



PROVIDENCE HOME

Helping Men Celebrate Victory in Christ

FOR OUR RECOVERY MINISTRY PARTNERS AND FRIENDS

SUMMER 2019



We're Growing!!

BY ROB SETTLE, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

We are extremely excited to be witnessing the early stages of the construction of our much-anticipated dormitory. We have been waiting three years for the construction of the New Dormitory to begin. Watching the New Dorm becoming a reality means that there will soon be an opportunity for 27 more men to come into an eternal relationship with Jesus Christ – men who will be homeless coming out of incarceration or substance abuse

treatment programs, or referred by other churches or other organizations.

The Board of Directors and staff at Providence Home yearn to have the same heart as the Apostle Paul did when he penned the following inspired words: *"We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. We implore you on Christ's behalf: Be reconciled to God. (2 Cor. 5:20 NIV)."* When men are reconciled to God, they are on a solid foundation for both eternal

and temporary blessings!

Seeing men come to Christ and breaking free from the shackles of substance abuse is our mission passion!

Would you please pray for the ongoing construction in the days ahead and for the ministerial team at Providence Home to be God's ambassadors? We especially want the hearts and lives of our residents to change for the glory of God!

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Groundbreaking Ceremony 4.17.19

What a great day! We broke ground ceremonially on April 17 for our new dormitory that will house 27 men in need.



We are grateful for many supporters and partners who came to celebrate with us, including John Zenoni and Pat Zenoni Shealy, children of our founder.

Huge thanks to the Mungo family of Mungo Homes Foundation, the Cassels family of Southeastern Freight Lines, Gov. Henry McMaster, Congressman Joe Wilson, our board members, and many friends!



Our Volunteers assist us in many areas!

- Prayer
- Meal preparation and serving
- Service projects on-site
- Mentoring and Bible study/Counseling
- Professional services
- Transportation
- Office assistance
- Event assistance
- Donations of items needed
- Any professional skill or special talent? Let us know!



If you are interested in volunteering,
contact us!



PHASE ONE

BUILD A FIRM FOUNDATION

As we see the foundation built for a New Dormitory outside, we are assisting men with building a firm foundation for their lives inside. Most men who come to Providence Home do not have a job and are in need of services to help them seek employment, handle practical and legal issues, and get medical and dental care.

They are asked to work and contribute \$100/week for a safe place to live, three meals a day, and laundry and other holistic services.

SPONSOR A MAN

You can help men who are arriving at Providence Home by providing their \$100/week contribution for 4-8 weeks, allowing them time to participate in daytime services for refocusing and redirection, while securing a job.

1 week - \$100

1 month - \$400

2 months - \$800

Would you **SPONSOR A MAN** with a one-time gift OR

JOIN OUR MONTHLY GIVING COMMUNITY by becoming one of our Monthly Giving Partners?

Donate at this link:

www.providencehomecolumbia.org/donate.html

or

contact us at provhome@bellsouth.net!

2nd Annual Vision Partner Dinner



BY JOHN ZENONI

What a wonderful experience my family had at the 2nd Annual Vision Partner Dinner! The food, venue, décor, service, speakers and testimonies given by some of the current residents at Providence Home were amazing! The thing that struck us most was the feeling in that room! We could not help but feel a tremendous amount of warmth and caring among all in attendance knowing that everyone was helping our brothers in Christ try to overcome their struggles and adversities. It was a wonderful event, and we are so thankful to have been a part of it. You could definitely feel the Spirit that night!

What made it even more special was my sister, Patricia Shealy, and I were able to attend this with our mother, Dorothy Zenoni Smith. Together, we experienced and saw what our father, Johnny Zenoni, had started was still continuing in such a great and humble way. It was a privilege having our mother present, as she was such a strong advocate and supporter of dad's calling. We felt that her work was being acknowledged as well. It was also very touching for her to be able to talk to and socialize with many of dad's strong supporters, such as Bill Cogdill, Bob McAlister, and other close friends.

Our heartfelt thanks go to those who all played a part in this wonderful event and making it such a special time. My family is so grateful for the current staff and Board of Directors of Providence Home for keeping dad's vision alive and doing God's work! As he would always say, "God Love Ya!".



New Dormitory Naming Opportunities

You can invest in the lives of men for years to come by furnishing a room in our New Dormitory

Naming Opportunities range from \$2,500 to \$10,000 and will completely furnish the room with furniture, bedding, window dressings, and custom bookshelves. The furniture quotes of estimated costs are for commercial furniture designed for group living and are durable, wipe-able, and bed bug proof.

*Your gift of \$2,500 and above
will be recognized in
publications, signage, online,
and with a naming
opportunity plaque.*

Downstairs Common Area - \$10,000
Resident Assistant Suite - \$7,500
Upstairs Common Area - \$4,500
Resident Rooms (13) - \$2,500

*Please contact Rob if you
are interested in this
opportunity!*



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"A caring staff helped me see opportunities instead of obstacles."

Joey represents one of many residents who experience a new life with a focus on Jesus Christ. Upon arriving at Providence Home, he found a job using his previous driving experience and has recently earned favor to secure a better position. Working on handling his finances with wisdom, he meets with a budgeting mentor to prioritize his spending and saving. Joey is asking God to "Instruct me of His will for my life and the power to carry it out, and for the courage to be faithful through knowledge, understanding, and humility."

PRAYER POINTS

Would you please pray for Joey and the other men at Providence Home?

- To trust and believe God in personal relationship with Jesus Christ
- To secure meaningful work/jobs and make wise financial decisions
- To bless and comfort others with the blessing they have received

When I came to Providence Home

"I was struggling with addiction and alone."



I felt depressed and disappointed in my life.

My Story

I lost my family, and friends, cars, trust, businesses, and my purpose in life.

Joey

At Providence Home, a caring staff helped me see opportunities instead of obstacles. I've learned that faith is believing and trusting. I've grown in self esteem and I'm hopeful. "



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