

HOPE CENTER



**IMPARTING HOPE
AND HEALING
TO EVERY HEART**

www.hopecenterindy.org

A STORY OF HOPE

In 2015, Executive Director/Co-founder Hubert Nolen came across a promotion video featuring a young woman on the verge of taking her own life because of heartache she had lived through but found hope at the Dream Center in Los Angeles, CA where she was given a second chance. In February 2016, Pastor Hubert Nolen transitioned from his position as Senior Pastor at Brookville Road Community Church, a church he had pastored for over 33 years. Hope Center Indy was created as a Christ-centered campus focused on healing the personal and building the professional lives of women exiting human trafficking and commercial sexual exploitation.

During Pastor Nolen's transition, a 25-acre campus located just one mile down the road from Brookville Road Community Church, opened up for sale. The stunning campus featured 35 offices, six classrooms, a computer lab, commercial kitchen and cafeteria, 300-seat auditorium, animal barn, greenhouse, coffee shop, and 50 residential rooms. A nine-month negotiation took place and in late September 2016 a lease agreement was finally reached.

Pastor Hubert Nolen along with his son David Nolen moved into their offices at the new Hope Center Indy campus in late October 2016. The campus had a number of needs that required attention before opening a residential program, but God provided for every need that came across Hope Center Indy's way.

In August 2017, only 10 months after moving into our campus, we received our first residents. Since then, over 50 women have benefited from our human trafficking program. We have now added three additional residential programs on campus targeting substance abuse and other life-threatening issues as well as 11 outreach ministries imparting hope to the many hurting hearts in our community.

In 2018, we were overwhelmed with the support from our community through volunteerism, donations, and financial support. As we move past 2019 into 2020, we continue to be optimistic and stand firm in the promise that through us, God will open more doors, break chains, and heal the lives of the courageous people we serve.



PROGRAMS & MINISTRIES

Residential Programs

S.O.S. (Sisters of Survival)

A recovery program offering housing, food, clothing, life and employment skills, education, and overall well-being support for women survivors of human sex trafficking. (18+)

Facilitated by Hope Center Indy

Grace House

A recovery and discipleship program for women struggling with addictions and life controlling issues. (18+)

Facilitated by Adult & Teen Challenge Indiana

Transitional Housing

A program focused on properly positioning women phasing out of recovery programs, on a path towards gaining self-sufficiency and community reintegration. (18+)

Facilitated by Hope Center Indy

New Day Recovery

A 30-45 day, 24-hr care treatment program combining biblical truth, professional counseling, and medical services to provide addiction treatment, medical care, and family counseling. (18+)

Facilitated by New Day Recovery

Community & Compassion Ministries

Community Food Pantry | The David Nolen Pantry of Hope

A community food pantry providing a reliable food source to anyone facing food scarcity.

Facilitated by Kroger, Gleaners, and Anthem

Self-Defense Classes | I AM LONA

A resource for empowering women through self-defense, awareness, and education.

Facilitated by Misty Moore, I AM LONA

Outreach Ministry | Light in Darkness Ministry

A ministry that visits the street corners, strip clubs, and massage parlors ministering to those who are trapped in the sex industry.

Facilitated by Dr. Carolyn Knight, Light in Darkness Ministry

Education | COFFE (Community Outreach for Financial Education)

An outreach initiative to teach financial literacy to every community regardless of age, gender, or social status.

Facilitated by Josh Bach, COFFE

Clinical Therapy and Family Services | Wernle Youth and Family Treatment Center

A resource that provides opportunities for the growth and development of troubled children, youth, and their families.

Facilitated by Wernle Youth and Family Treatment Center

Spiritual

Worship Ministry | Hope Prayer Center

An on-campus space to experience God's sweet love and hope through worship and prayer.

Facilitated by Hope Center Indy

Street Ministry | Voice of Tomorrow

An itinerary ministry providing anointed times of worship, teaching, and encouragement in our communities and beyond.

Facilitated by Pastor Bob Schrecengost, Voice of Tomorrow

Prison Ministry | Mercy Unleashed

A compassion ministry reaching incarcerated men and women for Christ through discipleship training and ongoing spiritual formation.

Facilitated by Pastor Bernedette Haddad, Mercy Unleashed

Discipleship Ministry | REVIVE School of Transformation

A discipleship school helping people clarify their identity while teaching them how to minister like Jesus.

Facilitated by Dave Noel, REVIVE School of Transformation

Indian Ministry | Faith Community Fellowship

A ministry reaching out to the Indian community and telling them the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Facilitated by Pastor Manubhai Mecwan, Faith Community Fellowship

Chaplain Ministry | Workforce Chaplains

A ministry of presence and prayer when people need a person for prayer, encouragement, a shoulder to cry on or a listening ear.

Facilitated by Marcus Schrader and Daron Day, Workforce Chaplains

In-House Giving & Employment Engines

- The Redefined Hope Boutique, Coffee Shop, and Beauty Salon
- The Freedom Barn Wedding & Events Center
- The Blooming Hope Greenhouse
- Hope Anchor & Crew
- The Sew Hopeful Sewing & Quilting Ministry
- 316 Product Development
- EA Outdoors
- Search Pros

We proudly share our campus and collaborate with these community service providers:

- Hancock County Homeland Security
- Marian University
- Brickhouse Coffee
- 148 Ministries
- Butler University
- Community Arms, Inc.
- Families First

SUSTAINABILITY

In the last three years, Hope Center Indy has created four in-house fundraisers and one is currently in the construction stages. All these areas are designed to help with the sustainability of the organization through purchases and donations of our community as well as provide a skills training area where the women in our program can develop employable skills.

The Redefined Hope Boutique and Coffee Shop's purpose is to provide clothing for the women recovering at our campus, give financial support to the program, and coach the women in entrepreneurship. Our coffee shop is located inside the boutique space and equally serves as a fundraiser and skills training area.

The Freedom Barn Weddings & Events Center is a historic 5,000 square foot, 2-story brick barn, designed for weddings, corporate events, private events, and ministry functions. A portion of the fees collected benefits our residents' transition to freedom and wholeness.

The Blooming Hope Greenhouse serves as a space to grow food in, but also functions as a demonstration area where our residents are learning how to start seeds, transplant and tend to crop, harvest their own food, as well as learn small business skills. Flowers, plants, fruits and vegetables can be purchased on site and will directly impact the program.

A Beauty Salon (Construction Stages) will serve as an area for our residents who have an interest in the cosmetology industry to shadow licensed cosmetologists in addition to giving financial support to Hope Center Indy. Program residents will receive beauty services for free.

Other sustainability sources:

Rentable spaces include a cafeteria and a newly renovated ballroom. Yearly fundraisers such as the spring and fall fashion shows can help raise upwards of \$50,000 combined. Additionally, community partners bring volunteers on site to renovate spaces and donate funds to help advance our mission.



CONNECT FURTHER

Come grow alongside us as we take our ministry even further!

1. **Pray:** Join our prayer chain! Here are some areas to get you started:
 - a. Funding – Pray that God would provide all the necessary resources to help us strengthen His kingdom here in our communities and beyond.
 - b. Staff – Pray that our staff and volunteers would feel refreshed, encouraged, and prepared to walk alongside our residents as they go through their journey of healing.
 - c. Residents – Pray that they experience true restoration and lasting healing today and throughout their lives.
 - d. Supporters – Pray that God would fill our campus with people that are committed and passionate in supporting our work both with human and financial resources.
2. **Tour/Volunteer:** Tour our 25-acre, 210,000 sq. ft. campus! Public tours are offered every Saturday at 10:30AM, except on Holiday weekends. You may also schedule a private tour by emailing partners@hopecenterindy.org.

RSVP to our next volunteer orientation by contacting our volunteer coordinating team. There are many opportunities to serve on campus. Come out and find where your time, talents, and treasures can create the biggest impact!

Volunteer Coordinating Team:

317-752-1500

volunteers@hopecenterindy.org

www.hopecenterindy.org/volunteer-opportunities

3. **Donate:** There are always ongoing projects to support our mission. Financial donations can be made by mailing a check or electronically through our website. Additionally, a needs list is updated monthly with immediate requests. To view this month's needs or to schedule an electronic financial donation, please visit www.hopecenterindy.org/donations.
4. **Create Awareness / Book a Speaker:**
 - a. Would you like to educate your family, small group, or a group of friends about human trafficking and what Hope Center Indy is doing to help survivors? Contact us for more information on how to organize an awareness / fundraising event!
5. **Shop / Book an Event:**
 - a. All proceeds generated from sales in the Redefined Hope Boutique and Coffee Shop, the Blooming Hope Greenhouse, and the Freedom Barn are donated to Hope Center Indy to help with operating and program expenses.