

Since 1993, Project Hope for the Homeless has been providing adults and children experiencing homelessness with a safe roof over their head while they work to improve their quality of life. Each year, more than 300 individuals stay in the 45-day temporary emergency shelter or receive care from the optional one-year aftercare program.

Individuals and families at Project Hope find a comfortable, warm place to sleep, showers and hygiene items, meals and, most importantly, supportive, trained staff members and volunteers to help them transform their lives.

Former guests are appreciative of the support, and often return to serve on the board, as volunteers and employees, and actively participate in their communities.

“I found hope out of Project Hope. It gave me hope to carry on. When I came to Project Hope, they said, ‘Hey, there’s a better way.’ Through the love and caring they gave me, that carries you a long way. I pray for Project Hope and I pray with Project Hope because Project Hope is an answer to prayer for those who are out there that seek Him.”

For more information about Project Hope, call (440) 354-6417 or visit www.projecthopeonline.org.



Responding to the human hurts and hopes of persons in Lake County who are homeless by providing emergency shelter, care and guidance, in the name and for the sake of Jesus Christ.

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Restoring Hope
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Holiday Catalog

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A single parent with two young children arrive at Project Hope for the Homeless. After sleeping in their car for weeks, they are anxiously hoping the shelter will be better. They find a hot dinner and smiling staff and volunteers welcoming them. There is a portable crib for the infant, comfortable beds with blankets, and toys for the toddler. For the first time in a long time, they have hope.

Restore Hope

Help make Project Hope healthy and home-like for guests by contributing financially toward these needs:

- Two wooden highchairs so our youngest guests can reach the table.
Suggested amount: \$50 each, toward 11HC
- Two portable cribs so toddlers and infants can safely sleep each night.
Suggested amount: \$62 each, toward 11PP
- One 32' flat-screen TV with DVD player, to mount them on the wall and save needed shelter space
Suggested amount: \$350, toward 11TV
- Seventy vinyl pillowcase covers, to keep pillows sanitary and healthy for all guests
Suggested amount: \$5 each, toward 11PC
- Fifty vinyl mattress covers, to keep mattresses safe and clean for all guests
Suggested amount: \$75 each, toward 11MC
- Six clocks, so that shelter staff and guests can tell the time
Suggested amount: \$10 each, toward 11CL
- One vinyl couch so overnight staff members have a comfortable, sanitary place to sleep
Suggested amount: \$750, toward 11SF



Renew Lives

Christmas is one of the few days Project Hope is open during the day. Guests have the option to leave the shelter to visit with local family and friends, or they can choose to remain at Project Hope. While their Christmas may not be what most people envision, this "family" of people in similar circumstances, caring staff members and loving volunteers spend their day enjoying carols and holiday music, homemade treats and remembering the true reason of the season.

Your Christmas gift to Project Hope will help us continue to ensure that every day, guests will receive the care and support they need to get out of homelessness and make a better life for themselves and their families.

Give guests the direct support they need to create a new life for themselves and their families:

- Clean clothes make an impact toward helping guests find employment and raising their self-esteem. Each guest gets up to 4 laundry vouchers during their stay.
Suggested amount: \$30 per guest, toward 11LV
- Help guests arrive safely each night by supporting the weekend transportation provided by Project Hope, at a cost of \$44 per route per day.
Suggested amount: \$62 each, toward 11TT
- Oftentimes, guests arrive and don't have their birth certificate or state identification card. Help them obtain these necessary documents.
Suggested amount: \$20 per guest, toward 11ID
- It costs Project Hope \$35 per person, per night, to provide life-changing care, free of charge.
Suggested amount: \$35 per guest, toward 11HL

Please consider helping Project Hope continue to meet the basic needs of shelter guests by making a financial donation toward one of these crucial needs. If donations exceed the needed amount for a specific item, they will be used for another item in this catalog.

Your name: _____

Address: _____

Amount: \$_____ toward item(s): _____

Donation in the name of/in honor of: _____

Please send acknowledgement to: _____
