



Since 1978, CROS Ministries has brought people of different faiths, civic groups, and members

of our community to work together effectively towards the common goal of alleviating hunger. Hunger affects children, single mothers, seniors, individuals, people with disabilities, the homeless, and families with low incomes. This is the population we serve, and it is close to 200,000 people in our community.

Our hunger programs are designed to provide food to people living in at-risk communities so they can use their limited resources on other basic needs, such as medicine and housing.

For more information on how you can become involved, please contact us by email at jgoode@crosmministries.org or call our office at 561-233-9009 x110.

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2016 Impact Report

CROS Ministries provided assistance through these Ministries

Ministry to Eliminate Hunger

- Community Food Pantries distributed food to 58,917 individuals, 35% of whom were children.
- The Caring Kitchen served 85,260 meals.
- Cason UMC distributed 15,360 brown bag weekend lunches.
- CROS Gleaning harvested 411,140 pounds of fresh produce which was distributed to 100 local food programs by the Palm Beach County Food Bank (2015-2016 gleaning season).



Ministry to Support Children and Families



- 198 children participated in our summer camp program focused on school readiness.
- 45 children participated in a pilot two-week Christmas camp program.
- Nutrition in a Knapsack provided weekend bags of food to 275 students (2015-2016 school year).
- CROS After School Snack program provided 24,180 afterschool snacks in Delray Beach and West Palm Beach.

Ministry Encouraging Self-Sufficiency

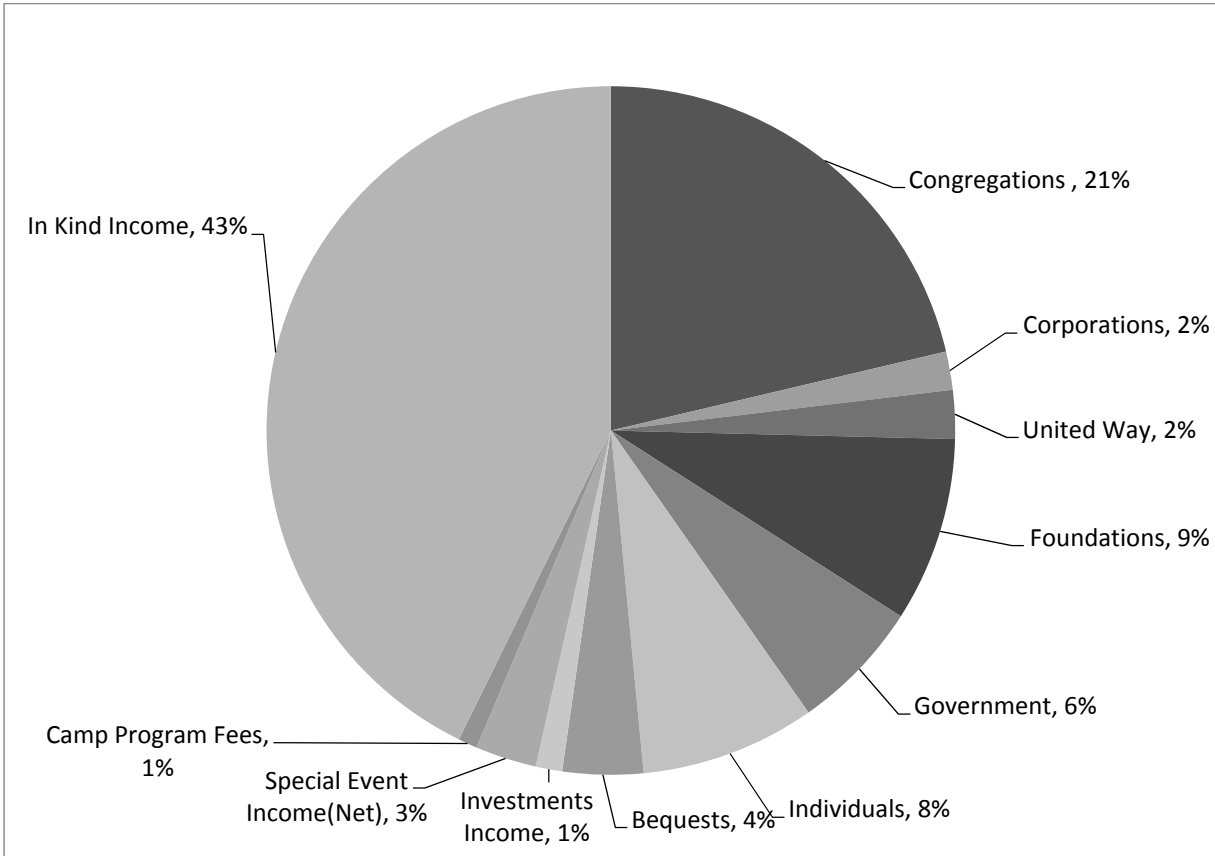
- The Caring Kitchen provided 16,354 referrals and services for basic needs.
- CROS volunteers helped 79 people apply online for government benefits including SNAP (food stamps), Medicaid, and temporary cash assistance.

Mission

CROS Ministries serves the hungry in Palm Beach and Martin Counties through community collaborations.

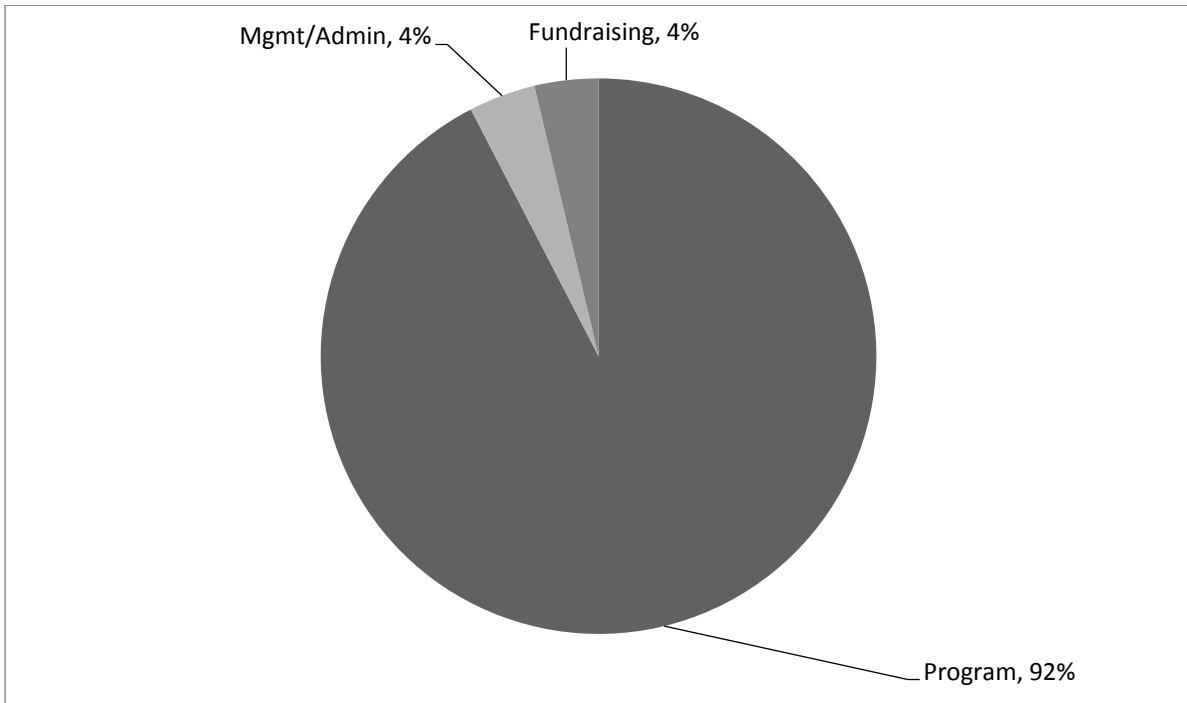
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**CROS Ministries FY Ending December 31, 2016
Revenue FY 2016**



Please note: These figures are from 2016 unadjusted, unaudited financial statements.

Expenses FY 2016



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