JFS started working with Family X when one of the parent’s jobs was cut due to COVID-19. Shortly after, the family faced a few medical complications that resulted in several unexpected bills. Facing so much financial and emotional stress, Family X continues to work with JFS through Case Management, direct services, and they received support through Adopt-a-Family for the first time. The mom wrote to JFS staff thanking the Jewish Federation and all of the contributors of this program and shared the following: “As you may already know, we have been severely impacted by the pandemic. When we sent in our wish list, we didn’t know what to expect, but certainly did not expect the clear attention to our needs (and wants) that we have received....We can see the light and happiness they (the gifts) are bringing into our home. The kids are excited and happy, and so are we. Truly, you have helped create a little Chanukah miracle for us.”

**TESTIMONIAL:**

**SUPPORTED:**

- 14 elderly (6.5%)
- 76 adults (35.5%)
- 124 children (58%)
- Total: 214 individuals supported

**(compared to 58 in 2019 which is a 15.5% increase)**

**2/3** households are made up of single-parent homes with one or more children.

**THANK YOU**

**VOLUNTEER AND DONOR PARTICIPATION:**

- 63 teams
- ~50 cars came to AAF Drive by Community Day
- +$10,000 in financial donations
- 787 supporters (donors, shoppers and volunteers who make this program possible)

**TOTAL PEOPLE Touched by ADOPT-A-FAMILY:** 1,001