



Scott  
MISSION

# 2021 ANNUAL MINISTRY REPORT

THANK YOU for sharing meals, help, and hope throughout 2021 with Toronto's hungry, hurting, and homeless individuals!

**In 2021, you helped provide 126,137 meals, 14,600 nights of shelter, and more than 34,889 orders of groceries . . . along with a wide array of vital new programs to bring transformation into the lives of our most vulnerable neighbours!**



## OUR VISION PRAYER

Poverty in full retreat,  
flourishing for all, in  
Toronto and beyond.

## MARKS OF THE MISSION

We're a community that continually  
seeks to be:

- Centred in and dependent  
on Jesus Christ
- Gracious, generous,  
and collaborative in  
our relationships
- Servant-hearted,  
innovative, and  
professional in our work
- Rooted in God's  
rescuing work in history

## BOARD MEMBERS

Susan VanderSpek, *Board Chair*

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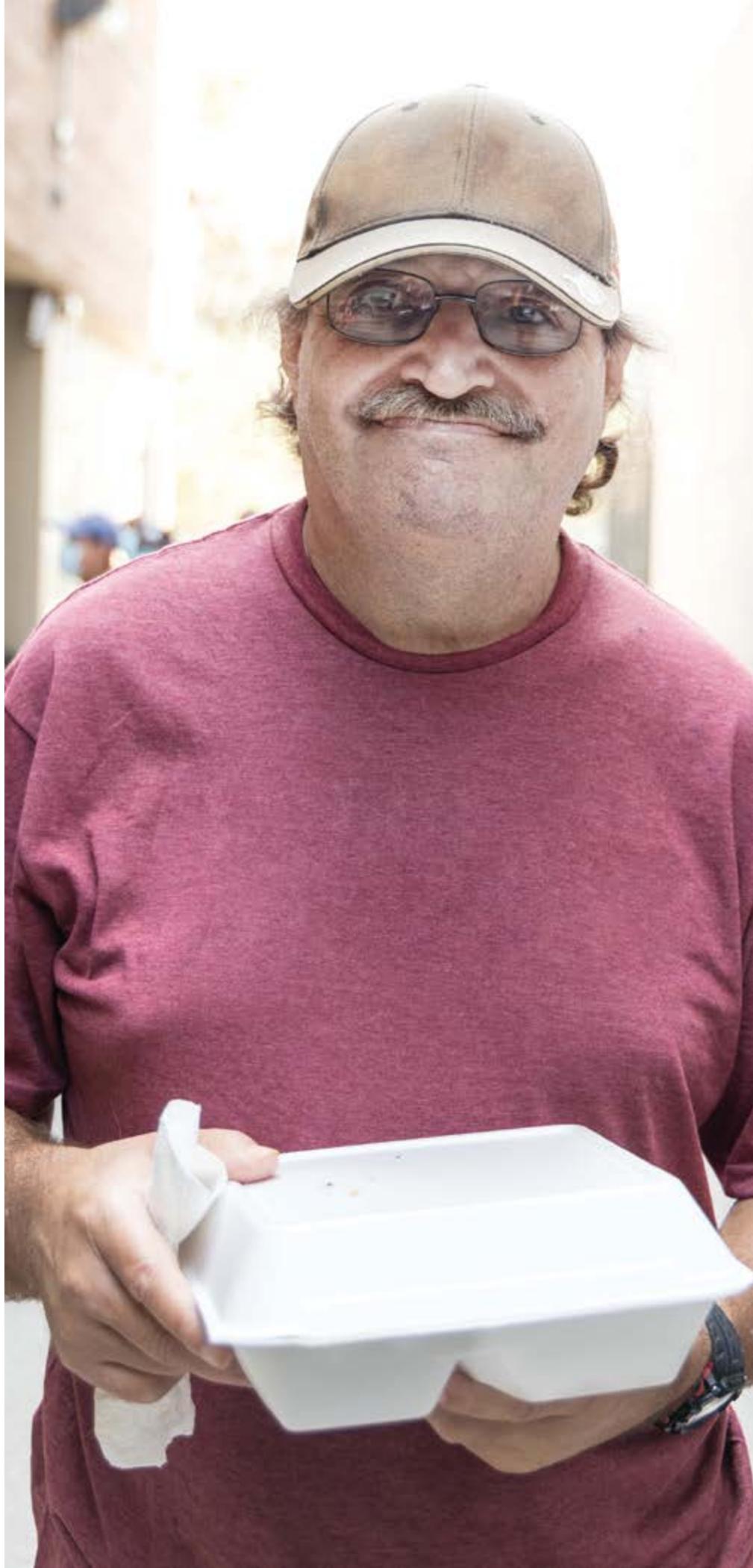
Raphael Dasselaar

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# Thank you

## for sheltering the homeless

For eight decades, Scott Mission has offered safe shelter, a bed, shower, hot meal, clothes, and compassion to men who had no choice but to sleep on our city streets.

In response to the incredible need wrought by the lingering pandemic, Scott Mission expanded shelter services to be available 24/7 to the hundreds of people turning to the Mission each day for a meal, help, and hope. Each one is deeply thankful for friends and donors who care, like Abel,\* who says, “God bless Scott Mission’s donors. We pray and thank God for them.”

**Thank you for your support that impacts lives like Abel’s each day! With your ongoing partnership, Scott Mission will continue to provide meals, clothing, spiritual healing, counselling, and more for people who are hungry, hurting, homeless, and without hope.**

**“God bless the Mission’s donors!” —ABEL**

*\*Name and photo changed for privacy*



## THE IMPACT OF YOUR GIFTS

Your kind support provides urgent needs services and the tools to rebuild. Thank you for meeting the needs of so many families and individuals through—



**14,600** nights of shelter for homeless men



**126,137** hot, nutritious meals



**34,889** orders of groceries



Over **10,545** visits for clothing



## *YOU shared hope and long-term solutions*

For decades, Scott Mission has offered life-saving urgent needs services—shelter, food, and other help to our neighbours in great need. But 2021 saw important expansion and additional services to help people move beyond urgent needs to achieve true life transformation.

Your compassion and generosity helped launch new initiatives that position Scott Mission to make a greater and lasting impact in more lives in the years ahead:

- **Clinical Counselling** – pilot program
- **Case Management** – staff trained in trauma-informed care
- **Spiritual Nurture** – an initiative by staff to provide spiritual support to clients
- **Facility Renovations** – plans are in place for significant changes to our main facility on Spadina Avenue

**Thank you for being part of the forward momentum that will reach the most vulnerable among us with the tools and encouragement that spark life transformation!**



***“Thank you to the donors for being so giving, and so caring, to people in need.”*** —A GRATEFUL NEIGHBOUR

**“Scott Mission  
has been a great  
thing for me.”**

**—A SCOTT MISSION  
CAMPER**

**Thank you for  
*investing***

***in our young people!***

Your generous support has equipped Scott Mission to be a lifeline to under-resourced children for decades. Between after-school programs, our beloved summer camps, and leadership programs, generations of young people have learned of God’s love and found a better path in life. And after COVID-19 caused Scott Mission Camp to be cancelled in 2020, plunging many of our children and teens into painful isolation, we were all too excited to be reunited with them in 2021.

We are thankful that our counsellors and young leaders were able to swiftly adapt to continue leading and encouraging children, youth, and teens through virtual and in-person outreaches that included camp, after-school, mentorship, and leadership programs.

**With your ongoing support, Scott Mission will continue to help young people develop character, grow in their faith, and equip them to make choices that will put them on a better path *for life!***



## Ways to deliver **HOPE** to *neighbours in need*



### Join the Good Samaritan Monthly Giving Circle to Impact Lives Every Day of the Year!

The Good Samaritan Monthly Giving Circle is a special group of caring donors who commit to a recurring monthly gift to provide a foundation of support that positions Scott Mission to meet the urgent needs of neighbours who are hungry, hurting, and homeless. It's a convenient and safe way for you to support the ministry through pre-authorized monthly gifts, providing a steady and reliable source of funding, while also lowering administrative costs so more of every dollar goes into life-changing services and programs!

To obtain more information on your recourse rights, contact your financial institution or visit [www.cdnpay.ca](http://www.cdnpay.ca).

**For more information on our Monthly Giving Circle, please contact Maureen Makohin. Telephone: 416.923.2400 or E-mail: [donate@scottmission.com](mailto:donate@scottmission.com)**

### Consider Including Scott Mission in your Estate Plans

By including Scott Mission in your will and estate plans, you can provide a lasting legacy that will continue to impact your neighbours in need and your community. These generous gifts ensure that those who are in need in Toronto will receive food, shelter, and spiritual help far into the future.

**For more information on Scott Mission's Legacy Society, please contact Kendra Hickton. Telephone: 416.923.2400 or E-mail: [khickton@scottmission.com](mailto:khickton@scottmission.com)**

### Volunteers are Vital

Volunteer positions remain very limited due to pandemic measures, however, we hope to expand soon. Please visit [scottmission.com/volunteer](http://scottmission.com/volunteer) for up-to-date information!

Thanks for donating gifts-in-kind (e.g. food and clothing)! For more information on drop-off days and times, visit [scottmission.com/urgent](http://scottmission.com/urgent)



**SOMETHING NEW**—Throughout this Annual Report you'll see reflections of our new look and an introduction to the many new programs and services launched in 2021 (see page 4). Thank you for standing with Scott Mission to continue sharing the mercy and love of Christ with all who are in need.

## ***YOU delivered help and hope throughout another challenging year . . .***

Dear Friend,

The compassionate outpouring of friends like you throughout 2021 makes this Annual Report a privilege to share. There isn't room to tell the story of every family and individual who made it through another difficult season because they received help with meals and groceries, safe refuge, and Christ-centered programs and services from Scott Mission . . .

Ours is a community that continues to adapt and change, even as the pandemic maintains a looming presence in all our lives. Uplifting others who are struggling to feed themselves and their loved ones, while also sharing hope with those who despair, is the very least we can do.

But needs remain high in Toronto. So, to position Scott Mission to better help neighbours in the days ahead, we have expanded shelter services to 24/7, added clinical counselling and case management to promote health and healing, and are making significant changes to our main facility on Spadina Avenue.

These changes require us to move into another location for the time being, but we will continue and expand our outreach—including provision for food, safe refuge, showers and laundry, spiritual support, and other critical care—without interruption.

Please accept my sincere thanks for your prayers and ongoing support so we can extend vital resources as we share the mercy and love of Christ with all who are struggling.

For our neighbours in need,

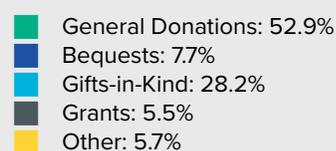
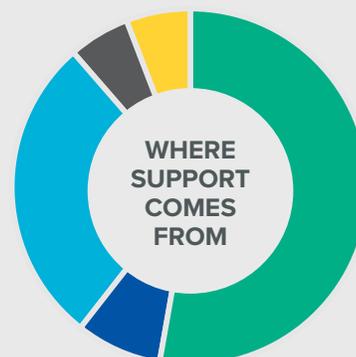
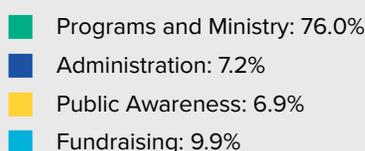
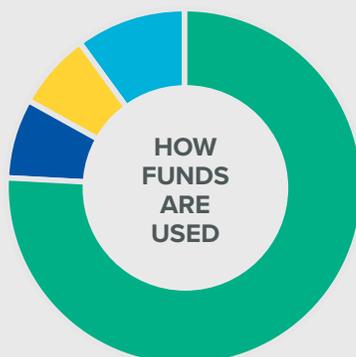


**Peter Duraisami**  
*Chief Executive Officer, Scott Mission*



## **OUR 2021 FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

For our detailed financial statements, please visit [scottmission.com](http://scottmission.com) or call 416.923.2400.



Thank you for sharing meals and encouragement throughout 2021!

**Your partnership is a beacon of hope for our struggling neighbours.**



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*“For I was hungry and you gave me food,  
I was thirsty and you gave me drink.” —Matthew 25:35 ESVUK*



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