



# Boone County

an affiliate of Love INC National

**stronger together**

for we are co-workers in God's service  
1 CORINTHIANS 3:9

**Annual Fundraising Banquet and Silent Auction to benefit Love INC!**

**Thursday, September 7, 2023**

Zionsville Fellowship Church

9090 W Oak St

Zionsville, IN 46077

**Doors open at 5:30pm!**



The Refuge Coffee Bar is provided!

**Guest Speaker: Mike Chapuran, MPA**

**Development Manager & Former Executive Director, Family Promise of Greater Indianapolis**



Matching Gift Opportunity!



Have fun bidding to win at the Silent Auction!

Meal Catered by Jug's



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# A Love Story from Homes from the Heart

by Marcia Overfield, Co-Executive Director



I felt the sweat bead up on my forehead as I thought about the work that needed to happen in our apartment shelter quickly...the family needed the shelter in six days (at first, we thought it was four). As I prayed late Wednesday afternoon, I told the Lord that we didn't know how this would happen, but we trusted that He would make it work in His time. And then we began. First, the carpet cleaner (an elder at a Love INC partnering church) was available on a Saturday morning! This was wonderful, but all the old furniture needed to be removed. Next, two volunteers were able to remove the old furniture and haul it away on Thursday morning. Wow! Then, the cleaner had a opening on Friday to clean the apartment. A board member was willing to do 32 hours of repairs to the apartment over the weekend, working around the others that were in the apartment. Monday morning two new volunteers moved the gently used furniture into the apartment. Last, two other volunteers made the apartment look like home on Monday & Tuesday.

All if this had happened in six days! God had used people who were willing to volunteer on short notice to help this homeless family have a place to stay. I felt unexpected tears of joy trickle down my face as I left the apartment shelter. "We make our own plans, but the Lord determines our steps." Proverbs 16:9. Another day at Love INC that had been ordered by the Lord!



**Love INC and Live for Life hosted a luncheon for church and political leaders in June. The goal of the meeting was to present information about homelessness and the need for affordable housing in our community. Speakers from Aspire and the Indiana Housing & Community Development Authority shared statistics and explained how Boone County compares to other areas of the state. This was the first of several meetings designed to raise awareness and begin the process of finding viable solutions.**

Through a partnership with Zionsville Presbyterian Church, Love INC is expanding the Homes from the Heart program to include a 3rd shelter! The house, owned by ZPC, is located near the church, and will provide enough space for larger families. Watch for news, as plans are finalized and neighbors are moved in!





Thanks to our friends at Centenary United Methodist for clearing out flower beds, and to Lasley's for donating the mulch!



We're celebrating another summer of partnership with Shalom!

Did you visit Love INC's booth at Serve Day?

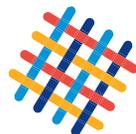


"I'd like to thank you all for the loveseat. I appreciate what you do. It means a lot that there are people willing to help those less fortunate. Christ's love shines through the work you do."



from TM, a Love INC Neighbor

Thanks to volunteers for delivering furniture to neighbors in July!



# Most Pressing Ministry Needs



## **Volunteers:**

- making calls
- delivering furniture
- providing meals
- data entry
- board members



## **Non-perishables for the Emergency Food Pantry**

**542**

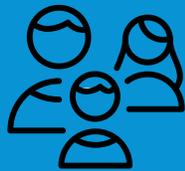
Requests for Assistance



**2nd Quarter**

**1,774**

Adult & Children Needs Met



**2023**

**Stats**

**\$17,698**

Value of Goods/Services Coordinated



**534**

Volunteer Hours Served

