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A NEWSLETTER FOR DONORS

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photo by Jay Platte

A significant part of Matthew 25's development over these past several years is due to the outstanding work by Ann Hathaway, our Development Director. We wish to recognize her contribution to Matthew 25 and her excellent work and dedication.

From Nancy Schenkel

From the Chief Executive Officer

Every once in awhile, if you're lucky, you get to work closely with someone that you "just click with." For me this has been Ann Hathaway.

Ann has held the position of Development Director at Matthew 25 for the last 12 years. From 2001 through 2006, Ann worked 20 hours per week at Vincent village and 20 hours per week at Matthew 25. Splitting her time between 2 unique agencies takes a person with

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From Ann Hathaway

From the Development Director

"Things do not change; we change."

Henry David Thoreau

After more than twelve years as Development Director for Matthew 25, Inc., I am leaving the agency to accept a position as Northern Indiana Director for the Alzheimer's Association. The mission of Matthew 25 as well as the good people that carry it out every day will always

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My name is Ermina Mustedanagic. It is a pleasure to introduce myself as the new Development Director of Matthew 25 Health and Dental Clinic. I've been employed by Matthew 25 Clinic since 2007 and I am honored to be a part of this organization. I have been touched by our patient's needs and it is a relief that our community has the resources to help the underserved and assist them to work towards a better, healthier future. I look forward working with such generous support community in the years ahead.

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excellent organizational skills, which Ann demonstrated over and over again.

When Matthew 25 expanded the clinic in 2006, Ann assumed the full-time position with us, much to the dismay of the Executive Director at Vincent Village (Sorry, Ann Helmke).

During Ann's tenure, she has grown the Development office to meet the growing needs of the clinic. She has gained the respect of our funders and has always sought opportunities that were beneficial for Matthew 25.

Ann will be very missed, but I wish her the best in the next step of her journey with the Alzheimer's Association, where I know she will continue her good work.

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remain in my heart. As faithful donors, you have been witness to the growth of Matthew 25 especially these past seven years. Our building space has tripled in size, our patient numbers have increased beyond projections and our services continue to expand. The need to serve residents of Allen County through their healthcare journey remains constant.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank each one of you for your continued support of our clinic operations. YOUR investment in our mission is what has sustained Matthew 25 for 37 years. YOUR commitment to our agency growth is unequalled. Matthew 25 was founded on the biblical directive of Jesus to minister to those in need and that has never changed. People move on but Matthew 25 will continue to move forward.



My name is Samantha Bohnstedt and I am stepping into the position of Volunteer Coordinator/Administrative Assistant. I started out at Matthew 25 as an intern for Jennie Rumschlag over a year ago and continued when Ermina took her place. I just received my degree in Health Services Administration from Indiana-Purdue University Fort Wayne in December 2012. I am very excited to make the transition from intern to staff.

We are continually grateful for the support we receive from foundations of our community. We want to acknowledge THE LUTHERAN FOUNDATION whose name was incomplete due to a proofing error. It is now corrected and is posted correctly on our web site.

For a complete listing of all those who have been memorialized/honored, please visit our website

[www.matthew25online.org/
communitysupport/memorials-and-honorariums1](http://www.matthew25online.org/communitysupport/memorials-and-honorariums1)

Matthew 25 Raises \$107,000 at Art and Soul fundraising event

On March 7, 2013, Matthew 25 hosted the third annual Art & Soul fundraising event at the Performing Arts Center. The event included catering by several area restaurants, a silent auction, live music and mystery gift box sales. Over 300 people attended the event, which raised \$107,000 to help cover yearly operating expenses for the organization's medical and dental clinics.

During the event, Matthew 25 announced the recipient of the annual Fabric of the Community award. Fort Wayne-based integrated marketing firm Brand Innovation Group (Big) received the award in recognition of its ongoing service and support of Matthew 25.

Nancy Schenkel, CEO of Matthew 25, credits the event's success to its many generous sponsors. "Over 30 local businesses and organizations supported Art & Soul this year," says Schenkel. "We received more than \$45,000 in the form of in-kind donations, and that generosity is what made the evening so special for everyone who attended."

During the Art & Soul event, attendees were encouraged to sponsor one patient per day with a \$75 donation. For those unable to attend, additional donations can be made over the phone, by mail or via PayPal at matthew25online.com.

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Join us for the 2013 Dr. Philip O'Shaughnessy Walk/Run for Health-
for your health and in support Matthew 25 Health and Dental Clinic.
Dr. Mark O'Shaughnessy and family are the coordinators; the Fort
Wayne Track Club , the timing and stats.

Saturday, July 20, 2013 at Foster Park Pavilion #1

Registration:	7:00-9:00 am
10k Run	7:30 am
5k Run	8:30 am
5k Fun Walk	8:30 am

Application and sponsorship forms are available online
[www.matthew25online.org/ /communitysupport/events/annual-walk-run](http://www.matthew25online.org/communitysupport/events/annual-walk-run)

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