Alongside SHELTER KC

A Kansas City Rescue Mission

A GUIDE TO MAKING A LASTING IMPACT IN YOUR COMMUNITY

Purpose

Bring clarity to your church on the different ways to come *alongside* Shelter KC in meeting those experiencing homelessness with dignity, compassion and the transforming love of Jesus Christ.

Action

Prayerfully read through and let God highlight the best next step for your church to take in partnering with Shelter KC.

Our Mission

We are a Christ-Centered Community that offers freedom, support and resources to those in need, empowering them to reach their full potential.

Our Services



Emergency Shelter



Addiction Recovery Programs



Mental Health Programs



Case Management



Medical Referrals



Work Therapy



Basic necessities such as meals, hygiene products, and clothing

Alongside Transformation

At Shelter KC, we witness God's transforming work every day—and these stories remind us why this mission matters.



"This place is saving people's lives. Before, there was no hope. I was just waiting to die. Now, I have hope. There's a light. There's a future. Being around other people who are trying to move forward has been beautiful."

- Herb

Alongside Your Church Outreach



WHAT ARE YOUR CHURCH'S PASSIONS?

What breaks the heart of your church? What lights you up? What people or groups do you feel called to?



WHAT'S YOUR CHURCH'S HEART FOR OUTREACH?

How does your church sense God calling you to reach and serve your community?

WHAT ARE YOU CURRENTLY DOING?

How has your church done outreach in the past? Are you currently doing anything that is working for you?

"For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." Matthew 6:21

Shelter KC *Alongside* You

Support for the Local Church

- Provide resources for your church lobby, to give your staff and to give attenders in need.
- Educate and train your staff team how to best serve and love those experiencing homelessness and addiction.
- "Share the stage," a staff member can come speak to your congregation on a Sunday morning before or after service, in a Sunday school class, etc.
- We are always praying over your church congregation and church staff.

"Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ." Galatians 6:2

Serve *Alongside*

Consistency changes everything



SERVE

- Serve a meal at our Men's Center.
- Host a Women's Center Dinner + Activity.
- Host a Donation Drive.



SHARE

- Lead a Bible Study.
- Lead a Chapel Service.
- Invite us to Speak at your church.
- Invite our guests to be a part of your church; to attend, serve and share their testimony.



GIVE

- Assemble and deliver care kits.
- Become a Holiday Sponsor.
- Give a financial gift.



PRAY

- Pray for our women and men guests.
- Pray for our Recovery Programs.
- Pray for our staff and volunteer team.
- Pray for our ministry.

Alongside Financially

A frequently asked question is, "Can we volunteer and donate items?" Yes! We welcome and are blessed by your generous giving of time, materials, and finances. Here are a few ways you can support us financially if you feel God calling you to give in this way!



Sponsor a Need



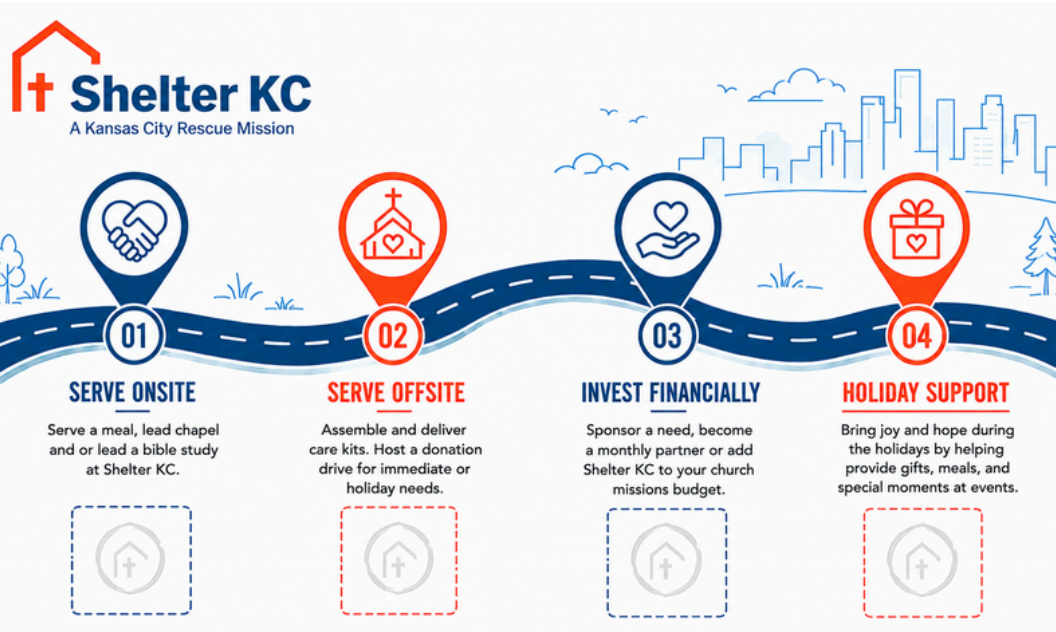
Become a Monthly Church Partner



Include Shelter KC in Church Missions Budget

How can we join you, your family and church in prayer?

Let's Do This
Alongside Each Other



Our Next Step Together:

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CORE VALUES

Christ Centered

Healthly Relationships

Transformational Growth

Dignity of the Individual

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