2015 Highlights

Outreach
- 15,968 Contacts
- 6,096 Services Provided
- 753 Referred to Shelter
- 15,968 encounters with individuals who were homeless and on the streets, helping many people to access shelter and emergency services.

Basic Services
- 10,639 Different Guests
- 4,586 First Time Guests
- 89,416 Units of Clothing Given Out

Volunteers
- 19,315 Volunteer hours
- 811 Guests Daily (avg)
- 11 Full-Time Staff

Employment
- 1,805 Served
- 398 Full-Time Jobs

Social Services
- 5,440 Services Provided
- 2,426 Guests Served

Health/Wellness
- 2,295 Visits
- 987 Patients

Housing
- 324 Housing Units Accessed

The St. Francis Outreach team had 15,968 encounters with individuals who were homeless and on the streets, helping many people to access shelter and emergency services.

Social Services provides services such as help with IDs/birth certificates, RTD bus fare, long distance phone calls, local transportation, and information/referrals.

The health clinic served 987 guest patients who made 2,295 different visits and 1,563 visits to our mental wellness office.
Dear friends,

Hope! We live in hope at St. Francis Center. Our guests are a hopeful group of people in spite of the challenges they live with. It is hope that allows them and many of us to face each day and believe that it will be better or at least as good as the day before. The challenge of St. Francis Center with our staff, volunteers, and guests is to keep hope alive.

There were many ways we kept hope alive for those we served in 2015. One important way was being awarded $9.5 million worth of tax credits, which will assist SFC in building a 50-unit apartment building providing supportive housing for people who have lived on the streets. When construction finishes in the fall of 2017, we will open the Saint Francis Apartments at Cathedral Square, near the corner of 14th and Washington, completing paths of hope on journeys home.

Another way SFC inspired hope in 2015, was through expanding our office of Mental Health Services, in order to attend to the ever-increasing number of people who are facing mental health challenges. These guests are some of our most vulnerable clients and sometimes the most desperate for some shred of hope. The care SFC offers this group of people through our staff and volunteers can be the thread of hope that holds them together each day.

With your support, in 2016, we will continue to pursue our goal of caring for those who are most vulnerable and in need of hope. We are sincerely grateful for your partnering with us!

With Gratitude,

Tom Luehrs

The mission of St. Francis Center is to reveal God’s love for humanity by providing a safe place for people who are homeless in Metro Denver to meet their basic needs for day-to-day survival while offering them assistance to transition out of homelessness.