



# Memorial Foundation

## Spring 2026 Newsletter

In the first quarter of 2026, we partnered with 58 nonprofit organizations across Davidson, Sumner, and Robertson counties, including:



### Interfaith Dental

delivers affordable, comprehensive dental care and support that helps individuals improve their quality of life, economic security, and overall health. Annually, 4,000 patients are served. Interfaith utilizes highly skilled volunteer dentists, specialists, and oral surgery residents to work alongside staff to provide emergency, restorative, and preventative dental care on a sliding fee scale.

### Nashville International Center for Empowerment

empowers refugees and immigrants with resources and opportunities that will aid them in their resettlement and equip them to be successful in the future. Funding from Memorial Foundation helps support Adult Education programs that serve over 1,200 students annually. NICE provides weekly classes in English language, High School Equivalency, citizenship, and workforce preparation.



### Mary Parrish Center

provides survivors of interpersonal violence and their children with safe and accessible housing that promotes healing, autonomy, and hope. Last year, nearly 250 survivors and their children were served through their Transitional and Rapid Rehousing programs. Survivors also receive individualized support services including clinical therapy, case management, and economic empowerment.



# In the News

## The Store

The Store offers a no-cost, customer-choice grocery store that serves people experiencing food insecurity. Customers are referred from over 50 nonprofit partner agencies and have access to wraparound services including counseling, budgeting, and nutrition education. In January, The Store opened a second location at Centennial Hospital. Read more about their expansion [here](#).



## Gallatin Day Care Center

Gallatin Day Care Center provides affordable, high quality child care services. They also offer before and after school care for children ages 5-12. In January, Gallatin Day Care Center opened a second location at the Gallatin Shalom Zone to serve up to 144 children. Read more about their second site [here](#).

## Foundation Updates

This quarter, the Foundation had two opportunities to collaborate with the philanthropic community in Middle TN. In January, we participated in the Community Foundation's [Sabbatical Fund](#), a coordinated effort to celebrate and support nonprofit CEO/Executive Directors. In February, we responded to Winter Storm Fern with an emergency grant to United Way's [Winter Storm Recovery Fund](#).



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