



## August 2023 Newsletter

August is here which means back to school for many. As we find ourselves getting back into our normal routines post summer break, let us not forget those living right here in our city who need our help. Read below for some ways you can partner with us!

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# You're Invited!

ESTATE PLANNING SEMINAR ON  
AUGUST 22ND AT 10AM



## Estate Planning Seminar with Vector Wealth Strategies, LLC

We're excited to share that we are partnering with Vector Wealth Strategies, LLC again for another Estate Planning Seminar. Join us on August 22nd from 10-11am to hear about the impact we are making together! To learn more, click the button below.

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## Partnership Event with Trideum Foundation

This past month, we partnered with the Trideum Foundation for an outreach event. The Trideum Foundation is helping by raising awareness for our growing homeless population and providing some instant relief and long term hope by joining Community of Hope in our Prayers and Popsicle Events. During this event we went out to the streets and gave out popsicles and provided prayer and a listening ear to the homeless community. We are so grateful for the Trideum Foundation's willingness to always be in service to the least of these and what an honor it was to have them at our largest camp in the city. As Christ centered leaders of our community it's critical to know how ALL of our community members live. We visit the camps as often as we can to remind ourselves what we are fighting for and why we are so relentlessly determined to do what no one else in the state of Alabama is doing. We are dedicated to bringing affordable housing with supportive elements to our dear friends. The friends we served this past month and the ones we did not see. We have a major task ahead of us but we have no doubt that God is with us along with incredible partners just like the Trideum Foundation and all of you following along with us!

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## Capital Campaign

Follow along with us as we announce our Capital Campaign this September! Along with this announcement, we will be excited to share more of our renderings and a walk through video of the main buildings on the future campus of Community of Hope. If you have been on the fence of where to aid in the fight against homelessness, this is a great way for you to get involved! Stay tuned for more info!

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## **A Word from our Founder & Chief Goodness Officer, Mandy Kilgore**

As we shared about our most recent events, Popsicles & Prayers with Triduem Foundation, I wanted to give a glimpse to what's on my heart. At this event, we saw a homeless man and dear friend we have know for years. This friend was recently a part of an incredible program here in Huntsville for addiction. When that program ended this friend was released. Because he was homeless going in, he was homeless coming out of that program. It reminds me of how important Community of Hope is because once you finish these programs, there will be a place you can go to instead of the camps. Our friend had completed his program and then was left with no other options. How do you find hope after nixing your addiction, making commitments to change and then afterwards have nowhere to go except back to where your addiction started? I want to challenge everyone that's serving this population to note the people we are serving are the same ones we've been serving for years and something has to change. Permanent supportive housing is what we need in Huntsville. Huntsvillians have a tremendous heart and are already pouring into short term solutions for our homeless community by means of covering basic needs. I encourage you to amplify that giving and also consider long



term solutions by means of permanent supportive housing. A place with community, resources, training, and hope.

After talking with our homeless friend, we prayed over him and while we don't have the answers right now, we know that God has a handle on the next steps. And this is the same for us, we know that God is guiding our next steps to help solve this crisis in our area and He will provide what is needed in His perfect timing. There is much hope in this! Our team is driven by hope and are relentlessly determined to not only get our friends off the streets but to keep them off the streets. Together, we can bring our friends home.

Here's to Goodness!

Mandy

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**We want to hear from you!**

We have been spending time growing our relationships with our donors. During that time we have heard some tremendous stories on why you are financially giving to the mission of Community of Hope. We would love to invite you to share your story with us so we can share these inspiring stories with others who are giving or considering giving towards providing long term change and hope for our homeless community. Click below to share your story!

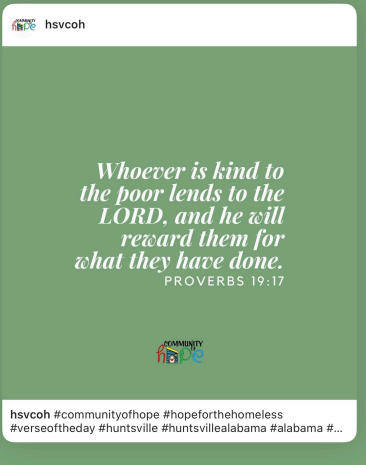
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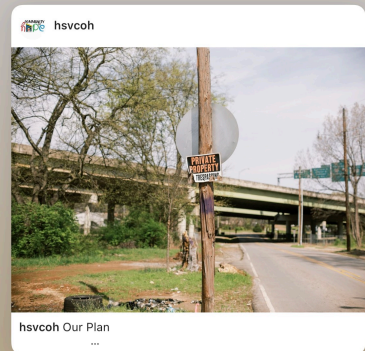
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