



GRACE + PEACE COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP

House of Hope
Project

POWERED BY ERTZ FAMILY FOUNDATION

ABOUT THE HOUSE OF HOPE PROJECT

The House of Hope Project is a capital campaign for the Grace and Peace Community Fellowship building. Our goal is to remodel and expand the building to be the foundation for delivering social change and transforming lives by developing and implementing critically needed enrichment programs and services in North Philadelphia.

Our mission is to:

- Combat poverty through community development, opportunity, and education. The House of Hope will bring together educators, tutors, community leaders, and mentors to deliver options not currently available in the community. The House of Hope will provide financial literacy workshops, workforce development, career exploration, classes focused on child health and wellness, and other options designed to support youth and their families find a way out of poverty.
- Close the digital divide gap by addressing lack of proper resources, internet access, and services with no current alternative solutions available. The House of Hope is creating a WiFi café equipped with digital equipment and learning resources so youth and families can have free essential internet and WiFi without any connectivity problems.
- Reduce violence by providing youth with a safe-haven from the societal issues they experience in the North Philadelphia streets and, in many cases, in their homes. As a place of refuge and faith, we will empower youth with options and opportunities to bring peace to the streets.
- Address the massive food security issue in Philadelphia's most underserved communities that has dramatically affected youth and families. The House of Hope Community Kitchen will provide hundreds of nutritious meals daily to the community.
- Tackle substance abuse in North Philadelphia by giving the youth options, mentoring, faith, and support. We will light the way for youth toward a future without succumbing to substance abuse and addiction.

HOW TO GET INVOLVED



To support the campaign with individual donations, please visit:

<http://www.ertzfoundation.org/houseofhope> or <https://Charity.gofundme.com/ertz-family-foundation>. You can also text **HouseofHope** to **76278** to give.

We are also accepting in-kind donations to assist with the remodel. Please help by sharing this or donating items such as; building supplies, flooring, fixtures, appliances, HVAC system, landscaping, hardscape, and so much more.

For more information and to inquire about sponsorship, monetary and in-kind donations, please contact:

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