
You Can Help Restore Hope and Rebuild Dreams.

Funding for transitional housing programs has continued to decline, so women and children need your help to break free from the cycle of crisis. The Women & Children’s program at 220 Coldwater will provide a supportive transitional housing program (6-9 mos.) for women & children with 5 Living units for families of 2-4 aimed to create an environment that strengthens families, using best practices that address root causes of crisis and preventing re-occurrence, through education, faith, responsibility and independence. The program will focus on job skill training, life and parenting skills, GED support programs and Relief-Restoration-Development. Future plans include acquiring a graduate house with apartments for independent living for up to 2 more years with case management.

Grand Opening for the facility at 220 Coldwater Road, Gates, NY is slated for Spring 2018.

THE THREE PILARS

1. Creating long lasting change in individuals helping them to discover their identity and spiritual foundation in Christ.
2. Developing strength-based programming as a critical component to sustainable change. We focus on the family’s God-given assets and resources along with the family’s individual goals being influenced by these factors.
3. Breaking the cycle of generational poverty by building and strengthening the family unit based on the principles of education, faith, family, responsibility, and independence.

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1. Referral & intake
2. Address crisis needs
3. Family strength assessment
4. Housing, employment, health, routine, education
5. Bible study, spiritual, activities, financial, community
6. Plan for sustainable living
7. Continue program education
8. Continued support after family moves into the community
9. Education, faith, family, responsibility, and independence
10. Breaking the cycle of generational poverty

THE VISION

Restoration Phases & Timeline

Our vision for the Women and Children’s Program at 220 Coldwater Road is to develop a three-phase process to restore hope and change lives spiritually, emotionally, and physically through programs that provide food, housing, clothing, and case managed restorative services. The program will include phases of relief, restoration and development.

Relief & Intake
- Address crisis needs
- Family strength assessment
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Restore
- Education, faith, family, responsibility, and independence
- Breaking the cycle of generational poverty
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Develop
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Hope for 220 Coldwater

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ABOUT THE MISSION

Restoring Hope & Changing Lives
The Open Door Mission is a Christian Rescue Mission, founded to provide for the spiritual & physical needs of the impoverished and homeless men, women and children of Greater Rochester, NY. The Women & Children’s Residential Program is designed to provide an environment where the family unit is strengthened, the value of education is reinforced, and where each individual woman and child discovers her or his God-given potential.

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CURRENT PROGRAMS

Women & Children Programs

Women & Children’s Residential Recovery Program
The Women & Children’s Residential Recovery Program is a grace-based Christian life skills rehabilitation and development program designed to address the root causes of generational poverty through strengthening families.

Women & Children’s Clothing Room
The Women & Children’s Clothing Room is a free clothing distribution and resource center that welcomes women and children in crisis or hardship to receive hope and encouragement.

Women & Children’s Community Outreach Program
The Community Outreach Program provides support through groups, classes, case management for residents, as well as neighbors in the community, who lack the structure and stability to succeed in the areas of education, employment, spirituality, and family.

The Vision for 220 Coldwater
Open Door Mission’s Women & Children’s Program