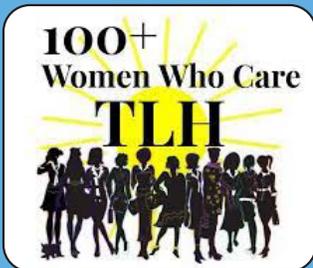


# ANNUAL REPORT 2021

## Lee's Place



### Community Support Shines in 2021

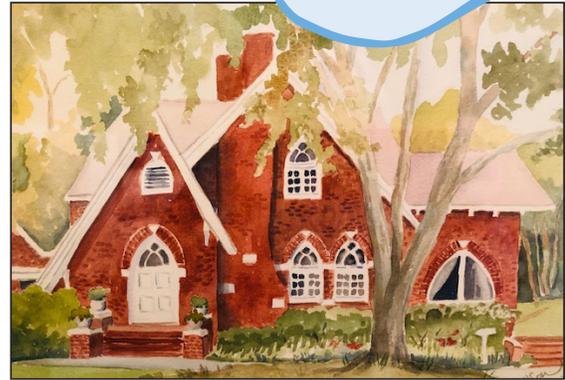


Lee's Place was the very fortunate recipient of a \$24,000 grant from the local chapter of 100 Women Who Care. With this donation, Lee's Place was able to have the exterior of our building

repainted. This type of maintenance is quite costly and could not have been done without the grant provided. The local support of our Tallahassee community is so meaningful and indicative of how our services are valued. We were also able to purchase a few furnishings to replace our well-loved sofas and chairs. While the furnishings we purchased are beautiful, and they are "new to us," they were not purchased at market cost. Creating an atmosphere of comfort and relaxation is an integral component of the therapeutic experience at Lee's Place.

#### *Thank you Maclay School Key Club Volunteers*

A group of Maclay School Key Club members volunteered one Saturday to pull weeds, clean out overgrown shrubs and lay pine straw. They brought smiles and energy to the tasks at hand! We are appreciative of their service and time.



#### **Thank you to our donors and grantors**

Lee's Place has been so fortunate in having a dedicated group of volunteers who have maintained our garden for several years. They often come in the mornings to weed, water, plant and trim as well as spread mulch! Our garden "fairies" are efficient and committed to creating the healing and calming environment that is an integral part of the Lee's Place mission. We are so grateful to them all!

#### **The American Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers Association**

awarded Lee's Place a \$10,000 grant to serve individuals and families of divorce or domestic violence. Lee's Place has been a recipient of this grant for many years and we are so grateful to this organization for its ongoing confidence in our services. This grant enables Lee's Place to provide 58 free sessions to clients who meet the criteria.

#### **The RoyOMartin Foundation**

granted \$30,000.00 to help offset the cost of providing affordable therapeutic sessions to our community. The RoyOMartin Foundation has been a generous grantor for many years.

# A Client's Story of Resilience and Growth



Twenty-year-old “Jennifer” came to Lee’s Place to address school stress, high anxiety around academic performance, difficulty sleeping and conflictual relationships with college roommates. During the initial intake session, it was learned that Jennifer had been in a highly volatile and abusive relationship from the ages of 16 to 19 years. This relationship included emotional manipulation, physical and sexual violence. Leaving for college was her escape from the relationship but she was unaware of how the violence had impacted her functioning in almost every arena. During the next year of consistent therapy, Jennifer built a trusting relationship with her therapist and addressed the shame she felt as well as the hypervigilance which developed as a result of the abusive relationship. Understanding the context of her perfectionism was very helpful in developing more compassion for herself as well as challenging the beliefs which contributed to a drive to be as perfect as possible. Identifying the characteristics of a healthy relationship was key to building self-confidence. She was able to evaluate friendships and romantic relationships through a new lens built on trust and safety.

Part of Jennifer’s therapy was supported by a grant from the American Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers Association (AAMLf) who has supported Lee’s Place for many years. Jennifer was able to afford the remainder of her therapy because of our sliding fee scale. Without grants from generous foundations such as the AAMLf and community donors, clients such as Jennifer could not afford the life changing therapy she received at Lee’s Place.

## 2021 BOARD

Brenda Rabalais, *President/Interim Chair*

Jonathan Rees, *Treasurer*

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*The Lee’s Place board has been meeting monthly via Zoom for the last year for safety.*

*We are very grateful for the continued dedication of this great group of volunteers.*

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## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION December 31, 2021

ASSETS	
<b>Current Assets</b>	
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 193,725
Accounts Receivable	2,335
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<u>196,060</u>
<b>Property and equipment, net</b>	429,101
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<u><u>\$ 625,161</u></u>
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	
<b>Current Liabilities</b>	
Accounts Payable	\$ 0
<b>Net Assets</b>	
Unrestricted	<u>625,161</u>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>	<u><u>\$ 625,161</u></u>

\*Slight variations may occur after accountant finalization of Form 990

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## ONGOING SUPPORT FROM AQUAFEATURES

Buzz Ireland maintains our lovely pond. He and his staff show up quietly and consistently to keep our fish and plants healthy. We are so grateful!



JUNE 2022

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## Did You Know:

We served 302 people in our community who were struggling with a tragic loss in 2021

We provided 1720 sessions in 2021

We had 48 volunteers at Lee's Place working in our garden and in the Director of Development office

### LEE'S PLACE MISSION

To provide quality therapy to adults, children and families regardless of their financial circumstances, who are coping with loss, trauma and life changing experiences while offering specialized training and education to the community.