



2023

THE YEAR OF HIS PROMISES

For I am confident of this very thing, that He who began a good work in you will perfect it until the day of Christ Jesus.

-Philippians 1:6 (NIV)

During this year, women have experienced healing and found hope trusting in His promises!

- 133 women were served.
- 50 women graduated our 12-week Employment Readiness Program.
- 82% of graduates were employed or pursuing further education.
- Computer test scores increased on average by 25 points.
- 43 women enrolled in computer classes and Bible study taught in Spanish and developed English language skills.
- 40 children enrolled in free childcare.
- 17 women rededicated their faith.
- 5 women became new believers in Christ!



Kimberlee, Spring 2023 Graduate

Spring 2023 Graduates celebrate by turning the tassels on their caps



DANIELLY NOW HAS HER DREAM JOB



Danielly graduated the 12-week Employment Readiness Program in the Spring of 2023.

During her graduation speech, she shared, “Before CWJC, I was someone who lacked self-esteem. I probably wouldn’t have engaged in conversation. I definitely would not have been speaking to a room full of people! I was safe in my quiet little comfort zone. I now speak a little more clearly and loudly. I now have a voice.”

During the first week of class, we learned about boundaries. I never had boundaries to begin with. I didn’t know it was ok to put up boundaries until I was taught that it is ok. I’ve now implemented boundaries in my life which is sometimes hard to do but it makes life so much easier”.

“Not long ago, if someone had asked me about my strengths, I wouldn’t have had an answer because I didn’t think I had strengths, honestly. When I saw the results from my Clifton Strengths test, I was surprised. One of my strengths was ideation – the strength of coming up with new ideas. I didn’t recognize this about myself before but now I do. Knowing my strengths and how to use them will help me in all aspects of my life.

I have proven to myself that I can finish something. Most importantly, I have also shown that to my kids. This is the first time that I’ve started something and followed through. That is thanks to my fellow classmates and our teachers. Everyone has been so encouraging and positive. It was not always easy but we made it.

Tonight is my first graduation ceremony. I’m proud to finally be able to have this experience! From here, I plan to go to college to be a teacher. I love children and my heart is set on working with kids. I know college will be difficult but God has told us I have not given you a spirit of fear but of power and love and sound mind. I am standing on this promise”!

And that she has! When CWJC needed to hire teachers for Children’s Programming in order to provide free childcare for our participants during the summer, Danielly joined our team. It was a joy to have her as part of our staff and she was a blessing to the children she taught!

Since graduation from CWJC, Danielly gained her certification as a Registered Behavior Technician and is now providing ABA therapy to children with Autism. She shared, “My dream was to work with children and I am now fulfilling that dream”.

VOLUNTEER

In 2023, volunteers shared 2,070 hours with Christian Women’s Job Corps!

We would love for you to join our volunteer team! Call or visit us online today.

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FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Christian Women’s Job Corps of Tyler began with a vision of helping unemployed women in Smith County secure and keep employment. CWJC Tyler was founded in 1998. In 2001, it was incorporated as a 501(c)3 and held its first class of six women. Since then, over 2,700 women have participated in computer training, Bible study, English language classes and the Employment Readiness Program.

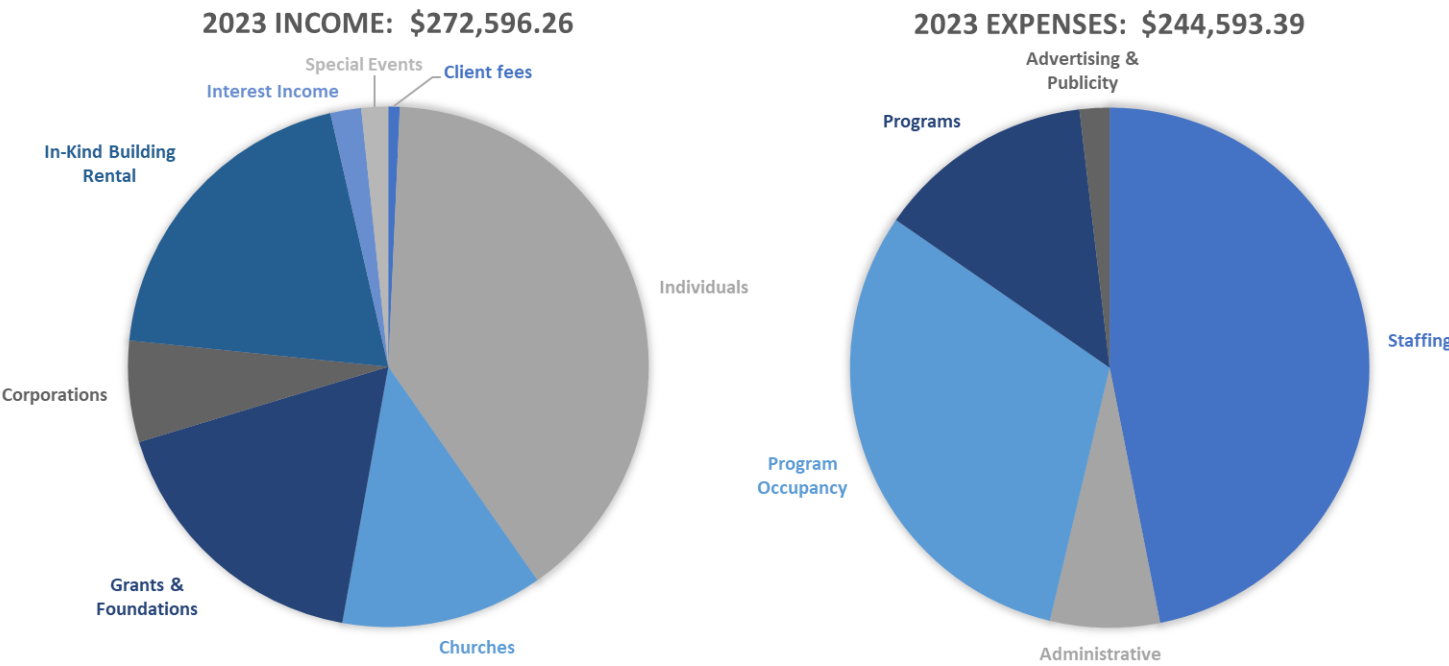
The Board of Directors actively supports the goals of Christian Women’s Job Corps. Several Board Members have been a part of CWJC for many years volunteering in other capacities and some continue to teach classes today. They have a true love for the mission.

Thanks to a faithful team of volunteers and in-kind building rental from First Baptist Church, CWJC is able to operate with low overhead and a staff of only two employees. This allows a significant portion of donations to directly support programs.

Participants pay only \$34 to enroll in the Employment Readiness Program. The registration fee is the only cost to students and helps to instill value in program participation.

All expenses from books, materials and technology to the meals and red graduation caps that mean so much are covered for the students thanks to our generous giving community! With your support, CWJC has maintained a legacy of fiscal stability. God has blessed us abundantly!

EQUIP for Employment
EMPOWER with Dignity & Hope
ENCOURAGE with the Love of Jesus



Mission: Equipping women with job skills & life skills in a Christ-centered environment