



DISCOVER THE POSSIBILITIES

I thank my God every time I remember you, constantly praying with joy in every one of my prayers for all of you, because of your sharing in the gospel from the first day until now. — Philippians 1:3-11

To our friends and partners in the **Central/Southern Illinois Synod** where Mosaic provides services out of Macomb and Pontiac,

2019 was a year of growth and gratitude for Mosaic. In times of dramatic change, we're encouraged by God's continued grace and remain grateful for your synod's commitment to ministry with and among people with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

- We're pleased to partner with dozens of churches to support church hubs, which provide opportunities for people with and without disabilities to spend their days building relationships and community. These connections are key to the health and wellness of all people. *To learn more about our community hubs, visit mosaicinfo.org/church-hubs.*
- At the end of 2018, we released a report that detailed just how much social connections and other factors influence people's health. It may seem ground-breaking, but we're not surprised. We've known for a long time that God's people belong in community with each other. *To read the full report, visit mosaicinfo.org/qualityreport.*
- Rejoicing Spirits, which helps congregations support people with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their loved ones in worship, continues to grow and evolve. More than 50 congregations across the nation participate in this transformative ministry. *To learn more about this unique ministry, visit rejoicingspirits.org.*
- Mosaic also announced the acquisition of Soreo in November. Soreo provides in-home supports to Arizonans with intellectual disabilities and older adults who want to remain in their homes. This new ministry is a natural way for us to continue to love and serve our neighbors in need. *To learn more, visit soreo.com/in-home-support.*

We are continually impressed by the generosity of so many faithful donors and volunteers across the nation who support our mission. It is a deep joy of mine to ask new and long-term donors why they continue to give. More often than not, their answer centers around gratitude for all they have been given by God and a commitment to serve God's people. This gratitude and commitment strengthens and sustains our employees, contractors and the people we support.

Thank you,

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