

SHARING HOPE | PROMOTING LIFE | CARING FOR FAMILIES

FROM THE DESK OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR: A STORY OF COURAGE, CONNECTION, AND LIFE



Your support of Wiregrass Hope Group goes beyond funding—it creates moments of hope, connection, and life-changing decisions.

Two of our staff recently shared a story that deeply impacted us all. A young woman was overwhelmed, heartbroken, and convinced abortion was her only path. Her world had unraveled. Lies, betrayal, and pressure from the father of her child had left her feeling alone and unsure. When she arrived for her scheduled ultrasound, she said aloud, "I don't even know why I came. I've already decided."

But then, something extraordinary happened.

She saw her baby. She heard the heartbeat. And in that moment, through tears, conversation, and compassion, she began to reconnect with life. Not just her baby's, but her own.

That day, she marked on her survey: *I've changed my mind*.

The road since then hasn't been easy. She has faced ongoing pressure, even drove all the way to an abortion clinic in another state before turning around and returning to us. But she chose life. Again and again. And with each visit, each ultrasound, each conversation, she grew stronger.

Today, she is doing well. She is in counseling here with one of our professionals, has moved into a new home provided through God's hand of provision, and is preparing to welcome her child into the world.

She found hope here. Not just in images on a screen, but in voices that listened, arms that supported, and a God who never left her side.



70 Babies Saved IN 2025 SO FAR

This year alone, **70 mothers** - each with their own story, fear, and uncertainty—came to WHG abortion-minded. And they left with a new vision. **Because of your generosity, 70 babies now have the chance to live.** But the miracle doesn't end there.

We're committed not just to saving lives, but to **mentoring** those lives—mamas, daddies, and children—for the first two years and beyond. Our goal is to walk alongside each family until they're rooted in a loving church community for spiritual support and continued discipleship.

That's not just pro-life. That's pro-abundant life.

Thank you for making these stories possible. For giving more than money—you give HOPE and you save LIVES.

Susan Anderson



Save The Date

I CAME THAT THEY MAY HAVE

LIFE AND HAVE IT

ABUNDANTLY.

John 10:10

11.18.25

Fundraising Dinner Speaker: Reagan Farris

New <u>Fatherhood</u> Director



Marcus Cotton | Fatherhood Director

As the Fatherhood Director, my mission is to guide fathers into becoming spiritual leaders who can disciple their children effectively. I believe this happens best when fathers are mentored by other men who have faced similar challenges and understand the journey of spiritual leadership.

While the world continues to change, God is raising up strong Kingdom Men who are committed to restoring the role of fathers—starting with loving their wives, fiancés, girlfriends, or co-parenting partners, and extending that love to their children.

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Since joining Wiregrass Hope, I've witnessed a remarkable increase in salvations*. Many of these fathers are coming to recognize their need for Jesus Christ, and as His followers, we have a duty to help them grow in their walk with God and become the Kingdom Fathers they are called to be.

Marcus Cotton

We're praising God for **7 dads** in our Fatherhood program who've recently given their lives to Christ—please join us in praying for their continued growth and discipleship.



CELEBRATING FATHERHOOD TOGETHER

DATE: OCTOBER 4, 2025

TIME: 9 AM - 4 PM

COST: \$10 (FREE FOR WHG CLIENTS)

Join us for our first-ever Fatherhood Conference, DadFest—a day to celebrate fatherhood and grow as Kingdom men through teaching, breakouts, lunch, fellowship, and worship. Registration coming soon!

FOR ADDITIONAL INFO, EMAIL: FATHERHOOD@WIREGRASSHOPE.COM

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WIREGRASS HOPE RECEIVES GRANTS

SE AL COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

\$3000 Awarded for Pregnancy Medical Resources & Emergent Support
Used in assisting the underserved pregnancy & postpartum clients in our 5 county
area with tangible and emergent needs.

WIREGRASS FOUNDATION

\$10,000 Awarded for Upgraded Technology & Hardware
Used to replace outdated technology, essential for operations and expanding
outreach initiatives.

THANK YOU TO OUR GENEROUS DONORS AND COMMUNITY FOR YOUR UNWAVERING SUPPORT—YOUR KINDNESS MAKES IT POSSIBLE FOR US TO SERVE, LOVE, AND WALK ALONGSIDE EVERY LIFE THAT ENTERS OUR DOORS.

COUNSELING SERVICES EXPANDING



I am excited to now serve full-time as the Director of Counseling Services at WHG. I support and lead our counselors while providing biblically grounded counseling to pregnancy center clients, as well as to individuals, couples, and families dealing with life's struggles. My goal in counseling is never just to offer coping strategies or quick fixes, but to address the root of the issues and provide the right "nutrients" so that our clients can truly grow and thrive. It is God and His truth that are the ultimate source of real life and lasting transformation. I'm a helper, not a healer. My hope for all our clients is that they leave knowing Jesus—the true Healer and life-giver—more deeply and personally.

I believe that God smiles on the daily work and ministry happening at Wiregrass Hope Group. WHG is an extension of the local body of Christ, working together to serve families and individuals—not only promoting life for the unborn, but abundant life for all who respond to the good news of the gospel in faith. It's one thing to talk about the love and grace of Jesus, but it's another for people to experience that love and grace being poured out through the tangible, genuine care, conversations, prayers, and compassion of His followers. I'm so thankful to be part of this work every day!



We had a total of 50 churches and local schools participate with us in our Change for Life campaign this year!

We are so thankful for your support!

Together, you have raised \$58,629, with several churches still participating!



THANK YOU TO THE TWO WIRED WEEK TEAMS WHO SERVED WITH US!





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To build a healthy community where individuals and families value life and thrive because of the love and grace of Christ.

- *Prenatal Resources
- *Pregnancy Program
- *Fatherhood Program
- *After Baby Program
- *Biblical Counseling

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