



The Canby Center is Home!

The Canby Center was overcome with a sense of awe as we announced one of the most exciting things since our founding. God in His magnificent grace has seen fit to provide The Canby Center with a permanent home. In early August, we finalized the purchase of the building, 681 SW 2nd Ave. for \$450,000. We now have room for all our programs, a safe place for the kids, room for our community gardens, and room to expand when we need to.

The property represents a unique opportunity as a permanent location to build and expand its programs to assist the needy and develop self-sustainability. It reinforces our commitment to God and the community we serve. This location will be a beacon of hope for generations. For our clients, it provides a sense of security. They are often in life situations that are anything but stable. The Canby Center can be their stability. As an organization supported by the people in Canby, we strive to be fiscally responsible and this shows that commitment.

Einstein said, "Those who see the invisible achieve the impossible." You, The Canby Center supporters, were able to see God's plan for a new building in a place that sat vacant for five years. Leaders and supporters saw past boarded up windows and piles of junk. You saw the vision God set before you: a new home filled with fresh starts and bright futures. And the Lord God Almighty has worked the impossible. We want to run through the city streets like the woman who met Jesus at the well, because we want to share with everyone how majestic God is. From every doorknob to carpet tile, God has provided for The Canby Center.

We humbly thank you for your constant prayers and support. Without them, The Canby Center wouldn't be what it is today.



the canby center
el centro de canby

With your help, this year we...

- 15 people obtained employment
- 90 individuals received over \$45,000 worth of dental services
- 934 shopping visits through clothing exchange
- 4019 meals served on the lunch bus
- 7981 food sacks distributed to students
- 1570 bags of food dispersed at Harvest Share
- 15 individuals participating in English/Spanish class
- Dozens of students mentored
- 71 families basic needs met through financial assistance
- Hundreds of volunteers serving their community
- Relocated TCC to new facility

relief...
relationship...
real life
change.

Annual Report
2013



“Providing relief and establish relationships in order to bring real life changes for youth and their families in the Canby School District.”

Better Than Ok

by Shaney Kovalski

After my husband lost his job we were facing a separation due to the stresses in our family. I had no place to go, no income whatsoever, our landlords asked us to move out immediately. My sister was able to take me in but she too is a single mom with 3 children at home. I was able to move into one of the children's rooms until she was able to move all of us to a home with a small basement apartment for me to stay.

Going in to The Canby Center I was treated with respect and kindness. No one judged me or asked any questions except, "How can we help you?" "What do you need?" "Are you ok?" I was overwhelmed with so many emotions, I cried. Even the smallest things like soap, shampoo or toothpaste...all things we had taken for granted at one time were looked upon with gratitude. I even found a fun alarm clock for my oldest and some toys for my youngest. It was a very humbling experience and one I tell a lot of people. The Canby Center was there for even the smallest things like a tube of toothpaste or a warm smile to reassure you that it's going to be ok.

And ok it is. Better then ok. My husband and I, through family counseling and marriage therapy are doing amazing! He is working full time and I have just recently started my own business that I can do from home so I am still here for our children. If it wasn't for The Canby Center and the generous donations their supporters make plus the awesome staff, the desperate times we went through I believe, would not have been as easy to overcome.

Statement of Activity

Fiscal Year 2013

Sources of Support

Individuals (32%)	\$128,347
Churches (12%)	\$50,540
Corporate (3%)	\$11,046
Foundations (8%)	\$31,736
Building Fund (10%)	\$40,207
In-Kind (35%)	\$144,132
Total Income	\$406,008

Expenses

Resource Development (1%)	\$2,929
Administrative (18%)	\$69,341
Programs (81%)	\$301,391

Total Expenses	\$373,661
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**FY2013 income surplus was money designated for the building fund.*

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