We are pleased to share some national highlights from this past year. Thanks to your support, we:

» Completed a new five-year strategic plan with the goal to impact 4X more mothers and children by 2023.

» Hosted a 20/20 Vision Summit in Minneapolis, convening more than 300 people to share challenges and best practices for transforming families two generations at a time.

» Formed a Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Advisory Council of diverse Jeremiah staff, board members, and graduates to ensure voices from across the organization are valued and reflective of our communities.

» Developed a new organization-wide evaluation framework to track more outcomes for Jeremiah families, guide program design, and pave the way for a robust external impact evaluation.

» Celebrated the grand opening of our new Fargo-Moorhead campus, which houses 20 furnished apartments and a licensed child development center to support families while mother and child attend school.

» Raised 90% of our capital campaign goal to break ground on a new campus in Rochester-Southeast MN and began serving our first families through our signature empowerment training.

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Our Mission

End the cycle of poverty for single mothers and their children two generations at a time.

Five program pillars

» Career-track college education
» Quality early childhood education
» Safe, affordable housing
» Empowerment & life skills training
» Supportive community

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In 2018, we partnered with 105 women and children in Austin, pre-admissions through graduation. Most moms attended Austin Community College (ACC), located within easy walking distance of families’ homes. ACC has been a committed partner since we began serving families in 2013, working closely with Jeremiah staff to ensure moms are supported in their degree programs. Several moms are also attending Texas State University and the University of Texas.

We partnered with United Way of Greater Austin in 2018 with the goal of integrating the 2Gen approach throughout our entire community. The City of Austin/Travis County is the first metropolitan area in the country to develop a 2Gen Strategic Plan that uses social services as a mechanism for promoting economic mobility for both generations of a family.

“My son and I have built a great foundation at Jeremiah Program, and he will know that anything is possible after seeing what I’ve been through.”

– Deja, Jeremiah mom

With your generous support, we:

- Provided safe, affordable housing to 28 families living in residence.
- Celebrated two moms graduating from their postsecondary program.
- Guided 19 women through empowerment training.
- Celebrated 86% of children in our Child Development Center demonstrating age-appropriate development.
- Received 4,861 hours of hands-on support from our committed volunteers.

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