



BETHANY CHRISTIAN SERVICES of GREENVILLE, SC

This month we invite you to learn how you may support Bethany by organizing your own Bethany fundraiser.

Want to support Bethany Christian Services but don't feel you can afford to? Why not organize an old-fashioned



or



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Or, how about coming up with another unique way to help us raise the funds needed to continue to provide services to the upstate of South Carolina? Your kids can get involved, and you can have a lot of fun while assisting Bethany in our ministry to children and families.

Please Pray for . . .

- Two birthmoms who are dealing with lots of grief since placing their babies with adoptive families
- Guidance in our birthfather situations: locating the ones we can't find and getting those we have located to come in.

Praise Reports . . .

- The many baby items received through the Baby Shower at the Winter Jam Concert.
- Responses to the request for the donation of a car seat for our office.

Statements Made by Birthparents:

"I can't imagine 'giving up' my baby."

"By making an adoption plan, I am saying that I love my baby enough to do what I think is best for him/her. It is about planning and what is best for the child. While it is very difficult and a tremendous loss for me, I view it as giving my child a better life than I can give him/her right now. It is about what is best for my child—not what is best for me."



Pastor's Breakfasts

Eleven pastors/church staff attended a breakfast on February 20 to learn more about Bethany. If you are a pastor, youth pastor, missions director, or church leader, and you missed our last breakfast, the next two breakfasts have been scheduled for **Thursday, April 3** and **Wednesday, May 7**, from 8 to 9 a.m. at the Greenville office. Please call us at 235.2273 to reserve your spot.

2007 STATISTICS for Bethany office in SC:

Domestic Adoptive Placements	24
International Placements	12
Counseling Cases Opened	55
Hotline Calls	441
Pregnancy Tests	87
Foster Care Placements	12
Public Relations Events	544
Clothes Closet Requests Filled	333
Abortion Calls	548

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