**NGAB 2019 Highlights**

* The 2019 NGAB members: Teresa Sullivan (Chair), Jake Schlater (Vice Chair), Micaela Tracy (Secretary), Ellie Stamerjohn, Annie Tracy, Sam Tracy and Father Mark Tracy
* Reviewed 15 formal funding grants totaling
  + Cycle 1 - $20,350
  + Cycle 2 - $30,000
  + Cycle 3 - $40,000
* Special Impact Grant awarded $73,000 in funding ($27,000 pending) to three organizations in the area of Mental Health specifically targeting drug abuse:
  + Adult and Teen Challenge, Milwaukee, WI - $20,000
  + Ignatian Spirituality Project (Chicago, Bay Area, Boston, Milwaukee, and St. Louis) - $29,000
  + Phoenix Programs, Columbia, MO – SITE VISIT (March 4) $27,000 Pending
  + Renewal House, Nashville, TN - $24,000
* Helped encourage 3Gs and 4Gs to participate in the Tracy family grant programs through personal outreach and follow up:
  + 3G Next Gen Grant Program – 91% Participation (34 family members)
  + 4G Next Gen Grant Program – 100% Participation (7 family members)
  + 3G Matching Grant Program – 58% participation (25 family members)
  + 3G Family Invitation Grant – 65% participation (19 family members)
* 68 family members attended the 2019 Next Gen Ozark Meeting
  + 1G – 1
  + 2G – 12
  + 3G – 34
  + 4G – 21
* Helped create the 2nd Annual 4G Learning to Give Activity at the 2019 Next Gen Ozark Meeting
* After the Next Gen Ozark Meeting, NGAB helped organize an onsite volunteer activity for family members to stuff bears for Operation Gratitude.
* At the Next Gen Ozark Meeting, the 3G’s in the room shared the name of their organization, its purpose, and why they chose the organization. They turned in their voting sheet with a vote for one NG grant and one MG grant to receive additional funding. This year *TASK* NG organization won ($3,000) and *Florence Crittenton Services of Colorado* MG organization won ($3,000).
* NGAB members helped promote and encourage participation in Servember, the Tracy family’s annual volunteer month, which was held throughout the month of November.