

# Next Step Ministries

*A Safe Haven from Domestic Violence*

July 1, 2022

Dear Knights of Columbus,

Thank you for choosing Next Step ministries for your monetary gift of **\$500** on **6.21.2022** from a private fundraiser. We truly appreciate the support of our community.

Because of you, we are able to offer the following services:

- *Emergency shelter for those in imminent danger*
- *Court/legal advocacy for protective orders*
- *Safety Planning*
- *Support Group – Healing from abuse*
- *Assistance in finding permanent housing*
- *24-hour Crisis Hotline*
- *Trauma Counseling*
- *Assistance in obtaining employment*
- *Financial stability workshops*
- *Medical advocacy*

In 2021, Next Step provided services for 75 sheltered clients, 94 non-residential clients, and provided crisis intervention services for 1,891 individuals that called our 24/7 Crisis Hot Line which was an increase of 400 calls from the previous year. Of those 169 clients served, 76 were Kernersville residents.

Together, we are changing lives. From all of us here at Next Step Ministries, *Thank You.*

With Appreciation,



Patty Sorrells, MA  
Executive Director, Next Step Ministries

*This was  
so kind so you  
to think of us!  
Thank you!  
Patty*

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