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#### **Mission Statement:**

"The purpose of OMI is to instill resiliency skills through education and developing life skills to "atrisk" youth in hopes that they will become productive members of society.

To provide opportunities that will focus on the entire mind, body, soul and spirit."

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## Thankfulness:

How our family is thankful this year

**Paris Pettiford**: "I'm thankful for my family. They are always there for me when I need them to be"





**Whitney Milson**: "I am thankful for my family, good health, and my faith that has carried me through this tumultuous year."

**Keira Gilmore**: "I'm most thankful for Lori Morgenroth; a Chemistry teacher at ECHS in San Antonio and has gone above and beyond to help me this year. Without her I most definitely would not have graduated high school or gone to college."





**Cecil Bundick**: "I'm most thankful for my grandparents; for everything they have done for me in my life. I love you guys!"

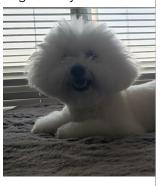
#### **Note From President:**



I would like to take a minute to encourage everyone in this season of thankfulness to find

something to be grateful for. Although this year has has insurmountable highs and lows and we have faced an environment that has caused depression, isolation, and loss of friends and family we can still try to find the good in something. We are here for you and thankful that we get to see another day to keep going with the mission and saving lives and bringing hope. We have some exciting changes for 2021 so stay tuned. One thing that I am thankful for is the smile on my dog Zacki's face every time I get ready to take

him for a walk. Post a picture on our Instagram on what you are thankful for #thankful and you might get featured next



month. Have a wonderful Thanksgiving with friends and family even if it is virtual. This is only temporary and we will get back together shortly. Please stay safe and God Bless.

# Welcome Daphne'!

Daphne' has over seventeen years in the social services field.
Daphne' serves as the Director of Programs for a local nonprofit. She is responsible for the operational success of the agency where she works ensuring seamless team management and development, program delivery, and quality control and evaluation.
Daphne's coursework at



Oklahoma State University in Human Development and Family Science introduced her to the concepts of viewing the family in a world perspective, professional skills, and ethics within the field of human services while fueling her interests in family policies, laws, and advocacy. Daphne' is also credentialed as a Christian nonprofit leader. Daphne aligns her education and personal experiences with her personal life mission, "With love and compassion, I lead others to grow to their maximum potential and fulfill their purpose." Daphne' is excited to join OMI to help connect and collaborate with other entities that align with the mission of OMI and hopefully develop relationships to help grow the impact that OMI has locally in the DFW area.

# **Amazon Smile:**

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