

RESCUE MISSION OF UTICA

HOPE IN A TIME OF NEED...

OUR MISSION...

Parker House Residential Aftercare Program

Founded in 1890, the Rescue Mission of Utica is a faith-based, non-profit, multiple-service, charitable organization serving Utica and the Mohawk Valley. Open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, the ministry *"endeavors to assess and meet the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of all people coming for assistance."*

The Rescue Mission provides safe lodging, food, clothing, case management, counseling, advocacy, education, referrals and support services for individuals overcoming homelessness, abuse, addictions and disabilities.

The Rescue Mission offers the following programs:

- *Addiction Stabilization Center*
- *Community Based Residential Program*
- *Community Service Outreach*
- *Drop In Center*
- *Emergency Shelter (for men)*
- *Enriched Living Center*
- *Food Service*
- *Parker House Residential Aftercare Program*
- *Representative-Payee Program*
- *Skills for Success Job Training Program*
- *Thread of Life Thrift Store*
- *West Street Apartments*

MISSION STATEMENT

The Rescue Mission of Utica, Inc. is a Christian Ministry, established to proclaim, in word and deed, the life-changing Gospel of Jesus Christ, by unconditionally endeavoring to assess and meet the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of those individuals seeking assistance.

VISION STATEMENT

Be a conduit for God's love, grace and mercy; from which individuals can be healed, forgiven and empowered.

CORE VALUES

- *We believe in the God-given potential of everyone.*
- *We believe that it is God who changes lives.*
- *We believe in building relationships throughout our community to establish better care for the people we serve.*
- *We strive to instill hope in those who come to us.*
- *We value "mutual ministry" for every member in our community (including care receivers, staff, volunteers and donors) and strive to assist care receivers in rebuilding key relationships in their lives.*



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Reaching Out... Changing Lives

ABOUT...



The Parker House Residential Aftercare Program is a six month Christian discipleship program offering men a safe environment in which to grow spiritually while healing from addiction and other destructive behaviors. Residents receive one-on-one counseling, case management, Bible study, Chapel services, outpatient treatment, and advocacy.



SERVICES PROVIDED...

Residents are provided with:

- Share private rooms in a safe environment.
- Three meals a day.
- Free clothing & toiletries as needed & laundry services.
- Christian teachings.
- Medication management.
- Guidance in achieving a transition plan.
- Time management skills.
- Access to computers and the Drop In Center.
- Skills for Success Job Training Program - A construction skill building program where individual strive to gain meaningful career opportunities and employment through a construction trades program.

Facts:

- There are 13 recent program graduates.
- Several graduates are volunteers, employed, and/or furthering their education.
- Gave 5,654 nights of care to 70 unique individuals in our program in 2022.
- The Parker House Aftercare Program has been helping people in need for over 20 years.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS...

- 18 years of age or older.
- Open heart to the Gospel message.
- Must adhere to program guidelines.



Daily Activities include:

- Morning devotions.
- Seasonal outings.
- Out-patient Treatment at local day rehabilitation agencies.
- One-on-One counseling.
- Chapel Services, Bible studies and prayer meetings.
- Volunteering on our campus.

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"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." - Jeremiah