

# the DREAMHOUSE

A lot happening in August!



With her summer classes completed, **Elaysia** now has her official high school diploma in hand and has already landed an amazing job at the Catherine Hershey School for Early Learning as a Teacher Assistant!

Persevering through a season of equipping and healing, **Zinniah** has hit her six month mark at the Dream House and now has begun a care giving job with Angels on Call! She also has successfully been working towards her goal of raising money for her Puerto Rico mission trip coming up in October. She is hosting a paint night on Friday that should help her secure the rest of the funds!

*Thank you to everyone who contributed towards her mission trip!*



**Angie** has been working for Allied Security as a Security officer for one month now and has already been promoted to a Patrol Officer! She also recently received her license after a flawless driving test!

**Heather** has successfully transitioned into “mom life” as her baby boy Xalin is two months old now. She also recently got her drivers license! She has now returned to work as a caregiver with Red Lion Home Care.





**Kimberly** moved out of Brethren Housing and into her own apartment...just in time for her baby girl to enter the world on August 16th at 2:37am. Shannon had the honor of being there for her during the whole hospital stay and giving sweet Rosalynn some of her first snuggles!

**Thank you again to everyone who gifted Kimberly and Rosalynn with everything they needed!**

And a special thank you to **Melissa Roma, Nancy Bauman, Debra Nock, and Missy Brooks** for providing meals for Kimberly now that she is home!

## Birth Pains

**"Jesus!"** she yells in pain as the contraction comes on stronger than before. "Jesus is here with you. He is really here," I assure her. And as I hold her hand in mine, I think back about two weeks ago as we all sat together at Growth Group. We discussed the intimate relationship Jesus desires to have with each of us and the unique ways He speaks to us. We shared a moment of silence to hear from the Lord and we encouraged her, then 38 weeks pregnant.

**"I saw Jesus literally right there with you in the hospital room holding your hand,"** one of the young ladies shared with her. Jesus is so present at the Dream House. He is speaking. He is moving. He is present. And just like those labor pains, it's not easy. There is real pain. Real emotion. Tough stuff. But the amazing birth of the dreams, the identity, the hope is worth it. Because, no matter what, **He is here.**

## Sponsor Campaign

For the second half of 2023, we are initiating a campaign that will allow donors to give towards specific areas of the ministry. Would you consider giving a gift to help cover one of the following?

### BUILDING EXPENSE

We have around \$45,000 in debt on our building and we are believing we can raise the funds to pay off this debt!

### COUNSELING

Faith-based counseling for our participants

### DINNER & FOOD EXPENSES

We have a family dinner every Thursday as well as meals together at other times during the week.

Would you consider making a gift to support any of these areas of our ministry?

Checks can be mailed to:

PA Dream House, Inc.  
EIN #: 87-1985490

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