Annual Report 2013

SouthSide
Early Childhood Center

Dear Friends of SouthSide,

2013 was a momentous year for SouthSide. Thanks to the support of the generous St. Louis community and to national foundations, we completed our capital campaign and broke ground on our new building at the intersection of South Jefferson and Russell Avenues, less than a mile from our former campus on Iowa Avenue. Today I am writing this letter from our beautiful, state-of-the-art, 19,000 square foot early childhood center. Our new building ensures that for many more decades, SouthSide can continue the legacy created by our founders, the brave and caring Unitarian women who so passionately believed in the power of nurturing care and education to create opportunity for children and families in need.

We moved into our new home in June 2014. Our new space expands our impact to reach 140 children, nearly 50 percent more than our previous capacity. And we have space for wonderful programs and services that build on our exceptional quality core curriculum. In the past week, children made “rainbow fish” in the kids’ kitchen out of fresh fruit; drove cozy coupes in the indoor playroom on a rainy day; received speech therapy in a quiet room away from the bustle of the classrooms; and enjoyed the outdoors by riding trikes, sliding, playing ball, building sand creations and gardening. We are filled with gratitude for the support that so many of you provided to make this dream come true.

This annual report highlights the remarkable progress that our children made again this year as a result of the comprehensive, quality and research-based services we provide. Thanks to the literacy, math and social skills they gain at SouthSide, and the love of learning and inquisitiveness that they develop, our graduates continue to succeed in elementary school.

We have much to look forward to as we expand our program and services in our new building. On behalf of our children, families, Board, staff and volunteers, we thank the St. Louis community for supporting SouthSide and creating a future full of hope for children in need.

Gratefully,

Anne Kessen Lowell
Executive Director
Just as we laid a strong foundation for our new building, SouthSide continues to provide each child with the foundation he or she needs to achieve success.
SouthSide Moves into New Center
Following Successful Capital Campaign

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN FUNDING

Ribbon Cutting at Grand Opening Celebration

From left: Robbyn Wahby, Deputy Chief of Staff at City of St. Louis, Office of the Mayor; Amy Moss, President of SouthSide’s Board; Anne Kessen Lowell, SouthSide’s Executive Director; Carol and Tom Voss, Honorary Campaign Chairs; Chris Koster, MO Attorney General.

Old versus New

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<td>Number of Classrooms</td>
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<td>Classroom Space</td>
<td>4,459 sq. ft.</td>
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<td>Overall Square Feet</td>
<td>7,700 sq. ft.</td>
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In 2013, SouthSide served 111 children and their families.

Children Served

Family Income

- Hispanic/Latino: 63%
- African American: 26%
- Caucasian: 5%
- Bi/Multi-Racial: 5%
- Asian: 1%

- $0 - $9,999: 41%
- $10,000 - $14,999: 14%
- $15,000 - $19,999: 28%
- $20,000 - $29,999: 13%
- $30,000 - $49,999: 3%
- $50,000 - $99,999: 1%
SouthSide’s mission is to nurture, educate and inspire children and families in a diverse and inclusive environment, promoting healthy development and a strong foundation for success.
**Uniquely SouthSide**

**EXCEPTIONAL CURRICULUM**
Our curriculum is a forward-thinking, comprehensive, experiential, research-based program for early childhood education.

**DEGREEDE TEACHERS**
SouthSide’s dedicated, full-time teachers have a Bachelor’s degree or higher in early childhood education or a related field and prior experience working with young children.

**SUPPORT STAFF**
While every classroom at SouthSide has two full-time teachers, preschool classrooms also have a para-professional who ensures that children with special needs receive individualized attention.

A Mental Health Coordinator, a Mentor Teacher, a Family Partnership Manager and two developmental specialists provide additional support as needed for children, their families and our staff.

**FAMILY ENGAGEMENT**
Our comprehensive Family Partnership Program includes monthly parent meetings, Family Fun Nights and classes on Child Nutrition, English as a Second Language, and other topics of interest to our families.
**Comprehensive Educational Philosophy**

**Quality Education**
SouthSide’s teachers and staff create a high-quality learning environment, designed around the interests of the children, where every child is enabled to become a creative, confident thinker.

**Family Partnership Program**
Parental involvement in a child’s education is critical to academic success. SouthSide’s Family Partnership Program ensures that all families have the opportunities and the skills they need to participate fully in their child’s development.

**Early Intervention**
Children facing developmental challenges receive individualized attention from developmental specialists and para-professionals in their classrooms.
Exceptional Quality Curriculum

SouthSide Children Meet and Exceed Expectations
Academic and Social Growth in One Year

SouthSide Graduates Succeed in Elementary School
Kindergarten and 1st Grade Teacher Ratings on 1 to 5 Scale

According to the Missouri Department of Elementary & Secondary Education, Office of Early and Extended Learning, based on a study by Temple, White, Ou and Robertson, “Longitudinal studies indicate a societal return on investment ranging from $3-$16 return per $1 invested in early education (average of $10 ROI).”

SUCCESS
Children receiving early intervention services at SouthSide made significant progress in key areas of their development.

The scores of Pre-Kindergarten children receiving early intervention services increased an average of 34 points between the beginning and end of the 2013-2014 school year as measured by the DIAL Developmental Assessment, a standardized test administered nationally to children entering kindergarten.

One in four children enrolled at SouthSide receives early intervention services or has a delay or disability.
Family Partnership Program

Early Intervention Services at SouthSide include:
- Play Therapy for Social & Emotional Delays
- Early Childhood Special Education
- Speech and Language Therapy
- Occupational Therapy
- Physical Therapy

Bright Futures

The Bright Futures Program, funded by the St. Louis Mental Health Board, enables SouthSide to provide in-house support services for children with suspected cognitive and social emotional delays.

Our two developmental therapists work closely with paraprofessionals assigned to each preschool classroom, training them on techniques for providing inclusive child-led support. In the past two years, 100% of children who have received support in the Bright Future’s program have made progress on their personalized goals.

2454 total hours of Classroom Instruction

1 training on Car Seat Safety

1 Kindergarten Fair

19 Resource Fair

6 Parent Meetings

8-week Nutrition Class conducted by UMSL

Topics: Appropriate Child Nutrition (Casa de Salud), Landlord/Tenant Rights (Equal Opportunity Housing Council), Appropriate Child Development, Positive Discipline, Enrolling in Kindergarten (International Welcome School), and Keeping Your Child Healthy

Participating Organizations

St. Louis City Dept. of Health, St. Louis College of Health Careers, Gene Slay Boy’s Club, Catholic Charities Midtown, American Family Insurance, LAMP, Nurses for Newborns, Casa de Salud, Farmer’s Insurance.
**Sources of Support**

SouthSide is a non-sectarian, 501(c) 3, tax-exempt, nonprofit organization.

**Core Partners**

SouthSide is committed to providing each child we serve with an exceptional early childhood education and providing each family with the skills they need to help their child succeed.

Beyond government and United Way funding, **the cost to provide these comprehensive services is an additional $6,000 per child per year**.

**Donations**
- Generous Individuals
- Corporations and their Employees

**Grants**
- Private Foundation
- Corporate Foundations
- Family Foundations
- Community Partners

**IN-KIND**
- Classroom Supplies
- Auction Items
- Family Partnership Program Needs

**Special Events**
- Gala Dinner Auction & Awards Ceremony
- Trivia Night

**Volunteers**
In 2013, generous individuals, corporate groups, schools and organizations volunteered a total of **1,393 hours** at SouthSide.

The monetary value of these 1,393 volunteer hours was **$60,103**!
Our 2013 Gala Dinner Auction raised over $262,000 for the children of...

**NET ASSETS** on 12/31/2013: **$4,575,089**
Many THANKS to All Those

**INDIVIDUALS**

Jim Kennedy & Nina Abboud  
Robert & Nina Abercrombie  
Jesse & Amy Abraham  
Richard & Judy Abrams  
Daniel & Amber Acosta  
Carlton & Rhonda Carter Adams*+  
Anthony Gonzalez-Angel & Tad Mathews  
Anonymous*+  
Skip & Linda Anthony  
Diane M. Arzen  
Jaron Asher  
Rob & Susan Atkinson  
Ted Atwood  
Mike Maskus & Cathy Augustin  
Don & Sue Bachmann  
Zack & Maggie Baisch  
Brenda Barnes  
John & Maddie Barnes  
Wayne & Cindy Bartell*+  
Brooke Barta  
Amanda Beard  
Harry Becker  
Chris & Lisa Becraft  
Timothy & Juanita Beecher  
Rick & Carol Bender*  
Jon and Alice Benner  
Vince & Christina Bennett  
Robert & Willeyne Berger  
Scott & Emily Bernstein  
Christine Bertelson  
Rob & Liz Bezjak*+  
Winona Black  
Clinton & Susan Blandford  
Jeff & Jody Blanton  
Mark Block  
Jenna Boff  
Amy Bollinger  
Steve & Sue Bollinger  
Nancy Booher  
Maureen Borkowski  
Leah Marie Borrowman  
Dorian & Gillian Boscan  
Scot & Joanne Boulton*  
Rosemary Boustany  
Michael & Janet Boyer  
Jessica Brandon  
Michael Salevouris & Peggy Brockmann*+  
Molly Brown  
Graham Browne  
Patricia Budler  
Tim & Sandra Burke*+  
Scott Lucht & Kirby Burkholder  
Richard & Kathleen Burroughs  
Helen Cadorot  
Roy Taylor & Loretta Calcatera*+  
Jonell Y. and Donald Calloway Sr.  
& Jonell Callow  
Forrest Carithers  
John Bowen & Vicki Carlson*  
Randy & Jennifer Carns*+  
Mike & Jennifer Carroll  
Hollie Caupp  
Will & Marty Chapman  
William & Joan Clarke  
E. J. Brandt & Carolyn Cleveland  
Matthew & Emily Coen  
Laura Cohen  
Daniel & Rhonda Cole  
Doug & Allison Collinger  
Kelly Collins  
Paul & Bridgette Collins  
Steve & Connie Colvis  
Kathy Conley Jones  
Vander & Kim Corliss  
Glen & Carolyn Cotta*+  
Phil & Stephanie Cotta  
Theophilos & Marlene Coulis*  
Joan Coulter  
David & Janis Cox*+  
Donald Lawrence & Simone Cummings  
Jim Cunningham  
Clark & Claudia Daggett  
Craig Daily*  
Jorge Riopedre & Shera Dalin  
Gautam & Laurel Dantas*  
J. Steven Davis  
Edgar Velazquez & Julie Degraaf  
Velazquez*+  
Andres Delgado  
Joe Denoher  
Bill DeWolf  
Nancy Dietrich  
Mike & Rachel Dobbins  
Jama Dodson  
Jane Donahue  
Chris Domfeld & Jennie Graviss  
Majella Doyle  
Debra DuMont  
Ellen Duncan  
Molly Duncan  
Carter & Cathy Dunkin  
Dennis & Barbara Dwyer  
Paul & Wendy Dyer  
Jim & Trina Eaton  
Timothy & Christine Eckhard+  
John & Janice Edwards  
Anthon & Ann Eisel  
Lisa Eisenhauer  
Michael & Laura Ellenhorn  
Matthew & Carrie Embleton  
Stephen & Eileen Ewen  
Brendan Fahey  
Jeffrey & Laura Fairbanks  
Tim & Bridget Fehrenbach  
Matthew & Cynthia Fitzgerald  
Lawrence & Susan Flowers  
Lance Frutiger  
Michael & Sally Gaan*+  
Chris & Karen Gaglio  
Astrid Garcia  
Karlee Gubatz  
Bob & Nancy Gellman  
Richard Baugh & Elizabeth George**  
Lawrence Giglio*  
Curtis & Erin Gitau  
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Krysta Grangeno  
Elise Renee Graslaub  
Gary & Patricia Gray**+  
Andy Greenberg  
Lance & Erin Greer  
Matthew & Jennie Guest*  
Corey & Lora Gulley*  
Todd & Heather Hageman  
Mary Haislip  
Thomas & Sandra Halley  
David Hallisey  
David Hamilton & Ruth Kim  
Matthew & Monica Hans  
Judith Hanses  
Darin & Alyssa Harper  
Nancy Hawk  
Dennis & Tracy Heinez  
Michael Henderson  
Dean & Emily Henke  
Richard & Judith Henschel

If we have inadvertently omitted your name from this listing, we apologize! Please let us know by contacting Mary Jane at 314-333-7111 or mjdriscoll@southside-ecc.org.
Who Made a Difference for SouthSide Children

Susan Hensley
William Hentschell*
Stephanie Herbers
Thomas & Perle Hillemeyer
Mary Janet Hindle
Craig & Jessie Hoagland
Lee & Gina Hoagland*+
Ellie Hock
Dee Hodge, III & Ann Petlin
Tom & Karleen Hoerr
Linda Hofman
Julie Holstein
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Eli & Jamie Huch
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David & Carole Hunt
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Jonathan & Sarah Igoe*
Jim Imperiale
Harry & Virginia Imster
Keith Jacob*+
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John Hughes & Harriet Hall-Hughes
Craig Johnson
Richard & Kelly Judge
Richard & Jung
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Claire Kaltenbach
Marshall & Janice Karibian
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Scott & Sharon Kaufman++
James & Susan Keating
Catherine Keefe
Greg & Tami Keller
Tom & Laura Kersting
Jeffrey Lowell & Anne Kessen Lowell++
Mark & Susie Ketterer
James & Marian Kipper
Jay Byrne & Ann Kittlaus
Marian Knauf
Virginia Kopelman
Althea Kortenhof
Dawn & Kotva*+
David Kovac
Keith & Cheryl Kowalczyk
Dennis & Linda Kramer
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Andy & Sandy Krueger
Colleen Kustura
Peggy Ladd*+
Jim & Heather Lake
J. Daniels Lamping
Anyah Land
William & Roberta Landau
Eddie & Betsy Lawlor
Charles & Vonda LeDay
Robert & Carol Anne Lietz
Daniel Linck
Janice Linehan
Lisa Lombard
Kelsey Long
Robert & Geralynn Lord
David Luckes
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Chad & Misha Martinez
Gayle Martini
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Mary Jo Gordon
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Cynthia McCafferty
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Dale McDermott
John & Karen McFarland
Matthew McFarland
Diane McKinney
Stephanie McKinney
Mark McLaren
Michael & Terry McLeod
Connie McManus
Mary McManus
Danielle McPherson*
Kathleen Meckfessel
Jan Meyer*
Todd & Debbie Meyer
Zack Meyer
Allan & Nancy Meyers*+
Matthew & Katrina Meyers
Michael Ross*
Christopher & Aisha Miller
Rick & Nancy Miller
Christine Mold
Adam & Kelley Molitor
Falencia Moore
Steve Lawerence & Carol Moreland
Bradley & Amy Morgenthaler
Jacquelyn Morrison
Julie Morrison
Jon & Sarah Morrow
Kenneth Charles Morrow
Tom & Barb Morrow
Jim & Merry Mosbacher
Amy Moss*+
Joyce Mullen
James & Nancy Murphy
Jeff Nadeau
Larry & Bev Narkiewicz*
Elyse Nathanson
Paul & Suzanne Nauert
Gregory & Jennifer Nelson
Susan Norris
Mark Norwood & Beth Obertino-Norwood
Laurie & Steven Ohlendorf
Tyler Olsen
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Doris Pree
Bill Raack & Kim Bettisworth
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Gregg & Susan Rahn
Rubin Ramirez
Karlos Ramirez
Cathy Rauch

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Ronald Reim
Kathy & Larry Reimelt
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Adam & Kelly Ann Richert
William & Charlotte Ridley
Tegan Rieser
Jason Riney**+
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Robert Kanterman & Caryn Fine
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Rick & Mary Ann Roberts
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Juliane Rodriguez
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Thomas & Erika Rolland**+
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Faith Sandler & Michael Holohan
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Paul & Susan Sauer
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Sarah Sontheimer
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John & Linda Steinway
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Spencer Toder
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Kimberly Walker
Scott Walker
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Rob & Renee Wasserman
Marian & Steven Webb
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Margaret Weiler
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Timothy & Phoebe Welsh
Michel Wendell
Linda & Peter Werner
Mark Missethorn & Maggie Whalen-Missethorn
Kimberly White**+
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Bruce & Patricia Williams**+
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Starsky & LaToya Wilson
Warren & Jo Lynn Winer
Richard Winter & Kathryn Winter
Arthur & Mary Susan Wittwer
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Ellen Green Wood
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Jeffery & Kathryn Yorg
Christopher Youngski
Michael & Becky Zaccarello
Joseph & Kathryn Zeigler*
Jim & Donna Zerega

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Brown Smith Wallace, LLC
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Claire de Lune
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Missouri Foundation for Health
Monsanto Fund*
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The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation, Inc.*

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Faith Des Peres Presbyterian Church
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Soroptimist International of Greater St. Louis
St. Louis Alumnae Association of Kappa Delta Sorority
St. Gabriel the Archangel School
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St. Louis Post-Dispatch LLC
The Plum Women's Group
The St. Louis Service Bureau
USA Funds*
Viola J Reynolds Trust
Women's Alliance First Unitarian Church

IN-KIND

Abbie Takes Pictures LLC
Daniel & Amber Acosta
Adam Foster Fine Art Jewelry
Carlton & Rhonda Carter Adams
Alar Hair Studio
Ameren Corporation
Ameristar Casino St. Charles
Annunciation Catholic Church
Aya Sofia
Wayne & Cindy Bartell
Beach House Bronze Tanning
Beetz Plumbing Company
Bentley Studio, Ltd.
Robert & Willeyne Berger
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Bonhomme Presbyterian Church Circle 6
Botanicals Design Studio
Studio Branca
Broadway Oyster Bar
Vanessa Bryant
Build-a-Bear Workshop Foundation
Tim & Sandra Burke
Shelley Burnett
Caleco's Bar & Grill
Cardinal Gutter and Window Cleaning Service
Casa Loma Ballroom
Casino Queen
Catering St. Louis
Cattoor Consulting & Associates, LLC
Chase Park Plaza Cinemas
Checkered Cottage
Cheesecake Factory-Chesterfield
Amy Chionchio-Bates
CJ Muggs
Doug & Allison Collinger
Community School
Constructive Playthings
Costco Wholesale
Glen & Carolyn Cotta
Phil & Stephanie Cotta
Cotton Babies
Joan Coulter
Scot Coward
Craft Restaurants, LTD
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Dave and Buster's Inc.
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Molly Duncan
Esteban Morales
Ezulwini Game Lodges
Fairfield Golf Club
Brian & Kimberly Feld
Magda Flores
Ladue Florist, Inc
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Fox Sports Midwest
Garden Heights Nursery, Inc.
Gelato Di Riso
Gian-Tony's
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Glass Doctor
Julie Good
Joe & Jan Gordon
Gary & Patricia Gray
Green Mountain Coffee Roasters
James & Lorene Greer
Lance & Erin Greer
Guido's Pizzeria & Tapas
Corey & Lora Gulley
Dean & Emily Henke
Herbaria
Gina & Lee Hoagland
Ellie Hock
Hodak's Restaurant & Bar
Holiday World & Splashin' Safari
Humphrey's
Hungry Mother
IFF
Indigo Massage & Wellness
J.M. Interiors
Joe's Chili Bowl
Kakao Chocolate
John & Diane Kalishman
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Stephanie McKinney
Danielle McPherson
Melanie's
Allan & Nancy Meyers
Microsoft Corporation
Christopher & Aisha Miller
Missouri Botanical Garden
Missouri History Museum
Kenneth Charles Morrow
Museum of Transportation
Nachomama's
NewSpace
O'Connell's Pub
Panera Bread Company
Pasta House Executive Offices
Paul Manno's Ristorante
Vicki Phelan
Ande Pietoso
Pietro's Restaurant
Pilates + Yoga Studio
Pilates - Yoga Center of St. Louis
PJ's Tavern
Plowsharing Crafts
PRP Wine International
Jennah Purk
Reed Elementary School
Ronald Reim
Repertory Theatre Of St. Louis
Tracy Reust
Rothman Furniture Stores, Inc.
Jim & Jane Rubin
Saint Louis Alumnae Association of Kappa Delta Sorority
Saint Louis Bread Company
Saint Louis Philharmonic Orchestra
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St. Gabriel the Archangel School
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St. Louis Rams
St. Louis Science Center
St. Louis Symphony Orchestra
St. Louis Transplants
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Swing-A-Round Fun Town
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Kay Webb
Michael & Richelle Weisbrod
Neil Westfall & Amy Carol
White Buffalo Massage, LLC
Whitfield School
Whole Foods Market - Galleria
World Aquarium
Parker Almond, Inc. dba Parkers Table @ Oakland & Yale
Jeffery & Kathryn Yorg
MEMORIALS

In memory of Grace Lillian Longendyke
Casey & Carol Cain

In memory of Julie Connell
James J. Connell

In memory of Donald Nichols
Glen & Carolyn Cotta

In memory of Gary Gray’s Mother
Glen & Carolyn Cotta

In memory of Gene Rubin
John & Diane Kalishman
Jeffrey Lowell & Anne Kessen Lowell

In memory of Kamel Boustany
Henry & Jean Glass, Jr.*
Timothy & Sally Hanson*
Jeffrey Lowell & Anne Kessen Lowell
Michael & Tabby Mailhes*
William & Patricia Malkemus*
Mary McConnell*
St. Louis Alumnae Association of Kappa Delta Sorority*
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In memory of Ruth H. Drake
James Drake & Kathleen Ryan

In memory of Dr. William B. Ittner, III
Jeffrey Lowell & Anne Kessen Lowell

In memory of Ginny Luetje
Donald Luetje

In memory of Pat Moulton
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Mary Lou Peacher
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In memory of Grace Laughlin
Michael & Tabby Mailhes

In memory of John and Tina Niemann
Timothy & Debra Niemann

In memory of Barbara & David Torrence
Jay Pulford

In memory of Lenore Edwards
Jason Riney*

In memory of Doris Russo
Jason & Amy Wellen

In memory of Dorothy Lavgent
Jason & Amy Wellen

In memory of Elizabeth Howe
Edward & Kathy Young

In memory of Grace Laughlin
Michael & Tabby Mailhes

In memory of John and Tina Niemann
Timothy & Debra Niemann

In memory of Barbara & David Torrence
Jay Pulford

In memory of Lenore Edwards
Jason Riney*

In memory of Doris Russo
Jason & Amy Wellen

In honor of Al Meyers
Brian Ashworth

In honor of Carolynn Cotta
Robert & Myky Barnard
Michael & Beth Buchan
Phil & Stephanie Cotta
Leonard & Sheila Davis
Jean Goetz
William & Patricia Malkemus
Theodore C. Salster, III

In honor of Jim Bozikis’ 50th birthday
Judith Bozikis

In honor of Rhonda Carter Adams
Catherine Brand*
Carson Carrington*
Celeste Porter*
Daniela Prestes*

In honor of Bennett, Catherine & Madeline Hershey’s Birthdays
Maia Brodie
Richard & Marilyn Dredge
Neil & Wendy Hershey
Jeremy & Samantha Knudtson
Steven & Jodi McCarty
Mark McHale
Judy Meyer & John Gray
Shannon Lamar Moore
Chris & Catherine Papageorgio
Eduardo Sampaio Queen
Craig Sonnenberg
Traci Stisser
Timothy & Kimberly Westrich

In honor of Tim Burke
Bob & Rosemary Burke

In honor of Dr. Majella Doyle
Will & Marty Chapman
Surendra & Shalini Shenoy

In honor of Dr. Jason Wellen
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In honor of Dr. Clare Ridley & Dr. Yiing Lin
Will & Marty Chapman
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In memory of Anne Kessen Lowell & Dr. Jeffrey Lowell
Will & Marty Chapman
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In honor of Mrs. Tim Eberlein and Dr. & Mrs. Gregorio Sicard
Will & Marty Chapman

In honor of Richard Dark
Carolyn & Glen Cotta*

In honor of Patricia Reed
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In honor of the birth of Jenn Scheessele’s baby
Carolyn & Glen Cotta

In honor of Marilyn Morcom
David & Lorie Gierada

In honor of Cindy Bartell winning Kappa Delta’s Order of the Pearl
Timothy & Sally Hanson*

In honor of Anne McDonnell
Holly James

In honor of Glen Cotta for Father’s Day 2013
Scott & Sharon Kaufman*

In honor of Diane Kalishman
Luke & Kathryn Kissam

In honor of Michael Salevouris’ & Peggy Brockmann’s commitment to SouthSide
Allen & Debra Larson

In honor of Kelly Richert’s daughter
Gregory Goldberg & Olga Lubman

In honor of Nancy Seeker
Jay Pulford

In honor of Anne McDonnell
Chris & Catherine Rogerst

In honor of Will and Marty Chapman
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In honor of Dr. Miggie Greenberg
Thomas & Susan Torretta

In honor of Joan Wellen
Jason & Amy Wellen
In 1886, 15 courageous and determined Christian women took a stand for the most marginalized children in their city. No longer would mothers be forced to work or leave their children to the care of two very young children. These women formed, in the spirit of their time, a day nursery where mothers could prepare for work or work with young children on their hands to learn the art of living.

SouthSide was the first early childhood education program west of the Mississippi River to care for children whose parents worked long hours. From the beginning, we reflected the makeup of the community and welcomed children of every race, ethnicity, and income level.

Today, SouthSide children and their families are being provided quality early childhood education that leads to brighter futures for the entire St. Louis community.