April 2020

Dear ______________,

A million reasons why...JFCS is Here For All. Always.
Jewish Family and Children’s Service of Minneapolis is responding to the critical needs of our community during this challenging time, as we have since 1910. We have been quick to innovate our service model so that no one is neglected or turned away, whether they are a current client, or seeking service for the first time.

The extension of Minnesota’s Stay at Home mandate is causing many in our community to face sudden and extreme hardship. Increased mental health challenges, job and income loss, along with rent, medical expenses, car and utility payments coming due, means **now more than ever**, people are turning to JFCS for help.

A million reasons why... JFCS is the source people turn to for boundless compassion and exceptional care
Amid the COVID-19 pandemic, we distributed Passover Food Bags to families in need of food for the holiday. We responded to a request from isolated residents at Sholom, delivering games, books, and cards to lift their spirits. Our staff of licensed social workers, psychologists, case workers and employment counselors remain steadfast in meeting needs as they respond to requests for Emergency Financial Assistance, Mental Health Support, Career Assistance and Food Security.

A million reasons why...your support sustains our programs and services for thousands
Your gift to the JFCS Give2020 Campaign contributes to our fundraising goal of $2.5 million. With your help, we will sustain our programs and services that reach over 14,000 people—a number expected to grow in these unprecedented times. As a dedicated donor, or if you are considering a first-time gift, your support is needed and very appreciated. Thank you for your last gift of ____________, please consider increasing your gift to ___________ for Give2020.

A million reasons why...we are grateful
Thank you for generously supporting our community, and Jewish Family and Children’s Service of Minneapolis.

Sincerely,

Rhonda Stein
Give2020 Campaign Chair