

## mission statement

Because we believe that life is sacred, an inherent gift from a loving Creator, and that all children are of equal worth, we dedicate ourselves to maximizing the potential of every child by providing excellent pediatric medical and rehabilitative services in a compassionate environment consistent with the Christian principles on which we were founded.

## core values

At Bethany Children's Health Center, our words and actions must be in alignment with these values if we are to accomplish the mission established in our history and promoted daily within the organization.

### Service

Thoughtfully putting the needs of others first.

### Integrity

Consistently doing the right thing.

### Compassion

Lovingly investing in the hurts of others.

### Excellence

Consistently doing our very best.

### Stewardship

Productively using our available resources.



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## anchored in hope

6800 NW 39th Expy Bethany, OK 73008  
405.789.6711 | [bethanychildrens.org](http://bethanychildrens.org)

## outpatient clinic

6800 NW 39th Expy Bethany, OK 73008

M-F: 8 am - 4:30 pm  
Saturday & Sunday: Closed

Direct: 405.440.9866  
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## community pharmacy

6770 NW 39th Expy Bethany, OK 73008

M-F: 8:30 am - 5 pm  
Saturday & Sunday: Closed

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**culture**



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The Bethany Children's Health Center logo features the colors of our Core Values and an upward movement that symbolizes the limitless potential of patients, families and dedicated staff. When this potential and growth are driven by faith, hope and love, God provides the needed resources.

The logo's shape embodies both patient and staff. The heart represents our dedicated and loving staff, while the flower represents the potential and beauty of each child. We are dedicated to the flowering of each child into their full potential.

### **why mission + culture**

To preserve, promote and help assimilate the Mission Statement, Core Values and Guiding Principles established by our founder, Mattie Mallory, Bethany Children's Health Center provides strong leadership and support for this effort.

To ensure that Bethany Children's Health Center remains true to the founder's legacy and continues to live out the healing ministry of Christ, Mission & Culture utilizes monthly campaigns promoting our historical Christian roots.

### **founding principles**

#### **The Sanctity of Life**

Mattie Mallory demonstrated a strong commitment to the sanctity of life. Bethany Children's Health Center has embraced this

strong, unwavering commitment to the sanctity of life and incorporated it into the Mission Statement that guides us now and into the future.

#### **The Call of God**

Mattie Mallory's writings clearly testify to "The Call of God" in her life. Bethany Children's Health Center attracts employees who are also called by God to serve children. Working at Bethany Children's goes beyond a career, as the Call of God transforms duties into a ministry of loving service and sacred trust.

#### **God will Provide**

Mattie Mallory's belief and reliance upon the Sovereign Lord was evident in her life and writings. From the very beginning, God powerfully proved His tender love and generous provision on behalf of the children. The guiding principle that "God will provide" has been evident throughout the history of this organization.

### **history**

*"We began the work with only six dollars, faith in God and His promise under our feet, and God has proved himself true over and over again."* – Mattie Mallory, Founder

In the summer of 1897, a dedicated young woman named Mattie Mallory was changing trains in Oklahoma City en route to a Canadian mission when she received a call from God to "stop here" to care for orphaned and homeless children in need. Mattie stated, "The burden grew until God said, 'Go and open the work and trust me.' Relying on Him alone, no money of my own, a stranger in a strange land, no financial board behind me, only God and the Faith he implanted in my heart, we opened the work in 1898." Mattie Mallory founded the Oklahoma Orphanage, which eventually became Bethany Children's Health Center.

In the early years, Mattie and the children moved to several locations in Oklahoma City. Their final move came on May 12, 1909, when a tiny procession set out to appraise a blackjack grove thick with underbrush. Mattie purchased those 200 acres at the current site of Bethany Children's Health Center and in December of 1909, construction began on a two-story home for orphans.

Bethany Children's Health Center has transitioned over the years to meet the needs of children. From serving as an orphanage to providing convalescent care for children and now offering outstanding inpatient pediatric rehabilitation and 24-hour complex care, the call to serve children has remained. Today, Bethany Children's Health Center is a private, non-profit hospital that is continuing to grow to meet the needs of children in Oklahoma and beyond. In addition to rehabilitation and complex care, the Hospital also offers pediatric primary care, outpatient therapy services, and community outreach programs that focus on safety and health for children and families.

To learn more about Bethany Children's Health Center's history, culture and services, please visit our website at [www.bethanychildrens.org](http://www.bethanychildrens.org) or scan the qr code below.

