



**Thrive
For Life**

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Gratitude Report

**2023 Annual Report
2024 Calendar**



November 13, 2023
Feast of St. Frances Xavier Cabrini

Greetings Friends of Thrive for Life! Christ's Peace!

His name is Emmanuel, God is with us! (Matthew 1:23).

Z. Presutti, SJ

Father Zachariah F. Presutti, SJ
Founder

This past year, on the feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, we officially moved into our new Ignacio House in Manhattan. With the committed strength of students from Xavier High School, we schlepped the totality of our living space from the Bronx into East Harlem to begin assembling our new living space for resident scholars in the historic “El Barrio” neighborhood of New York City. Interior renovations began without haste as Sr. Katie Sitja y Balbastro, IHM and her talented crew painted, floored, piped, and installed all the necessary fixings to make this new house our home for returning brothers who continue their education at NYU, Columbia, CUNY, and other college partners.

In June of this year, through the vision of His Eminence Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan, Abraham House was merged into the mission of Thrive for Life Prison Project. The gift of this visionary plan was beyond the bricks and mortar of buildings in Mott Haven neighborhood. The Abraham House community has a 30 year tradition of accompanying our brothers and sisters behind and beyond the prison walls thanks to the prophetic witness and tireless commitment of Fr. Peter, Sr. Rita, Sr. Amy, and Sr. Simone, all former chaplains on Rikers Island. The treasured gift of having two houses of studies in the Archdiocese of New York allows for us to offer more comprehensive and holistic services for those reentering from incarceration through our continuity of care focused on access to quality education.

The physical space of Abraham House is much more than a residence for returning scholars. We are proud to share that we are the only food pantry in New York City that is run and operated by justice impacted individuals. Serving over 175 families each Saturday with nutritious food, our team of servants are responding to the needs of the local community with great commitment and motivation.

Educational opportunities are not reserved solely for our residents at Ignacio House and Abraham House. Just this week we have started our on-site educational classes for all justice impacted individuals in the community with a commitment of servicing hundreds of individuals returning from incarceration who are in need of basic vocational and technical training to move forward in life.

God is with us indeed! As we continue to offer our retreats and days of reflection behind the prison walls, we are committed now more than ever to opening more houses across the country while partnering with educational institutions whose vision it is to offer the necessary academic resources for our residents to move forward in life with gainful employment and secure housing for their families and communities.

God is with us and we are grateful! The presence of your time, talent, and treasure make this mission a reality for countless lives behind and beyond the prison walls. This mission is yours and we look forward to your accompaniment and support as we journey into this new year with audacious ambitions as we transform lives together!

In Christ!



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Fruits of Growth

Forging Partnerships

Thrive For Life is built on partnerships both behind and beyond the prison walls. This past year, we forged new relationships with universities, community service providers and parishes to deepen our impact as we expand both here in New York and across the country.

- Community
- ▲ University
- Correctional Facilities
- ☀ House of Studies



John Tobias
Manhattan College *Psychology*

Resident scholars, like John, are transforming their own lives by continuing the good work of education at one of our partner universities. John is leveraging his skills to pursue a career working with justice-impacted individuals navigating their journey to permanent and successful reentry.



Collaboration with Cardinal Dolan

As of June 1, 2023, His Eminence facilitated the merger of Thrive For Life with Abraham House, a reentry nonprofit founded by a group of former Catholic chaplains at Rikers Island.

Last year, Cardinal Dolan generously provided Thrive For Life with a space in East Harlem to expand our house of studies for those continuing the good work of education. Since then, we have renovated the space to make it a home for our community, fully furnished with individual rooms, common dining and study areas, and a brand new chapel.

Who is L.A.R.S.?

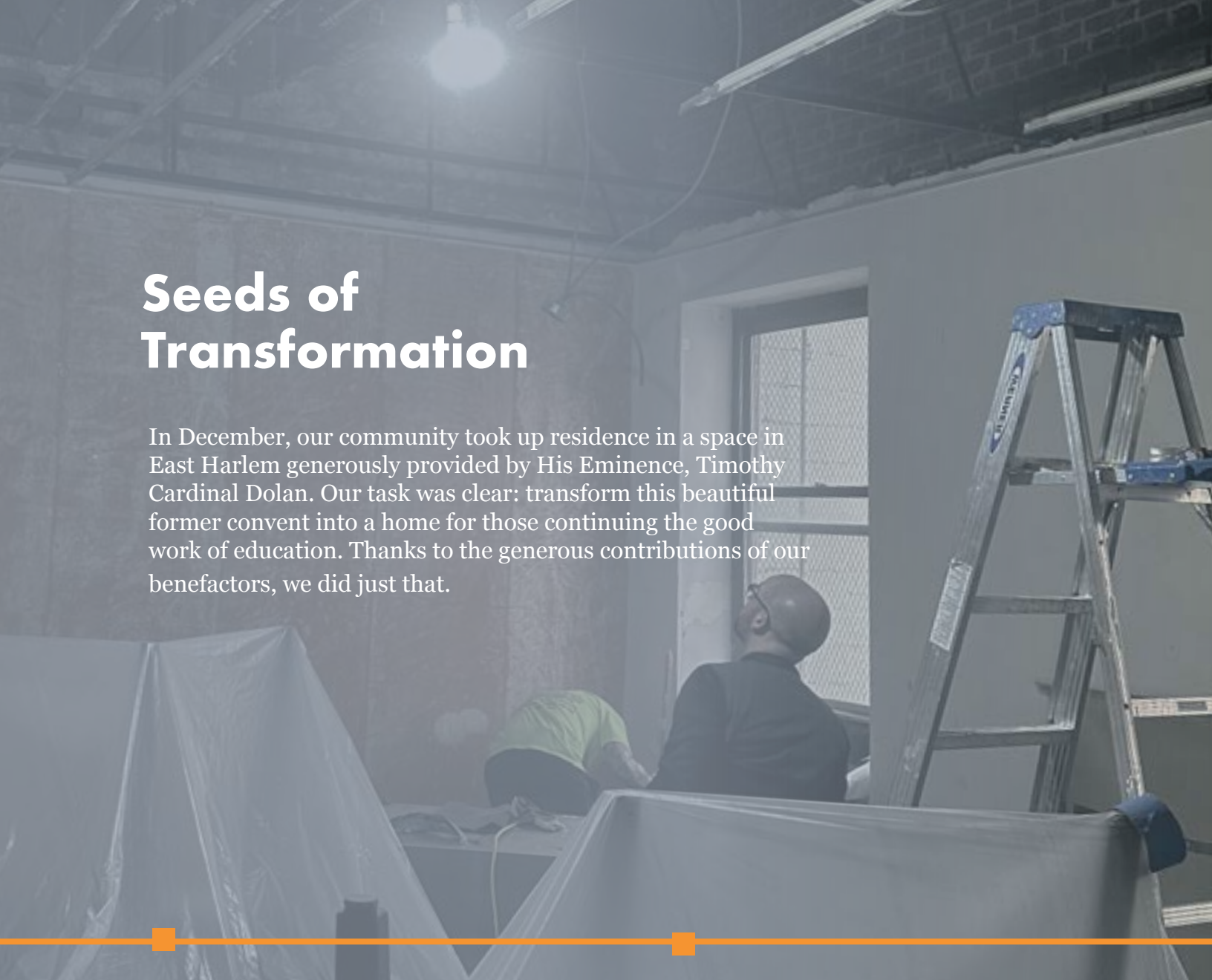
//Hello, I'm Lars, the Location Assisted Resident Scholar Network

//Thrive For Life deployed me to keep track of all the data we gather about our partners and scholars! By standardizing our procedures and gathering impactful information we can continue to transform lives across the nation.

//I generated this map for you, to see our expanding partnerships!

Seeds of Transformation

In December, our community took up residence in a space in East Harlem generously provided by His Eminence, Timothy Cardinal Dolan. Our task was clear: transform this beautiful former convent into a home for those continuing the good work of education. Thanks to the generous contributions of our benefactors, we did just that.



Ignacio House

Thanks to the herculean efforts of Sr. Katie and her team of contractors, residents, and volunteers, the interior renovations of Ignacio House are now complete. In less than 12 months, each corner of this space has been transformed from the biggest wall to the smallest light fixture. As we enter 2024, we now commence the final stage of our renovations to the exterior and envelope of the building.



Winter

Xavier High School volunteers helping us move into East Harlem, ready to make a home.



Spring

Sr. Katie and her team readied the space for extensive renovations both to the interior and exterior of the building.



Summer

Contractors and Resident Scholars, like Chris, worked to paint, plaster and re-imagine the space.



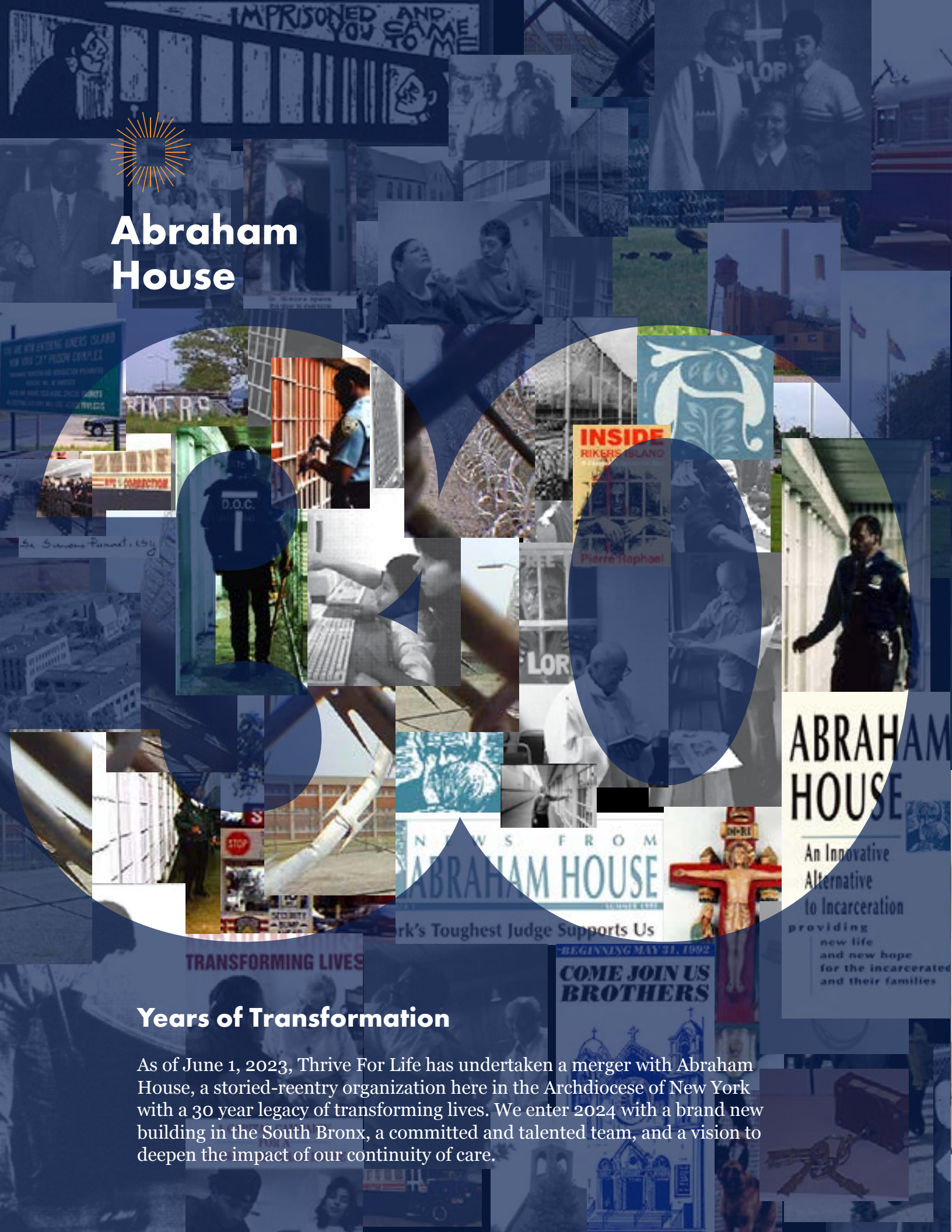
Fall

Partners, volunteers, and even more Scholars gather in this sanctuary for community building, rooted in purpose.





Abraham House



Years of Transformation

As of June 1, 2023, Thrive For Life has undertaken a merger with Abraham House, a storied-reentry organization here in the Archdiocese of New York with a 30 year legacy of transforming lives. We enter 2024 with a brand new building in the South Bronx, a committed and talented team, and a vision to deepen the impact of our continuity of care.

A Living Prophet Sr. Simone Ponnet

Abraham House and its legacy are the fruits of modern day saints, Sr. Simone, Sr. Rita, Sr. Amy, and Fr. Peter, former chaplains at Rikers Island who in 1993 bravely sought to accompany our returning brothers and their families by offering comprehensive housing and accompaniment.

Fr. Zach met earlier this year with Sr. Simone, one of the surviving founders, to chart this new course as Abraham House comes under Thrive For Life's mission.

Service Together

Our new team now will focus this year on extending our reach to even more justice-impacted people, offering vocational education opportunities in OSHA, flagging, technology, and others, while also serving the community through our resident-scholar led food pantry that serves hundreds of families every week.

New Faces, One Team

Abraham House is not just an organization; it is a team of inspiring professionals deeply committed to transforming lives. As we enter the next 30 years, we are grateful to have the help and wisdom of people who have committed themselves to serving our brothers and sisters behind and beyond the prison walls.

First Steps in Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Thanks to the generosity and partnership of the Capuchin Franciscan Friars, Thrive For Life is finalizing our move-in to a former convent in the bustling Halyard Park neighborhood of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. This space will be able to initially serve up to 12 resident scholars as they continue their transformation through quality education.

A new cohort of scholars will continue their education at various institutions committed to providing pathways to degree-bearing programs in the greater Milwaukee region.



Corporate Partnerships

Thrive For Life worked with Morgan Stanley as part of the non-profit Strategy Challenge to discern a sustainable growth plan. After earning second place in the competition, the team organized nearly one hundred volunteers to transform Abraham House.

Accompanying Families

Now with Abraham House, we are extending our reach through our food pantry program—staffed and operated exclusively by justice-impacted individuals—which provides fresh food to hundreds of families each month. Additionally, our new on-site technology, ESL, and parenting education classes serve the greater justice-impacted community and their loved ones.

500+

Residents served at Abraham & Ignacio Houses since 1993

9,100

Families served by resident-led food pantry annually

>95%

program alumni have acquired gainful full-time employment

200+

families served by Thrive For Life retreats

6000+

Individuals served through retreats behind & beyond prison walls

35+

Ignacio House residents have continued higher education since 2019

—Father Zach connects with retreatants at Our Lady of Sorrows in Corona, NY during a day-long retreat with family and loved ones impacted by incarceration.



Continuity of Care

Purpose • Education • Employment • Housing

Step 1
Identification & Referral of potential participants

- Accompaniment of justice involved persons in or out of prison/jail by TFL and/or partners

Step 2
Screening, Interview, Admittance

- Commitment setting & admittance of candidates who want to transform their lives

Step 4
Housing for study & personal development


Ignacio House
New York, NY

- Transitional Residency*
- Community of scholars
 - Education & career mentoring
 - Continued spiritual support
 - Community service participation

Step 3
Empowerment & member care plan development


Abraham House
Bronx, NY

- Initial Residency*
- Therapy & wellness support
 - Food pantry community service
 - Education & trade school prep
 - Spiritual support & guidance

- Gainful employment
- Permanent housing
- Alumni Membership

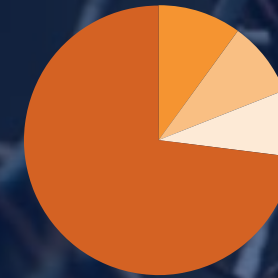
transforming lives behind & beyond prison walls



Thrive For Life

Financial Highlights

(July 1, 2022 - June 30, 2023) :



Total Operating Revenue
\$ 2,299,530.28



Total Operating Expenses
\$ 1,585,884.00

Foundations	\$ 1,682,750.00 (73%)
Corporate Contributions	\$ 225,791.26 (10%)
Individual Contributions	\$ 198,270.18 (9%)
Other	\$ 192,718.84 (8%)

Programs	\$ 1,215,848.00 (77%)
Fundraising	\$ 267,935.00 (17%)
Management	\$ 102,101.00 (6%)

Cost Avoidance
Daily taxpayer cost per person

\$138
City Shelter
Piecemeal programming



\$46
House of Studies
Continuity of Care

Social Impact

Over Six Years  Cost avoidance +  Income generation

One Resident Scholar
\$198,720 + \$246,000

Abraham & Ignacio Houses [45 Scholars]
\$9,066,600 + \$11,317,500

\$20+ Million into US Economy
for Abraham & Ignacio Houses every 6 years

From long standing partner institutions to members of the Ignatian family, corporations, and foundations, Thrive For Life is proud and grateful to benefactors who support currently and formerly incarcerated from **July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2023.**

Generous Donors

\$500,000+

Louis V. Gerstner, Jr. & Gerstner Philanthropies
Mother Cabrini Health Foundation

\$50,000-\$499,999

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\$25,000 to \$49,000

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Resident Professionals

Mychal Pagan

Associate Director of Communications

With his eye for creative storytelling, the hiring of Resident Scholar Mychal Pagan marks an effort by Thrive For Life to reach more audiences with authentic content. As he prepares for graduation from NYU this fall, Mychal will leverage his skills to give our Resident Scholars' stories a platform across a wide range of media.



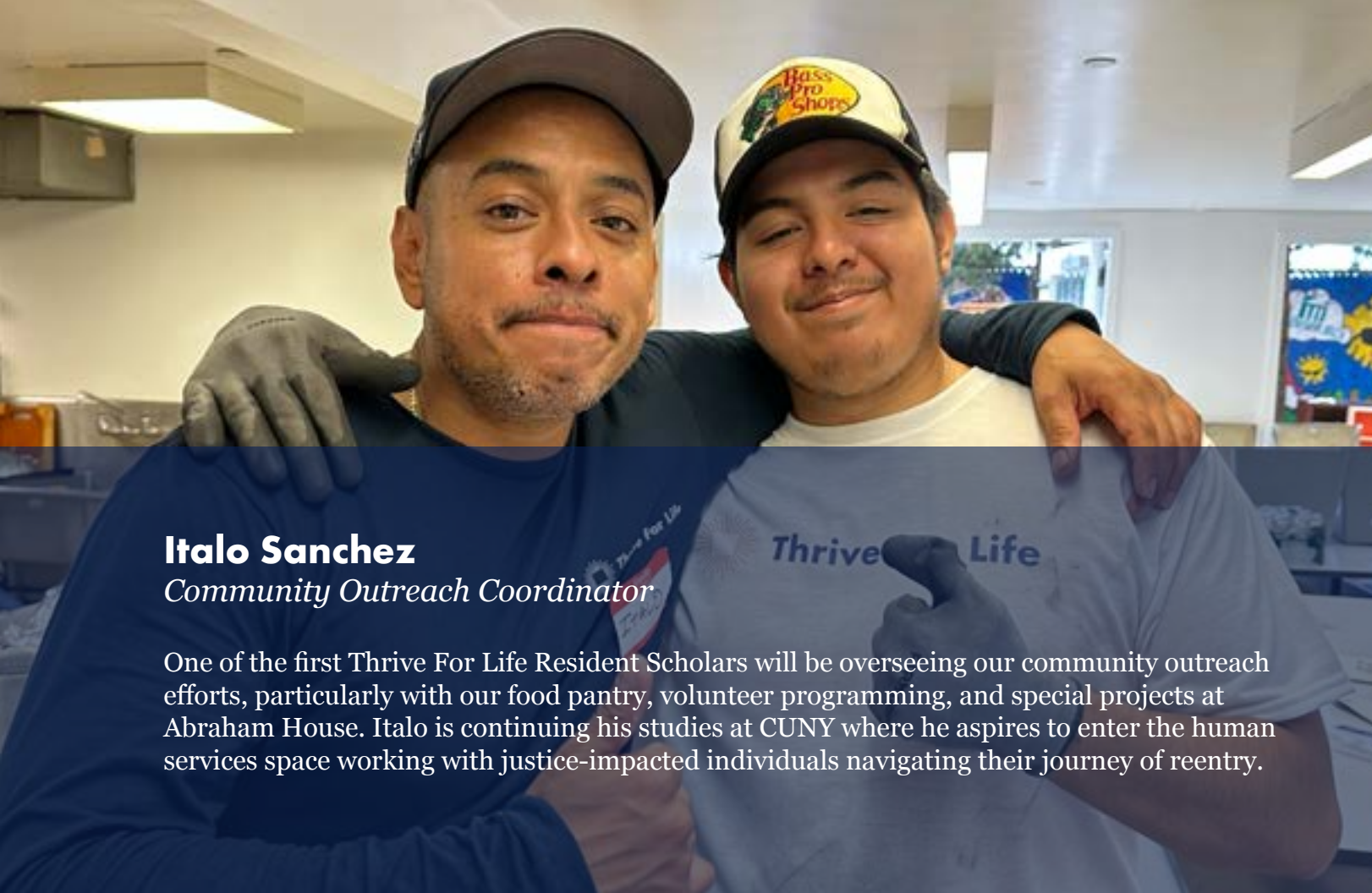
Join The Journey to Lifelong Transformation



Italo Sanchez

Community Outreach Coordinator

One of the first Thrive For Life Resident Scholars will be overseeing our community outreach efforts, particularly with our food pantry, volunteer programming, and special projects at Abraham House. Italo is continuing his studies at CUNY where he aspires to enter the human services space working with justice-impacted individuals navigating their journey of reentry.



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With the help of an advisor, consider including Thrive For Life in your will or trust by specifying a gift be made as part of your estate plan.



Thrive For Life



"I am a survivor who overcame a lot of obstacles. I know how to survive, I'm good at surviving and I can help others survive, but I want to Thrive in life. Thrive means I'm going to learn how to make changes, step outside of my comfort zone, love a little harder, take care of me more and most of all, learn how to say "no" when I want to. In life we need to make up our mind that no matter what comes your way, no matter how difficult, no matter how unfair, you will do more than simply survive. You will Thrive."

Italo S.

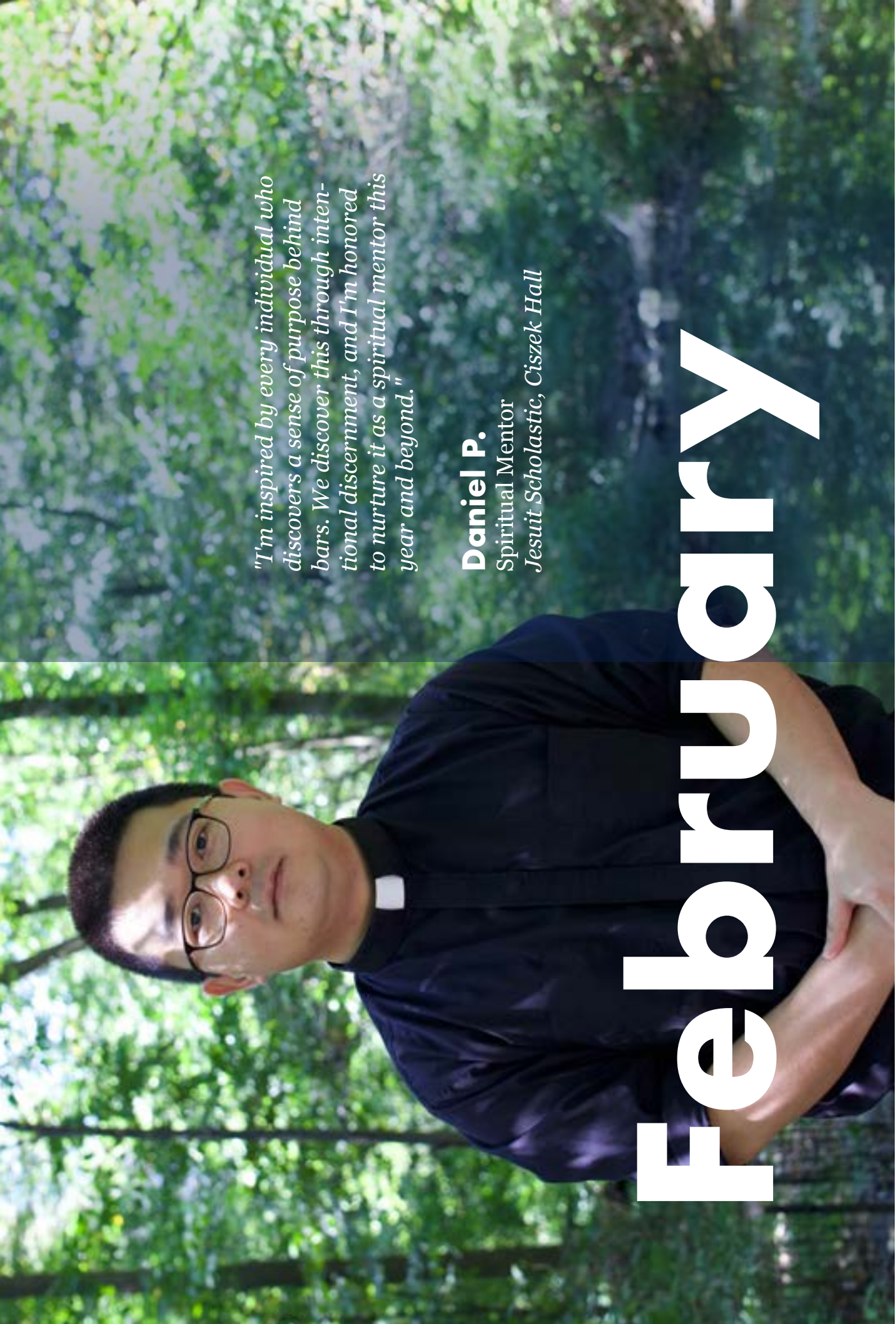
Ignacio House Alumnus
Community Outreach Coordinator
Student, CUNY

January



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
7 Epiphany of the Lord	1 New Year's Day Solemnity of Mary, Holy Mother of God	2	3	4	5	6
8 Baptism of the Lord	9	10	11	12	13	
14 Martin Luther King Jr. Day	15 Martin Luther King Jr. Day	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24 Feast of Saint Francis de Sales	25	26	27
28 Feast Saint Thomas Aquinas	29	30	31			





"I'm inspired by every individual who discovers a sense of purpose behind bars. We discover this through intentional discernment, and I'm honored to nurture it as a spiritual mentor this year and beyond."

Daniel P.
Spiritual Mentor
Jesuit Scholastic, Ciszek Hall

February

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

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11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29		

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Presentation of the Lord

Thrive For Life Founding Anniversary

Ash Wednesday

President's Day





"A chance to thrive and become something more."

Jamie H.
Resident Scholar Ignacio House
Student, NYU

March

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	Feast of Saint Joseph	20	21	22	23
24	Feast of Saint Dismas, Patron Saint of the Incarcerated	26	27	28	29	30
Resurrection of the Lord				Holy Thursday	Good Friday	Holy Saturday
31						



"It's never too late in life to achieve goals, rewards behind hard work."

Don't let a bad decision in the past define you, count your blessings and strive to be better. Actions speak louder than words."

John T.

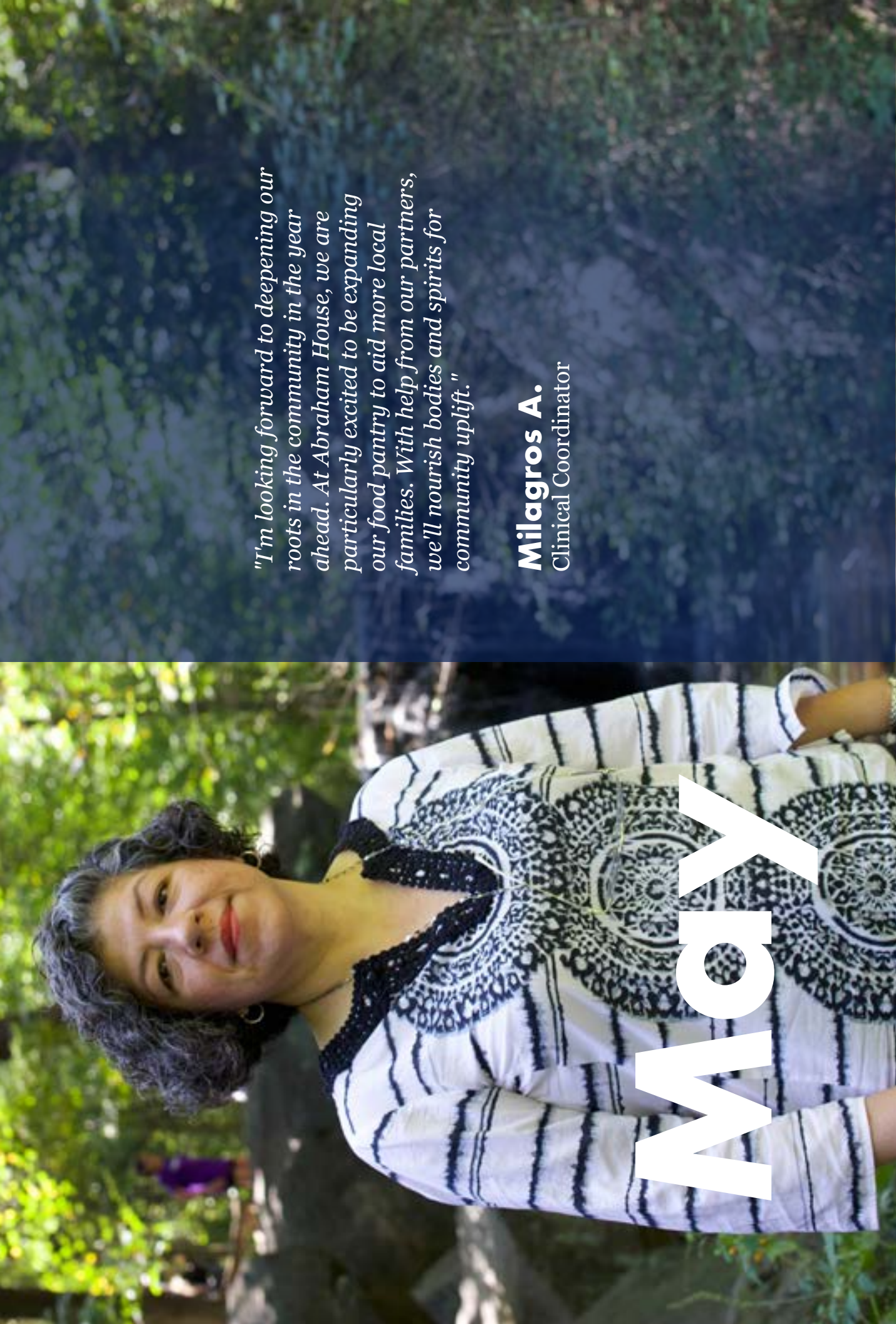
Resident Scholar Abraham House Student, Manhattan College

April

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 Annunciation of the Lord	9	10	11	12
14	15	16	17	18	19
21	22	23	24	25	26
28	29	30			





"I'm looking forward to deepening our roots in the community in the year ahead. At Abraham House, we are particularly excited to be expanding our food pantry to aid more local families. With help from our partners, we'll nourish bodies and spirits for community uplift."

Milagros A.
Clinical Coordinator

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9 Ascension of the Lord	10	11
12	13 Feast of Our Lady of Fatima	14	15	16	17	18
19 Pentecost	20	21	22	23	24	25
26 Feast of the Most Holy Trinity	27 Memorial Day	28	29	30 Feast of Saint Joan of Arc	31	



"What I am so most excited about this coming year for TFL is to see the development and emergence of Ignacio House in East Harlem and Abraham House in the Bronx as one. The bringing together two different communities into one with one purpose and goal in mind. Welcoming not only those who are part of the program or the staff but also volunteers, mentors, donors and the communities at large from East Harlem and the Bronx. To go beyond the stereotypes and create bridges of collaboration and support for the well being of those in the program, their families and friends and society at large."

Sr. Katie S.
Facilities Manager

June



Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Feast of Corpus Christi			Feast of Saint Boniface		Feast of Most Sacred Heart of Jesus	Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
			Fr. Zach's Ordination Anniversary			
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Feast of Saint John Francis Regis, SJ			Juneteenth		Feast of Saint Aloysius Gonzaga	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
						Feast of Saints Peter and Paul
30						
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"Attending Columbia University has given me the opportunity to study philosophy with some of the most respected experts in the field. I feel grateful to be a part of this community every time I step on campus."

Zach W.
 Resident Scholar Ignacio House
 Student, Columbia University

JULY

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

1	2	3	4 Independence Day	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12
14	15	16	17	18	19
21	22 Feast of Saint Mary Magdalene	23	24	25	26 Feast of Saints Joachim and Anne
28	29	30	31 Feast of Saint Ignatius of Loyola		





"Thriving for life starts with feeling safe, and with that comes all the opportunities for growth."

Mychal P.

Resident Scholar Ignacio House
Associate Director of Communications
Student, NYU

August

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

4	5 Our Lady of the Snows	6 Transfiguration of the Lord	7	8	9	10 Prisoners' Justice Day
11	12	13	14	15 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	16	17
18	19	20	21 Feast of Saint Pius X	22	23	24 Feast of Saint Bartholomew
25	26	27	28	29	30	31



"As Abraham House joins the Thrive For Life family, I'm most excited to build an even stronger team united by shared values and vision. When passionate, dedicated people come together, the sky's the limit. By merging our talents and strengths, we'll make an even greater difference in lives of those we serve."

Aileen F.
Operations Manager

September

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

1	2 Labor Day	3	4	5	6	7
8	9 Saint Peter Claver	10	11	12	13	14
15 Our Lady of Sorrow	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29 Feast of the Archangels	30					





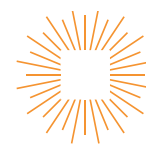
"School is investing in my future, retaining useful information & knowledge, as well as setting examples for my children."

Justin B.
Resident Scholar Abraham House
Student, NYU

October

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11
13	14 Columbus Day	15	16	17	18
20	21	22	23 Birth Date of St. Ignatius of Loyola	24	25
27	28	29	30	31	





"Thrive for Life represents a beacon of hope and transformation for me. As a formerly incarcerated student at Columbia University, this organization has not only given me the keys to unlock educational opportunities but has also provided a stable foundation of housing—a sanctuary where I can study, grow, and prepare for a future that once seemed out of reach."

Jonathan W.

Resident Scholar Ignacio House Student, Columbia University

November

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Saint Leo the Great	Veteran's Day					
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Feast of Christ the King				Thanksgiving		
					All Saints Day	All Souls Day



"When I think of the upcoming year, I am most excited to be expanding our depth of impact by opening our doors to more community members to take part in our on-site education in OSHA, flagging, ESL, technology, many others. We are so grateful to have many partners in this endeavor as we work to transform lives."

Judy J.
Lead Clinical Coordinator

December

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

1 Beginning of Advent	2	3 Feast of Saint Francis Xavier	4	5	6	7
8 Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary	9	10	11	12 Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24 Christmas Eve	25 Christmas Day, Nativity of the Lord	26	27	28
29	30	31 Feast of the Holy Family				

