June 2022 Newsletter

Here's What's Cooking at Providence Home!

Meet Chef J!

Our Newest Board Member!

Around Columbia, **Judy Etheredge** is fondly known as "Chef J." An accomplished entrepreneur, licensed cosmetologist, make-up artist, interior decorator, female farmer, health supportive chef and certified fitness trainer, Etheredge has taken on yet another role - Providence Home Board Member.



The Board elected Judy as its newest member at the May meeting.

"Judy brings so much life perspective and compassion to our Board. We are thrilled to welcome her to the Providence Home team and praise God for using Judy to bless our men and our mission," Board Chairman Will Brumbach, said.

Etheredge is a trained chef and owns Celeb Studios Café in Columbia

where she perfects her craft of charcuterie. In addition to her culinary skills, Judy specializes in artisan drinks. Those who participated in our First Annual Providence Home Golf Classic sponsored by McDaniels Auto Group in April enjoyed her delicious "mocktail" creations.



Etheredge is a wife, mom and grandmother, who witnessed a devasting drug addiction destroy the life of a close relative and says she is passionate about working to help men recover and heal through the life saving grace of Jesus Christ.

Chapel Chills!

We all know it's a thousand degrees outside with a million percent humidity in South Carolina. But the chapel build continues despite the sweat and sunshine (also, torrential rainstorms and an earthquake or two!)



We anticipate it will be a whole lot colder by the time we celebrate the grand opening of the William "Bill" Cogdill Memorial Chapel.

In the meantime, will you consider being a permanent part of God's sacred space here at Providence Home? For just \$75 you can buy a memorial brick - honoring a loved one, your family's legacy at our mission, or even your company.

Buy a Brick!

Want to go bigger? How about investing in a memorial bench or supporting our chapel build in many creative ways.

Click here to explore the possibilities!

What Summer Slump??

Summer brings with it all the fun of BBQ, ballgames and the beach! But during the summer months, we *really* feel the heat at Providence Home with many of our faithful supporters taking a well-deserved break.

But NOT this summer!

We are so grateful for the abundance of support you have showered on us through our "Summer Slump" campaign! Bless you for the generous donations, as well as answering our appeal for bottled water beyond our imagination!



Want to help us overcome the summer slump? Click below

I want to help you get through the summer!

Spotlight on Providence Home



Providence Home is a Christ-focused ministry for men that promotes recovery from drugs, alcohol and incarceration. Your legacy of giving is the restoration of families in your community!

For more information about our men and our ministry, check out our website.

Gala Glow



Go ahead and mark your calendars now: Thursday, October 6 at 6 p.m., and plan to be our very special guest at our 2022 Providence Home Gala: The Ripple Effect.

Invite your friends, family and colleagues. It's free!

An incredible night of great food, special treats and turns, is in the works as we focus a spotlight on the devastating impact drug and alcohol addiction has on families, communities, and businesses.

But we will also focus on hope and God's goodness!

Our keynote speaker is **Jim Sonefeld** of Hootie and the Blowfish who will share his story, his music, and his devotion to Jesus Christ.

Would you consider defraying our costs with a sponsorship or donation? Click here:

I want to donate!

Prayer & Praise for Providence Home

PRAY!

For our resident men - that the Holy Spirit would take hold of each of their hearts so that they may truly experience His life-saving grace, peace and renewal.

For our staff - that our hearts may stay united and steadfast in honoring one another, our residents, and most of all our Savior, Jesus Christ. We especially ask for prayer for our own Steven Stevenson who just lost his mother.

For our mission - that we would seek His Kingdom first as we strive to pay our bills and meet our fiduciary responsibilities.

For our board - that God would continue to infuse each with a Holy desire to serve this ministry and our men with ongoing insight and enthusiasm.

PRAISE!

For our chapel! We are so grateful to the construction workers and our supporters for making this sacred space possible!

For Judy "Chef J" Etheredge, our newly elected board member.

For our donors who have richly blessed us with financial support and dozens and dozens of cases of water!

For our prayer warriors who continue to take our ministry before the throne of God!

Sponsor Superstars!

We are grateful for the local businesses and community leaders that consistently support our mission!

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WE BELIEVE that men entrapped by drugs and alcohol or coming out of prison should have a safe, supportive, faith-based environment for recovery and stability.

YOU CAN HELP men reunite with their families and become financially, spiritually, emotionally, and physically stable and healthy with your one-time or monthly donations.

IMPACT LIVES OF MEN AND THEIR FAMILIES

It's easy to support our men and ministry!

Donate with the online link below
or mail to P.O. Box 3188, Columbia, SC 29230!

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For nearly 60 years, Providence Home has ministered to men in need.

In 1963, Johnny Zenoni, a recovering alcoholic, began by assisting eight men in need. The mission remains the same: to help stabilize the living conditions of dislocated men and to encourage progress in realizing their full personal potential in self-sufficient living through the power of Jesus Christ.



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