

WHO ARE WE?

We are a non-profit, ecumenical Christian housing ministry. We are in partnership with Habitat for Humanity International to meet the basic human need for safe, decent, responsible, and affordable housing. We welcome the participation of people from all cultural, religious, and economic backgrounds who would like to build a better community.

Habitat for Humanity International works with people in many countries of the world to build safe, decent, affordable shelter. There are now more than 3,000 affiliates operating in 100 countries around the world.

HOW DOES IT WORK?

Through donations of time, money, materials and professional services, we work with prospective homeowner (partner) families to build and rehabilitate houses. These houses are sold to our partner families at no profit and are financed with affordable, no-interest loans.

Habitat does not give houses away. In addition to affordable monthly mortgage payments, each homeowner family invest a minimum of 500 hours of their own labor—sweat equity—into building their house and the houses of others.

The mortgage payments received by Habitat are then invested into a revolving Fund for Humanity, which is used to build more houses.

NEWBERG AREA HABITAT FOR HUMANITY MISSION STATEMENT

The Newberg Area Habitat for Humanity works in concert with Habitat for Humanity International in a ministry of love to meet the basic need for affordable, safe, and respectable housing. Founded in the Christian faith, we welcome people of all creeds and beliefs who are seeking to love their neighbors in a tangible way.

We will work with the city and county governments, churches, civic organizations, neighborhoods and others to make Habitat for Humanity an integral and valued part of Newberg and the surrounding area. We will inform citizens about the impact of substandard housing on all of its citizens and how participation in Habitat for Humanity benefits the poor and affluent alike. We will serve as a bridge between the diverse cultures and diverse people of this community.

Are you ready to help change lives and impact the community around you? Sign up today!