

# H.O.M.E. Inc.

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"Serve First Those Who Suffer Most" Proud member of Emmaus International

### **Spring Appeal 2025**

H.O.M.E. is a place where you can come and it is easier to be good because human values are the ones that are the bottom line. ~ Lucy Poulin

#### Dear Friends of H.O.M.E.,

Right now, many of us are feeling the weight of uncertainty. The safety nets that once protected our most vulnerable neighbors, those experiencing homelessness and poverty, are fraying. It is hard to know where to turn for support and strength.

Funding cuts and rising costs are threatening the very programs that provide stability and hope when a person faces a crisis.

hardship, the road to stability is long and only getting longer.

Please, donate today! Help us combat the

For people already facing homelessness or

uncertainty of the world and provide a sense of security for those we serve.

When someone comes to H.O.M.E. in need, we walk beside them. Whether it's offering a warm meal, a safe place to sleep, or help finding permanent housing, your generous support makes it all possible.

But what we offer goes beyond shelter. With your help, we offer **support**, **community**, **and dignity**—and in this moment, those things mean the world to someone in crisis.



Andrea, a single mother and guest in our shelter, learns to work the loom in our Living arts studio

committed to including the people we serve in decision-making and eliminating barriers to involvement and upward mobility.

committed to

engaging people with lived experience of poverty and homelessness in leadership roles within the organization.

We are ...

here for you.

In our art studios, guests and community members can step away from immediate struggles to create, reflect, and heal. These creative spaces, our Living Arts, Pottery, and Stained-Glass Studios, offer more than just self-expression. They help people have the space to find confidence, stability, and focus as they begin to rebuild their lives. In this moment those extra encouragements mean the world to those in crisis.

## **Snapshot**

**103** Individuals moved to permanent housing.

**15,745** Bed Nights Provided

**249** Guests sheltered.

**32** Households with children sheltered.

Average length of stay in shelter – **63 nights.** 

**2565** Individuals provided with food.

**10** households received firewood for the 2022 /23 season.

**28** Daycare enrollments.

**267** Holiday Food Boxes distributed.

**377** Christmas gifts distributed.

**47** School backpacks distributed.

**229,049** pounds of food rescued and distributed.



Want Another Way to Give?
Scan the QR Code Help create pathways to
stable housing.

Your support is more critical than ever. In a time marked by economic uncertainty and deepening community need, H.O.M.E. is doing everything we can to hold the line. But we cannot do it alone.



A volunteer from the Momentum program shows us his newly created mosaic heart at our Valentine's Day pop-up event.

Your gift today helps keep our doors open. It ensures that families facing eviction, individuals battling isolation, and young parents seeking stability have a place to turn. A place where they are seen, supported, and surrounded by caring community.

In this moment, your donation is not just a gift

— It is a lifeline —

Together, we can push back against this tide of uncertainty. Together, we can preserve the programs that so many depend on to rebuild their lives.

#### We can't do this without you.

Your gift grants us the ability to give back, to provide comfort, support, and connection to those who've fallen on challenging times. Every donation helps us respond to the unique needs of poverty and homelessness with compassion and strength.

Please, make a gift today and consider becoming a sustaining supporter. Your support allows us to keep showing up for those who need us most when it matters most. Help us ensure that H.O.M.E. remains a cornerstone of hope and stability in times of uncertainty.

With gratitude,

Rosalani Moore

Executive Director

H.O.M.E. Inc.



P.S. Can we count on your support to help us keep up with the increased need for our help?