

Welcome

Tonight we want to tell you a little about the Emmaus House, who we are, what we do and why we do it.

But also, we want to tell about our newest project called "Homes of Hope"



Emmaus House of Saginaw

733 S. 14th St.
Saginaw, MI
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The name "Emmaus" is from the Bible, Luke 24:13-34.

In the Bible, it designates the story of Jesus on the "road to Emmaus", a city.

Our hope is that our women, while here, will meet Jesus on their journey to a better life.

Some Quick Facts

- Started in 1987 by Sr. Marietta Fritz and Sr. Shirley Orand (dec.)
- Mission: to provide a home for women, especially women coming from jail, prison or rehab
- Annual budget of about \$215K, funded entirely by donations and grants
- Contributors include churches, businesses, trusts, foundations and individuals. To date, no government money is included in our budget
- Operates 12 homes and a new Resource Center in Saginaw
- Up to 40 women in program at any one time
- Nearly 800 women have been served since its beginning
- Average stay is 8 to 9 months, the longest stay has been 6 years
- Donated items are given freely to those in need
- Website: www.emmaushouse-saginaw.com

Based on strong fundamentals...

- Strong financial support from community
- Exceptional management
- Excellent communications through a periodic newsletter (5 times annually).
- Outstanding board governance
- Good advocacy relations

The “Homes of Hope” Project

- Over the next 2 to 3 years we plan to remodel and renovate our 12 homes, making them more energy efficient and comfortable for our guests.
- Our plan is to have the required work performed by qualified volunteers, contractors and suppliers
- We hope to generate enough funds to complete the planned work by the end of 2013
- The following slides show our houses and outline the scope of the required work at each house



•Location: 733 S. 14th St.

Description: Original Holy Rosary Convent built in 1916.

Needs:

- Roof repair
- Boiler replacement
- Some windows replaced
- Bathroom update
- Some minor plumbing repairs



Location: 732 S. 13th St.

Description: Original Holy Rosary Rectory built in 1912

Needs:

- A few windows replaced
- Boiler replacement
- Basement leaks
- Interior painting and decorating. Acoustic tile in upstairs hall.



Location: 724 S. 14th St.

Description: Built in 1895

Needs:

- Insulation
- New roof
- Exterior painting
- Plumbing repairs (tile upstairs bath)
- Better driveway



Location: 1815 Mack Rd.

Description: Built in the early 1960s

Needs:

- New siding
- New garage door, or block wall off and install grade door.
- New outside light in front
- Exterior basement entry needs repair
- New windows



Location: 3410 East Rd.

Description: Built in the early 1920s

Needs:

- Siding needs repair
- Back porch light needs repair
- Could use a fence around the yard



Location: 127 S. 5th St.

Description: Built in 1894

Needs:

- Siding and exterior painting
- Some interior walls need to be repainted
- New driveway
- New windows



Location: 2019 Robinwood St.

Description: Built in 1920

Needs:

- Back stairway needs repair
- Kitchen remodeling
- Could use a fence around the property



Location: 3221 Bundy St.

Description: Built in 1920.

Needs:

- Driveway needs repair
- Access to beneath the house



Location: 2709 Julius

Description: Built in the 1960s.

Needs:

- New kitchen floor
- Gutter repair



Location: 3408 Grant St.

Description: Built in the late 1970s.

Needs:

- Garage could be made into a living area
- Exterior needs some repair



Location: 2234 and 2236 S. Michigan Ave.

Description: Built in the late 1970's

Needs:

- Interior and exterior upgrading



Location: 600 Gallagher St.

Description: Built in the late 1970's.

Needs:

- Basement could be finished into usable space
- Bathroom repair and remodeling
- Exterior siding repairs

How you can help

By volunteering time and talent

By donating \$\$\$ - no amount is too small. It is estimated that we need between \$50 and \$ 75,000 to complete this project

By assisting with publicity and volunteer coordination

By offering your prayers and support. Simply telling your friends about this project will help create awareness and help our efforts.

Call Carolyn at 989-799-9282 or Ray at 989-790-1224 for more information.

Visit our website at www.emmaushouse-saginaw.com

**Thank You
for
Your Support**

Q and A