



Dear Friends and Supporters,

This week we took part in celebrating #GivingTuesday. This is a world-wide event that helps organizations like LCFS have a dedicated day to raise funds for their cause. As you may have seen on our social media channels, the event took place virtually on December 1<sup>st</sup>. Thanks to our supporters and donors, we are pleased to report that we not only met our goal for the day, but we exceeded it!

We Raised \$17,775



*Thank You for Your Help!*  
With your help, and the support of our generous LCFS and Foundation Board members who provided a 1-1 match on all donations up to \$7,500 in total, we were able to exceed our goal of \$15,000, raising \$17,775!

For #GivingTuesday this year, LCFS decided to center our focus on youth homelessness in our community to help raise awareness and support for our new Pando Aspen Grove of Community Heights (Pando) Permanent Supportive Housing Program, currently under construction.



Pando will help us serve those in our community ages 18-24 who have experienced homelessness. There will be a variety of supports and services for those in the program, and this funding will help ensure that these young people are able to not only have safe and stable housing, but also access to the educational, employment, health, and social capital supports that can provide life-changing opportunities for them and help them achieve their goals. The majority of the funds raised on #GivingTuesday (\$16,675) will provide resources for Pando Supportive Services programming.



Missed #GivingTuesday? Its not too late to participate! If you would like to support Pando and help LCFS serve youth who have experienced homelessness, use the link below:  
<https://app.etapestry.com/onlineforms/LutheranChildandFamilyService/givingtuesday.html>

