



MINNESOTA COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

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Oak Grove Presbyterian Church
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Dear Friends at Oak Grove Presbyterian Church,

There are no words sufficient to thank you for your extraordinary generosity toward our newly arrived refugee and Afghan parolee families. You know very well while they arrive with just a suitcase per person, their hearts are full of hope. During these very challenging times, your timely 2021 donation of:

- **Cub Food Gift Cards totaling \$1,000**
- **Target Gift Cards totaling \$1,000**

welcomes those fleeing persecution around the globe into new lives of freedom, hope and opportunity here in Minnesota.

Minnesota Council of Churches Refugee Services provides high quality services to these newest refugee neighbors, walking with them as they establish their new lives in our communities. We could not do this without your help and partnership. With your donation, you join MCC Refugee Services in extending welcome to the newest refugees who seek to call Minnesota home.

We thank you for your generosity and your demonstrated care for our refugee clients. We invite you to follow the latest news on MCC Refugee Services' work at our Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/mcc.refugeeservices.

With gratitude for your partnership in the ministry of welcoming refugees,

Kathryn Berger
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