

# FACTS AND FIGURES ABOUT MARY ELIZABETH INN:

## Changing the Lives of Women Since 1914

- Over 42,000 women have called the Inn home since 1914.
- Mary Elizabeth Inn currently serves low-income women over 18 who are living with disabilities, recovering from domestic violence, and recovering from homelessness. Students, newcomers to the city, and retirees also live at MEI.
- Mary Elizabeth has rooms for 88 women at a time. Each one pays all or a portion of her rent.
- Every resident receives a private, furnished room. Bathrooms are shared.
- Residents in the Meal Program also receive twelve meals per week.
- Mary Elizabeth Inn is part of the Caring Connection of United Methodist institutional ministries. There are over 100 mission institutions in the United States, nine of which are women's residences.
- United Methodist Women are our partners in mission. THANKS for all you do.
- Mary Elizabeth Inn was built by Lizzie Glide, a Methodist evangelist and entrepreneur, who also built Glide Memorial Church, Epworth Hall at UC Berkeley, and the old market place across from the Sacramento Convention Center (where the Sheraton now stands). MEI is named after her two daughters.