

# FORWARD

“If God is for us, who can ever be against us?” – Romans 8:31b



## Letter from the President & CEO and Board Chair

**Friends of BCM:**

This report completes the *Upward, Inward, Outward, Forward* series of annual reports over the last four fiscal years. We have shared with you the growth and sophistication of our programs, and I am pleased to report that BCM continues with passion in our mission.

*Upward* focused on how BCM’s programs helped our clients elevate their lives and how we always must cast our gaze upward toward God in gratitude for our blessings.

*Inward* shared BCM’s focus on refining our programs and business model to produce extraordinary results while BCM scaled our programs to reach more people.

*Outward*, issued during the height of the pandemic lockdown, demonstrated that BCM was able to courageously expand our

assistance to our clients under adverse circumstances.

This leads us *Forward* where we are accelerating our digital operating model for the benefit of current and the next generation of clients.

There is no looking back. BCM has nearly tripled our programmatic output over the last four fiscal years, growing from a \$1.7M to a \$5.1M operation. BCM has never done more, gone deeper, or been so focused on our mission. We are proud of the work accomplished in the past year and look forward to continued success under the leadership of our new Board Chair, Greg Weller.

You will read some incredible statistics and stories in this report. Because of you, these amazing results were possible. As BCM moves Forward with many great op-

portunities, we will remember who we are and whose we are, continuing to follow God’s calling to serve others as we wish to be served. Thank You!

**Forward,**

**Keeva Kase**  
President & CEO



President & CEO

**Shirley C. Davis**  
Board Chair, 2020-2021



Board Chair



### TODAY'S MISSION

We keep people from becoming homeless and work to elevate their possibilities for economic empowerment.



### TOMORROW'S VISION

We envision caring communities where everyone has a home and the opportunity to thrive.

## United Way of Greater Atlanta



In September 2020, BCM earned its largest grant award in the amount of \$2M for rental assistance for City of Atlanta residents. Along with twenty other local service providers, more than \$18M in direct assistance was deployed. Due to our collective

success, in April, BCM was selected to enter a second tranche of funding in the amount of \$1.3M for rental assistance, working with six other agencies, successfully deploying an additional \$10M to City of Atlanta residents.

**IN SEPTEMBER 2020, BCM RECEIVED ITS LARGEST GRANT OF \$2M FOR RENTAL ASSISTANCE FOR CITY OF ATLANTA RESIDENTS.**



Eloise Bracey

## An Interview with Eloise Bracey, Chief Programs Officer at BCM

### **How has BCM evolved over the past 18 years you have been here?**

When I started at BCM, there was a team of six employees and we worked in the basement of Covenant Presbyterian Church. My cubicle was next to the food pantry, which consisted of four shelves filled with canned goods and two deep freezers filled with bread. BCM's current conference table was used at Covenant Presbyterian Church to interview clients for financial assistance. That oversized table sat in the middle of our office space, so there was very little privacy when clients sat with volunteers to complete the service intake form. Volunteers completed the intake form, collected the client's ID and social security card, filed the paperwork in a manila folder, and recorded all the client's services

on an index card. There was very little discarding of folders or index cards during those days, so you can imagine the hundreds of folders and thousands of index cards.

Although hired as the Transitional Housing Program Manager, I also assisted with Emergency Assistance, packed groceries, and worked alongside the volunteers. The Transitional Housing Program helped 12 homeless families with housing for two years. BCM signed the lease for the families, paid their rent and utilities, conducted home visits, provided groceries, case management, financial literacy, savings match, and life skill classes. The Executive Director allowed me to mold the transitional housing program into a more efficient and client-centered program. This new direction allowed me to walk alongside the client, forming more of

a partnership. Volunteers were often the guest speakers for the life skills classes and budgeting/money management classes. To create more structure, we developed a more formal curriculum for life skills and money management classes. I researched other money management programs, ordered free money management booklets used with high school students, reviewed the information, and recommended my vision for the curriculum. The Executive Director wrote the money management curriculum, and volunteers were recruited for ideas and editing the material. The Executive Director and program staff created another program when the money management curriculum was ready for implementation with the transitional housing program participants. The premise behind the program, which I named the 70/30 program, was to have a continuum of services. Later on, this program would be called Budget for Life™

Since 2003, BCM has doubled the number of clients served annually, and tripled our staff. The financial assistance has doubled, and, in some cases, has tripled. The agency shredded the manila folders and index cards and evolved into a paperless record system. An online appointment portal for emergency assistance was created and implemented on BCM's website to streamline that process. Also, the agency shifted to staff working remotely, with appointments, case management meetings, classes, and staff meetings conducted virtually. The pantry had evolved into a sophisticated and well-stocked operation before finally closing due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

I have also seen a huge increase in requests for rent, mortgage, and utility assistance due to job loss or other crises. BCM continues to evolve as a collaborative agency with other community agencies. For instance, when our food pantry closed we donated our food, hygiene items and coolers and directed food donations and clients to Intown Collaborative Ministries. BCM's programs (Emergency Assistance, Foundation 3, and Budget for Life) have

evolved into more efficient and client-centered programs.

### **How many roles have you been in at BCM?**

I have been in five different roles within BCM.

### **Why do you love your role specifically?**

I love my role because I am passionate about people. My position at BCM allows me to solve problems by developing and implementing programs to help people build skills and gain education opportunities to improve their family's lives. I enjoy working with a team that is passionate about the well-being of others and want to see people reach their full potential. The benefit of working in five different roles during my years at BCM has helped me see how all the roles at BCM are essential for successfully carrying out our mission.

### **Why are you passionate about our Mission?**

BCM's mission is easy to support and be passionate about because we are focused on keeping people from becoming homeless and elevating their possibilities for economic empowerment. I believe a person can focus on other areas of life and be successful when they have access to their basic needs, such as housing. Developing programs focused on preventing someone from experiencing homelessness is a tremendous responsibility, but that is what I love about our mission and my role as the Chief Program Officer.

### **Where do you see BCM and our programs in 5 years?**

In 5 years, I see BCM with an increase in program capacity, increased donors, increased funding opportunities, larger and different fundraising events, and open dialogue regarding racial equity and inclusion.





# Sade's Journey through Budget for Life™

Originally from Rochester, New York, Sade moved to Florida at the age of 17 and lived there for 11 years. At 18, she was hired as a medical receptionist for a small family practice. She worked there for seven years and found herself in medical coding and billing. She was fascinated by the numbers and the alphanumeric characters; the world of coding made so much sense to her!

She relocated to Georgia with her partner and found a job at Emory. But soon after relocating, her relationship fell apart. She lost her job at Emory two weeks after telling them that she was pregnant with her second child. Desperate to get a job to support herself and her children, she stumbled across the Budget for Life™ program on BCM's website. The program sparked her interest because she always wanted to be financially savvy and achieve financial freedom but didn't know how. She was ac-

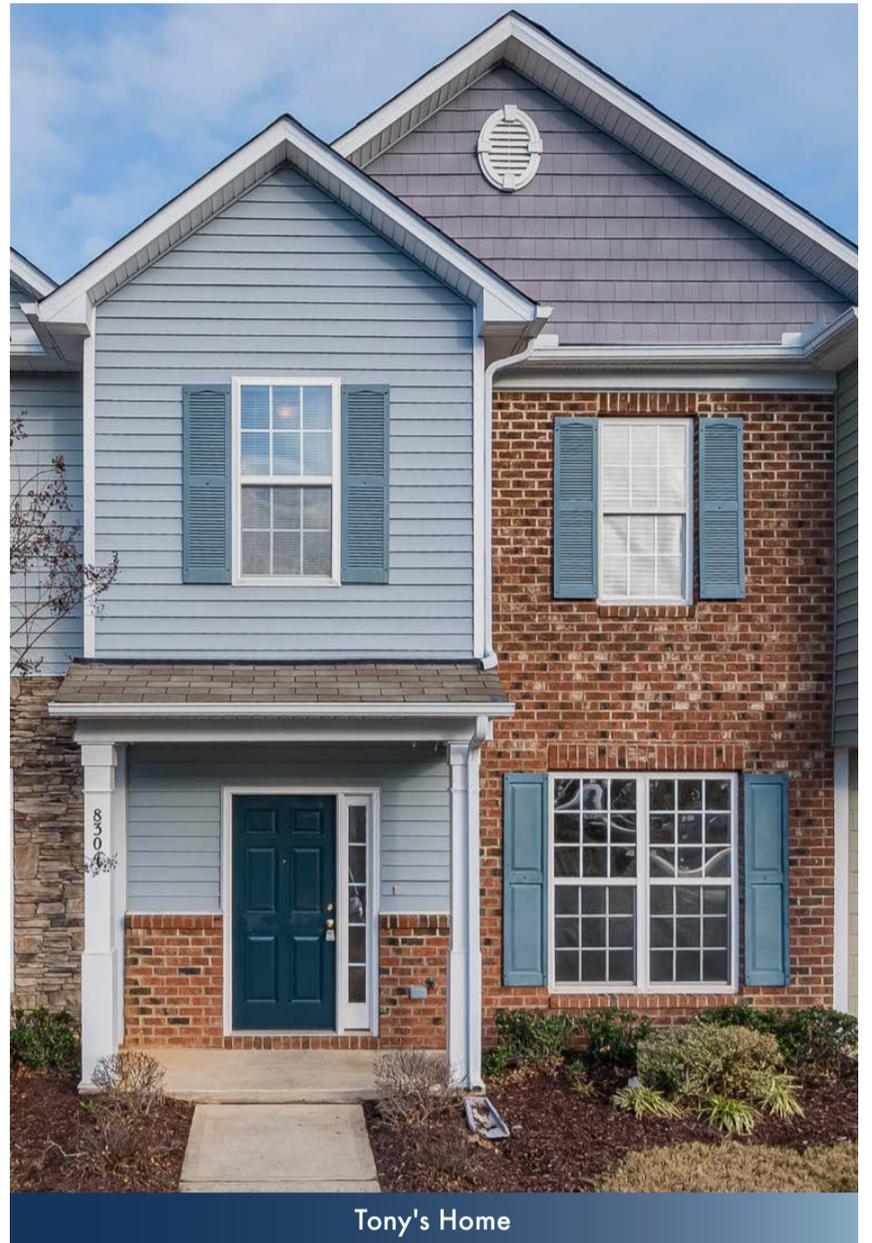
cepted into the program in 2020, and successfully graduated from the program in June of 2021.

The biggest takeaway from being in the program for Sade was learning how to budget her money correctly. She says, "I wish I found out about this program years ago; it could have eliminated my financial troubles sooner! Not only did I learn how to properly save, budget, and pay off debt the right way, but I now have the fundamentals from the program to teach to my two children." We are so proud of Sade and what she has learned, and we are encouraged by her successes to support her family.



Sade

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Tony's Home

## Emergency Assistance

"I am so very appreciative of Buckhead Christian Ministry. I have owned and lived in my home for 16 years. When COVID-19 hit, my world was turned upside down. With me being a high-risk person, my doctor advised me to discontinue my work as an independent contractor. My work requires close proximity and physical contact. I quickly fell behind on my mortgage. Thanks to BCM's financial support, I have been able to keep my home and maintain my regular mortgage payments. The process was quick and easy and I am very grateful!"

To the staff and supporters, your tireless work is appreciated."

- Tony

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# A Foundation 3 Story

Jodie, a mother of 3 girls, lived in a homeless shelter called My Sister's House. Throughout her one-year stay, she participated in the shelter's programs, including life skills, vocational training, and much more. She even started working as a cook within the shelter! She wanted to find a higher-paying job to support her children, and her most significant barrier was not having her GED.

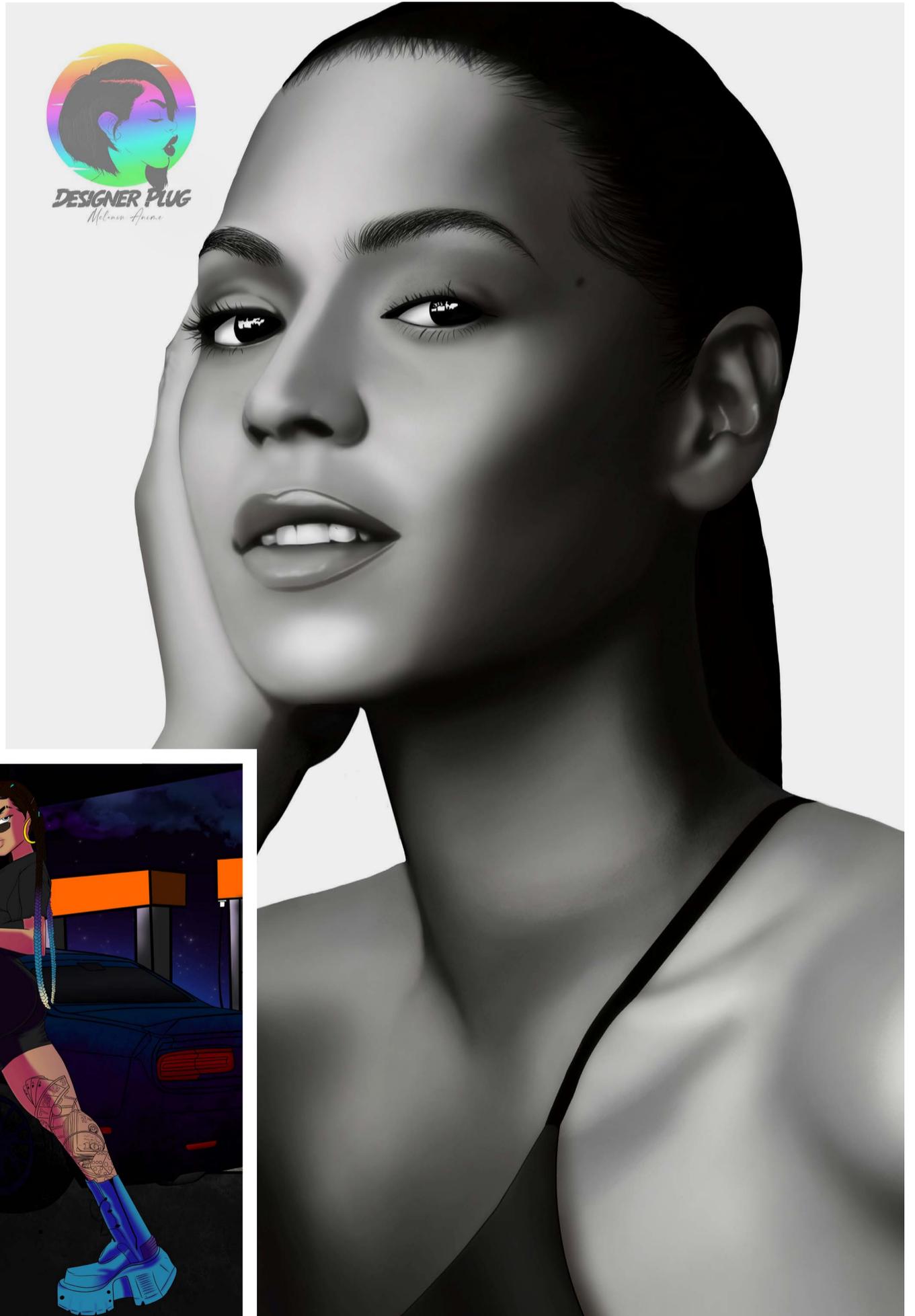
Jodie was referred to BCM's Foundation 3 program by the shelter's counselors. She was accepted into the program in August 2020, during the height of the pandemic. Upon hearing her needs, her Foundation 3 case manager successfully placed her in a 2-bedroom apartment and referred her to a free, online GED program through the Atlanta Public Schools that included a 10-week career readiness program. Jodie passed her GED tests and successfully completed her career readiness program. She is looking forward to starting her career and increasing her household income. Her long-term goal is to enroll in an online art program to receive a bachelor's degree in Graphic Design with a

concentration in 3D Modeling and Animation. She is a very talented artist.

In addition to working towards her career goals, she has also managed to pay off all her debt,

including two evictions and medical payments, and raised her credit score by 70 points. She graduated from the Foundation 3 program in August 2021 and says, "My involvement in the Founda-

tion 3 program and the support I received has motivated me to accomplish my goals and helped me become more hopeful and optimistic!"



Illustrations by Jodie



Budget for Life™ Graduation on Zoom

## Budget for Life™ Graduation

Our Budget for Life™ graduation celebrated the culmination of 6 months of hard work to elevate our participants opportunities for economic empowerment.

**DID YOU KNOW THAT  
BCM ACCEPTS STOCK  
AND CRYPTOCURRENCY  
DONATIONS?**

Email [development@bcmatlanta.org](mailto:development@bcmatlanta.org)  
or check out our website for  
more information.





BCM's 23rd Annual Tee It Up Golf Tournament at Peachtree Golf Club on September 21, 2020.



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# WE WANT YOU TO VOLUNTEER WITH BCM

## Volunteer Opportunities

### VIRTUAL

#### Emergency Assistance Support

- a. Online Application
- b. Follow-Up Caller
- c. Data Entry

#### Budget for Life

- a. Money Management Instructor
- b. Money Management Coach
- c. Career Path Coach

### IN-PERSON

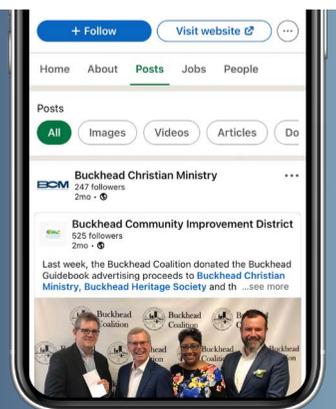
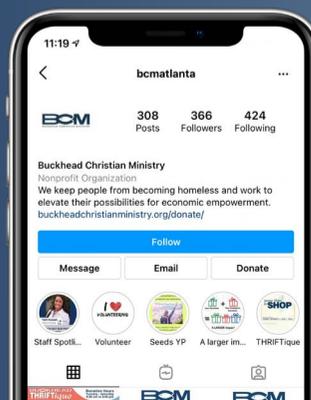
#### Special Events and Administrative Projects

- a. Tee It Up
- b. Program Mailings

Visit our website at

<https://buckheadchristianministry.org/volunteer/>

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## Income

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for fiscal years ending

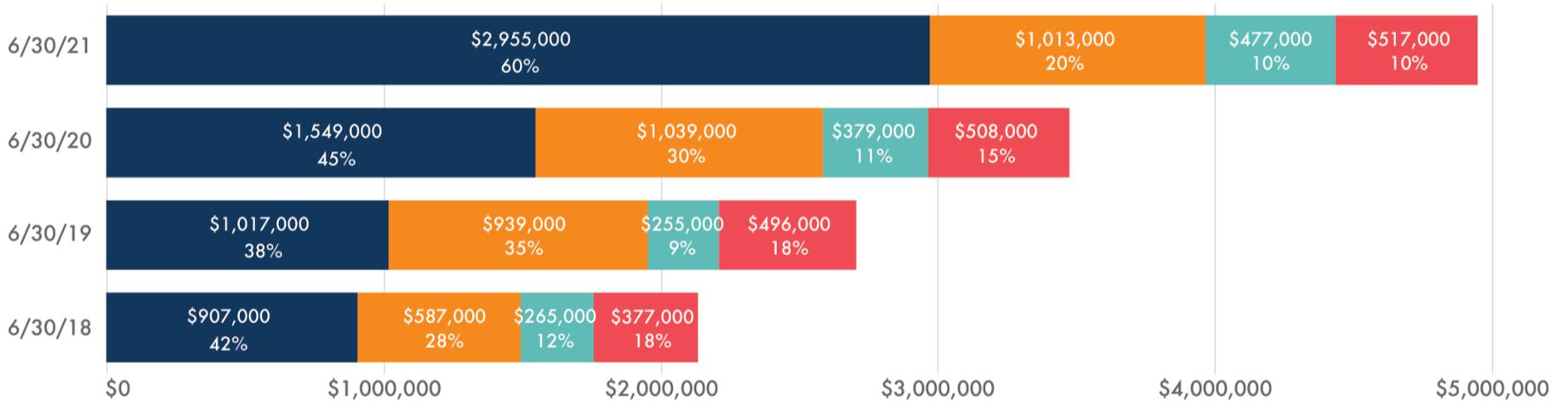
- Contributions
- Program fees, Special events, Other income
- THRIFTique
- Investment income (loss in 6/30/20)



## Expense

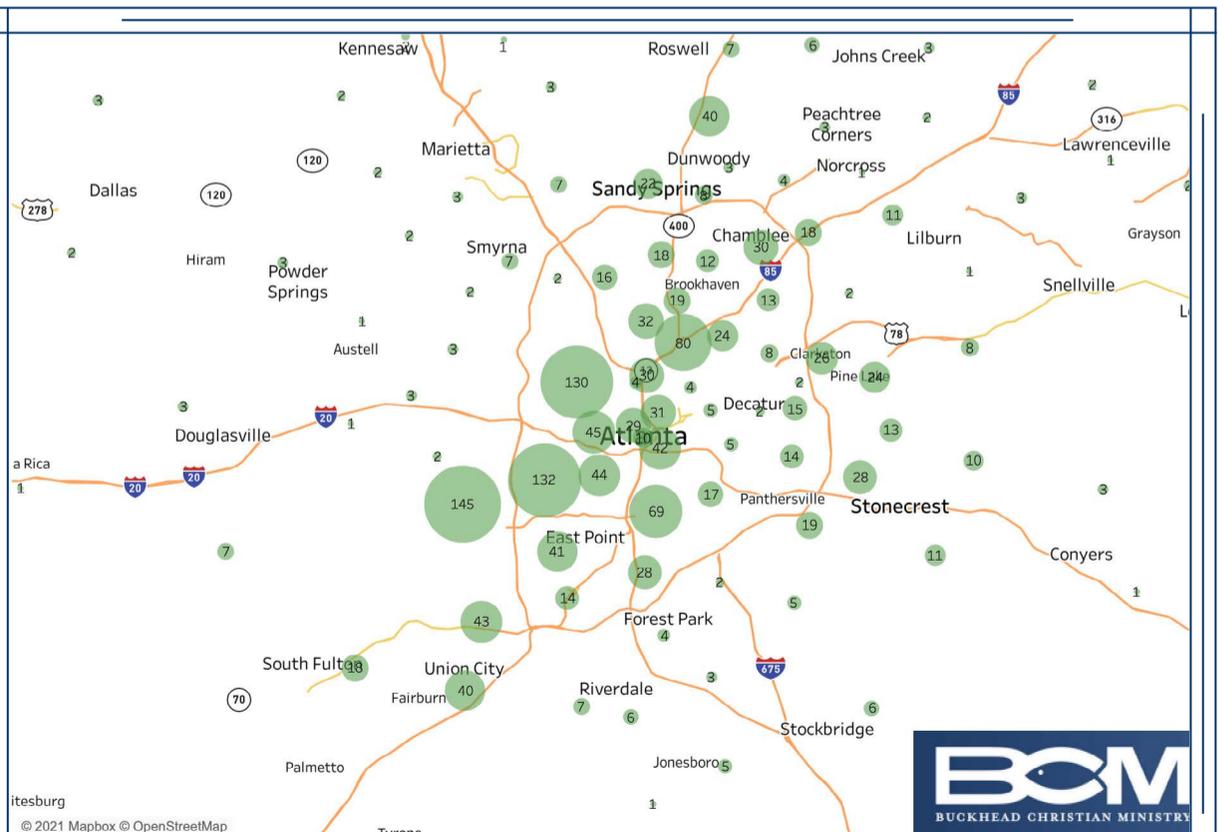
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for fiscal years ending

- Emergency Assistance
- Budget for Life, Foundation 3, Vol Srvs
- THRIFTique
- Management and Fundraising



**2,931**  
individuals  
in 1,628  
households  
assisted in  
127 zipcodes

July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021



The green dots represent households served.





## Emergency Assistance



**2,931**

Total Individuals Served through BCM's Emergency Assistance



**2,818**

Individuals received rent & mortgage assistance



**458**

Individuals received utilities assistance

## Foundation 3



**48**

Individuals participated in Foundation 3



**45 points**

average credit score increase

## Budget for Life™



**40**

Budget for Life™ individuals completed the program



**\$304,834**

of debt retired for Budget for Life™ Participants



**\$62,673**

saved through BCM's Savings Match Program



**Without BCM's financial assistance, there would be an average of ten new homeless families a week in Atlanta.**



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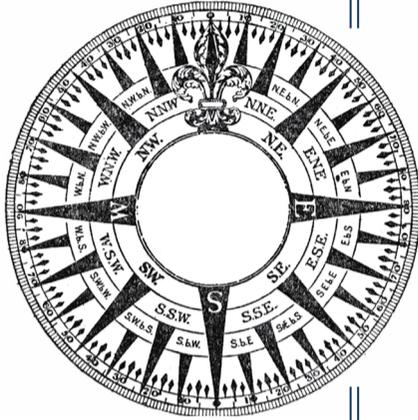
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- Second-Ponce de Leon Baptist Church
- Skyland UMC
- St. James UMC
- St. John UMC
- St. Luke Lutheran Church
- Trinity Presbyterian Church
- Wieuca Road Baptist Church

# The Seeds of Change Society



## Platinum

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The Seeds of Change Society honors philanthropic women committed to BCM's women and children in crisis by donating \$500 or more per year.

## Gold

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 Nancy Patterson

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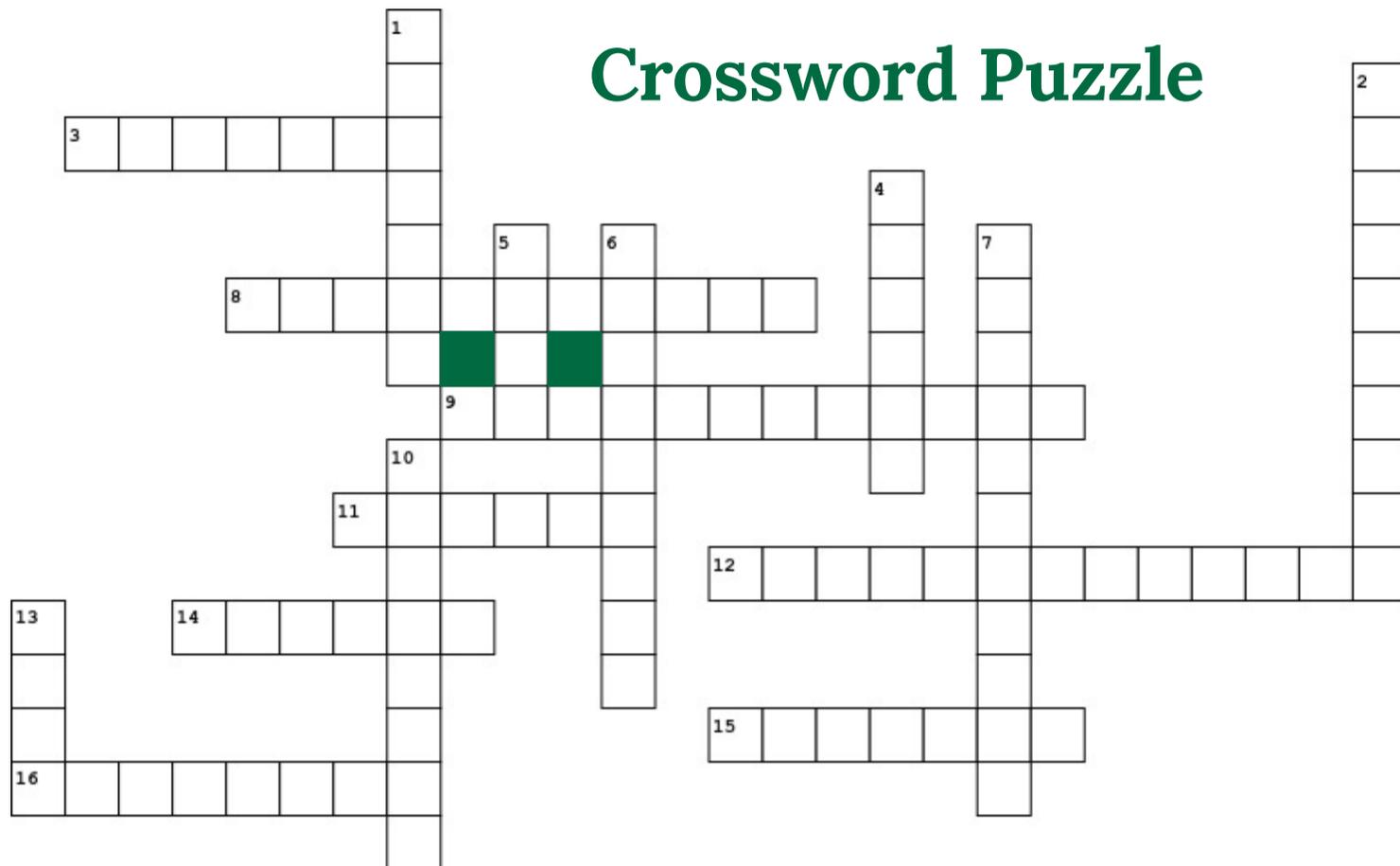
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## Crossword Puzzle



### Across

- 3. Income not spent but set aside.
- 8. Power given to someone to do something positive.
- 9. Recognition of the good qualities of someone or something.
- 11. When you \_\_\_\_\_ to BCM, you provide low-income, working families of all faiths a second chance at self-sufficiency.
- 12. This program focuses on helping participants build skills and knowledge to become financially stable.
- 14. A financial plan for a defined period.
- 15. Money provided for a particular purpose.
- 16. Matters regarding the management, creation, and study of money and investments.

### Down

- 1. BCM's purpose and call to action.
- 2. The provision of money, resources, or information to help someone.
- 4. A way a government or foundation funds your projects to better the community.
- 5. Offering one's services or resources.
- 6. A situation that poses an immediate risk to health, life, or property.
- 7. An arrangement to meet someone at a particular time and place.
- 10. At BCM, we work to keep people from becoming \_\_\_\_\_. The group of people that have no place to live or sleep.
- 13. Sport played at Tee It Up.



"Wow, Volunteering at BCM has really evolved!"



The latest trend in "Business - Casual".

## Puzzle Answers

- 13. Golf
- 10. Homeless
- 7. Appointment
- 6. Emergency
- 5. Help
- 4. Grants
- 2. Assistance
- 1. Mission

### Down

- 16. Finances
- 15. Funding
- 14. Budget
- 12. Budget for Life
- 11. Donate
- 9. Appreciation
- 8. Empowerment
- 3. Savings

### Across



# Let's Go Forward

BCM's mission of preventing homelessness and elevating economic empowerment for our hard-working neighbors in need typifies the adage, "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

Thank you for stepping forward with BCM.



## Leave Your Legacy with BCM

Including a gift to Buckhead Christian Ministry in your will or living trust allows you to offer future support without giving up assets today. You can leave BCM a specific asset, a specific dollar amount, or a percentage of the residual in your estate.

- Yes! I put BCM in my estate plan already – contact me for the details.
- Ok, I'll think about it – contact me because I have questions.

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