

From the Director's Desk Spring 2025

Community supported, Duluth Harbor Rescue Mission serves 1000's of men, women and children experiencing homelessness and poverty each year. We have a focus on recovery from drug and other addictions. We counsel by using the Word of God and we have experienced great results.



To God be the Glory!

Your gift of \$50.00 will purchase 10 meals! We are planning for 250 men, women, and children

9TH ANNUAL COMMUNITY EASTER DINNER AND BINGO! SATURDAY APRIL 19TH If you spend yourself on behalf of the hungry and satisfy the needs of the oppressed, then your light will shine in the darkness. Isaiah 58:10

Menu

Meatballs, gravy, mashed potatoes, veggies, dinner roll, dessert and more!

REAL LIFE STORY -

John used our resources during his time engaged in drugs, and street life. Many times, we prayed with him and demonstrated the beauty of Christ through the day-to-day activities here at Duluth Harbor Mission. We are glad to report that John has taken the steps necessary to live a sober life. He is thriving! Recently, after many years of attending the local Church's Wed. evening meal, John found the confidence to attend the service upstairs after dinner! Then the following Sunday, John was in the pew, ready and waiting for worship! After the service he took the microphone and gave a short testimony of how God has changed his life!

We are honored to stand with John, and those who take that leap of faith into the arms of their loving God and experience redemption! Praise the Lord!



ENABLING

Handing out cash to a sign holder on the street corner is one of the worst actions a person can take since 90% of the cash given to someone at street level homelessness goes directly to drugs, alcohol, and prostitution.

ENGAGING

Rather than give cash, make a tax-deductible donation to a well-run program in your neighborhood who depends on gifts to sustain operations. AND another option is visiting our web site and printing off a meal ticket! Keep the ticket

in your car and hand that out the window next time you see someone seeking funds on the street corner.

duluthhm.org/meal-tickets

Spiritual growth requires the solid food of God's Word.

Ministry Hour, daily at 10:00 a.m. at the Mission! and

we invite you to join us at our Ladies Bible Study, Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m.





Our first movie night was a success! We gathered at Lakes Cinema in Hermantown to watch NO ADDRESS, which portrayed the stories of numerous men and women and their journey through homelessness. You can see No Address on Prime TV and watch for the next opportunity to join us at the theater!

You can help move the needle on the Charitable Act.

Legislators are reintroducing a bipartisan bill to restore a charitable deduction for nonitemizing taxpayers. The Charitable Act would allow these donors to claim a deduction worth up to one-third of the standard deduction -\$5,000 for individuals or \$10,000 for joint filers in 2025.

Churches and ministries know the value of individuals who selflessly give time and treasure to advance their Christ-honoring mission.

Please call your local legislator and tell them you support the Charitable Act. And give local to keep the best eye on how your dollars are used.

> Thank you for supporting Duluth Harbor Mission, In Christ's love, Veronica Ciurleo Executive Director veronica@duluthhm.org

A SOUPER EVENT

Organize a 'souper event' for people experiencing homelessness and poverty! Ask your group, congregation, or Sunday School to collect cans of soup and stew for the food shelf here at D.H.M.! When your collection time ends, we will come pick up your items with an extra large THANK YOU!

We always need blankets and items for our snack packs too!

Duluth Harbor Rescue Mission Inc. 2910 W. 3rd Street 501 c 3 nonprofit www.duluthhm.org/give venmo@harbormission We receive no government funding; we are completely operational due to the gifts of people just like you! Next year we are celebrating 10 years of God's faithfulness.

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