

December 2017  
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## ANNUAL APPEAL

By now, you should have received our annual appeal for donations to Alice's Kids. The response so far has been good but we're hoping to raise a little more so we can help even more children next year. Indeed, our latest report indicates that we have served 838 children so far this year, easily eclipsing last year's mark of 683!

When Alice's Kids was formed, we pledged to ask for donations only once a year. This was in response to those of you who wanted to donate but were concerned that you would continue to get requests for money throughout the year. So, we ask only one time each year - and this is that time.

If you've been reading our newsletter, you know our little charity is growing by leaps and bounds and we are reaching more children than ever with our unique services. This is all possible because of the support we receive at this time of the year. So, we hope you consider making a donation either by mail or at our newly revised website at [www.aliceskids.org](http://www.aliceskids.org)

Be sure to check out our newly redesigned website!



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Don't let the holidays overwhelm you! Alice's Kids is holding it's  
5th Annual

***Wrap-It-Up for Alice's Kids***  
Just drop off your gifts and our caring volunteers will do the rest!  
This is a fun opportunity for teens to earn service hours  
***Alice's Kids Sign Up***

## The Children We've Helped

It's always hard to pick just one child that we helped during the month. Maybe it was the 13 year old boy whose glasses broke so he could not do his required reading. Or the child whose clothes were destroyed when her family was evicted. Maybe it was the 12 year old girl who wants to be a chef but could not afford the required uniform to attend a commercial baking lab. Then there were the two children who could not afford lice shampoo and were barred from school. But the one that really touched us was the emotionally challenged young man who decided to run for the Student Council. He came up with the idea of doing a campaign video and wanted to look "distinguished" in a suit but could not afford one. We helped him out and cannot wait to hear the results of the election!

## DONOR SPOTLIGHT

As we close out a successful year, we want to highlight all of *you*. Thanks to all of our supporters for your generosity and genuine compassion for the children we help.



We wish you all a very happy holiday season and a prosperous new year!

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## Wrap it Up

5th annual  
for  
**Alice's Kids**  
huge site!

Bring us your unwrapped gifts, and we'll do the rest!  
Saturday, December 16, 2017 from 12pm-4pm  
Good Shepherd Catholic Church  
8710 Mount Vernon Memorial Highway  
Alexandria VA 22309

Suggested donation is \$5 per gift  
All gift wrapping proceeds will go directly to Alice's Kids!

Alice's Kids provides individual assistance to children with an immediate need. Our goal is to raise the self-esteem of the child through small acts of kindness.

Wrapping gifts for Alice's Kids is a meaningful and fun way for teens to earn service hours! Go to this Sign Up Genius link to volunteer.



[www.aliceskids.org](http://www.aliceskids.org)



<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/2014-2015-2016-wrap>

"A little help can go a long way."

Good Shepherd Youth and Young Adult Ministries will also be offering babysitting services Saturday, December 16, 2017 from 12 - 4 by the WorkCamp teens!

(click on flyer to view .pdf)

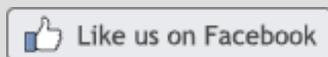
Vote 4 ...

A young man wanted to look distinguished for his student council campaign but could not afford a suit.

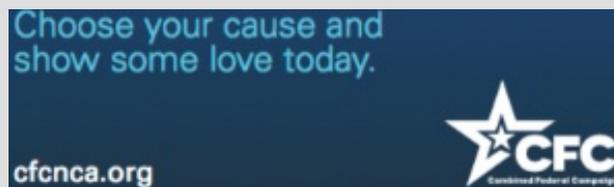


Alice's Kids helped!

## Donate to Alice's Kids



Please consider Alice's Kids for your CFC contribution!



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EIN#452390871 To assist children in need through small acts of kindness. Provide goods and services to children referred by schools and social service agencies. 31.3% 0

*Alice's Kids is a non-profit organization that seeks to enhance the self-esteem of children in need by providing them with targeted individual assistance to facilitate their participation in scholastic, recreational and social activities.*

