

2024 Annual Report

COMMITTED TO GOSPEL-CENTERED
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
BEGINNING IN LAKELAND'S
PARKER STREET NEIGHBORHOOD



SUPPORTING
LIFETIME LEARNERS

STABILIZING THE
NEIGHBORHOOD



FOSTERING
SPIRITUAL GROWTH

CULTIVATING
CONNECTIONS



HOW FUNDS ARE SPENT: Nonprofit industry standards are used to share financial information and strategies.

Adaptable
Programs

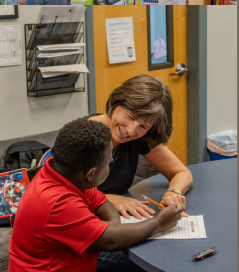
Facility
Maintenance

Internet &
Utilities

Neighborhood
Care

Quality
Staff

Reliable
Transportation



Reasons to Celebrate

Vermont Ave duplex construction began as part of Housing Initiative which focuses on those underhoused and cost burdened.

Served 600+ households through advocacy, crime prevention, connections to resources, clean-ups, and more.

Christ represented through listening over self-deploying; affirming God-given dignity in all people; and staff living side-by-side in the neighborhood.

Open 864 hours to narrow learning gaps and provide safe haven for 131 students in grades K-12.

Led 12 high schoolers through immersive Workforce Lab, teaching soft job skills while students earned stipends and saved for post-graduation.

19,378 snacks and meals served through after-school program and Summer Camp.

Fellowship opportunities and activities offered at neighborhood celebrations, including Christmas Store (which served more than 1,300).

677 volunteers logged more than 3,613 hours to make it all happen and leverage donor dollars. Of these volunteers, 24 were neighborhood residents who served 13% of total hours.

ABOUT OUR FAMILIES:

56% Black
26% Hispanic
10% Caucasian
8% Multi-Racial

94% live on low
to extremely low
incomes

58% are
single parents

6,642 Lakeland Police
Department
calls for service specific
to the Parker Street
neighborhood



Rejoice. Give. Volunteer. Pray. Share.

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