Humane Society

Aris Foundation, Inc.

Arizona Law Enforcement Canine Association, Inc.

Arizona Musicfest

Ascension Catholic Church

Best Buddies Minnesota

Best Prep

Bethany International Bethlehem Baptist Church

Big T Foundation

Blessed Trinity Catholic School

Bloomington Optimist Youth Foundation

Bolder Options

Boys And Girls Club of Greater Scottsdale

Breast Cancer Education Association

Bridging

Brighter Days Family Grief Center

Brooklyn Middle STEAM School

Campus Faith Clubs

CAPÍ

Caring For Cats

Chabad Young Jewish Professionals

Chanhassen Athletic Association

Children's Minnesota

Citizens Against Sex Trafficking (C.A.S.T.)

Classic Gymnastics Booster Club

College Golf Fellowship

Community Emergency Service

Cornerhouse

Cranio Care Bears

Cystic Fibrosis Foundation

Delano Youth Hockey Association Inc

DinoMights

Dream Institute

Dream of Wild Health

Eagan Rotary

Edina Community Foundation

Edina Hockey Association

Edina Rotary Foundation

Edina Sting Baseball Club El Amor De Patricia

Elevate Hope House

Every Meal

Every Third Saturday

Faithful Shepherd Catholic School

Family of Christ Church

Farm of the Child

Feed My Starving Children

Feline Řescue

Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA)

Fentanyl Free Communities Foundation

Firefly Sisterhood

Gather And Grow Waconia United Food Shelf

GEN Children's Charity

Giving Voice

Glacier National Park Conservancy Gopher Campfire Wildlife Sanctuary

Grace Church of Eden Prairie

Grace Hospice

Green Acres Animal Rescue Groveland Elementary PTA

**Guild Services** 

Hand In Hand Christian Montessori

Hands Of Freedom

Hazelden Betty Ford Foundation

Heart Response Ministry

Hearts 4 Henry

Hendrickson Foundation

Hennepin Healthcare Foundation

Henry's Heroes Holes Fore Hope

Holy Family Academy

Hope Academy Hope Chest For Breast Cancer Foundation

Hope Filled Cafe

Hope United CDC Hopekids

Hopkins Education Foundation

Hospitality House Youth Development

Housing First Minnesota Foundation

Hunger Related Events

Huntsman Cancer Foundation

Huntsman Cancer Institute

InSports Foundation

Intercongregational Communities Association (ICA)

International Justice Mission

Jack's Basket

Jackson Elementary School

Jeremiah Program

Jesus In The Čity Fellowship

Joy Collaborative

ISAW

Junior Achievement North

Junior Achievement of Arizona

Kaboom!

Leukemia & Lymphoma Society

Life Rebuilders

Lifeworks Services

Littles Softball Club MN

Live And Learn

Lost Ones Found Love Inc.

Madison Cat Project

Mary Kay Foundation

MATTER

# ORGANIZATIONS WE GAVE TO IN 2024:

Maui Humane Society

Mes Amis French School And Cultural Foundation

Minnesota Adult & Teen Challenge

Minnesota Diversified Industries, Inc.

Minnesota Hillel

Minnesota Knights of Columbus Student Loan Fund

Minnesota Neonatal Foundation

Mission Animal Hospital

Mount Olivet Lutheran Church

Mount Olivet Rolling Acres

My Very Own Bed

National Marrow Donor Program

Northwest Minnesota Foundation

Oakley's Oath

Okademy

One Classroom

One Good Deed

Onward Hope

Open Hands Foundation

Opportunity International

Our Lady of Grace Church

Ovarian Cancer Research Alliance

P.E.A.S.E. Community Foundation

PACT Charter School

Pancreatic Cancer Action Network (PANCAN)

Parachute Foundation

Paws 4 A Cause

PGA Reach Minnesota

Phoenix Children's Hospital

Pinky Swear Foundation

Prairie's Edge Humane Society

ProAct Inc.

Project Healing Waters

Rachel Foundation

Redemption Ranch Family Ministries

Retrieve a Golden of the Midwest (RAGOM)

Robbinsdale Women's Center

Rockford Education Foundation

SACA Food Shelf & Thrift Store

Saguaros Children's Charities

Sahuarita Food Bank

Saint Michael Catholic Church

Salvation Army

Sanctuary Covenant Church

Sanneh Foundation

SEARCH Twin Cites

Second Harvest Heartland

Shakopee Diversity Alliance

Shakopee Dollars For Scholars

Shakopee High School Booster Club

Shakopee Lions Club

Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church

Sky Sanctuary Rescue

South Cities Church

Southwest Christian High School

SouthWest Options for Women

Special Olympics Iowa

Special Olympics Minnesota

St. David's Center for Child and Family Development

St. Edward The Confessor Episcopal Čhurch

St. Joseph School

St. Louis Park HS Band Parent Network, Inc

St. Paul Urban Tennis

St. Paul's Outreach, Inc.

State Forty Eight Foundation

Suicide Awareness Voices of Education

Summit Academy OIC

Superman Sam's Survival Kit

Tanglen Elementary School

The ARC Minnesota

The Bond Between

The Grief Club of Minnesota

The Link

The Open Door Pantry

The Overcomer Foundation

The Reel Hope Project

The Retreat

The Widow Collaborative

Thrive AZ

Thrive Family Recovery Resources

Tonka Area Ğymnastics Association

Tricia's Troops Cancer Connection

Tubman

Twin Cities Habitat For Humanity

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Uncommon Ministry Fund

Union University

United Heroes League

Unity Catholic High School

University of Northwestern St. Paul

VEAP

Verus Community VraniCURE

Wallin Education Partners

Washburn Center for Children

Way To Grow

West Metro Miracle League

Westfield Homeless Cat Project

Westgate Church

Where Hope Lives

Whispers of Hope

White Bear Lake Baseball Association

Wiggle Your Toes

Women's Orchestra of Arizona

World Vision

Wounded Warrior Project

Young Life

Young Life Caperanum

Youth Frontiers

Youth On Their Own