



Habitat
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Community BUILDER

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WHO WE ARE:

Seeking to put God's love into action, Habitat for Humanity brings people together to build homes, communities and hope.

Groundbreaking!

*Your Support, Your Service for
30 Years building houses for
God's people in need*

**A look back at some
favorite Habitat milestones**



1992: First Blitz Build in the
Goosetown neighborhood



2000: Third Blitz Build in
the Culver neighborhood



Milford Fuller, Jim Prickett - Treasurer
of Habitat



Milford Fuller, Jim Perigo-Habitat
Board of Advisors

1984: First Habitat home built in Evansville



1995: Board Members prepare for the Second Blitz
Build in the Old Erie neighborhood

2006:

New Haven
subdivision
begins



2010: Shadewood
development begins



2014: Twelve
new houses
to be built in
the Old Erie
neighborhood

Join us for our upcoming 30th anniversary event

Saturday, June 21 at Glenwood Leadership Academy
at 4:00 p.m.- 7:00 p.m.

Community picnic for donors, volunteers, partner families
and homeowners – all are welcome to attend!



Back to Old Erie

Habitat completes its work in the neighborhood nearly 20 years later

This year, you will see our construction team and volunteer crews concentrated in the Old Erie neighborhood. Many will remember our efforts in this neighborhood which took place in 1995 during a twenty-six home blitz build.

By building twelve new homes in this area in 2014, we intend to complete the revitalization of this neighborhood that began nearly nineteen years ago.

Old Erie is the second phase of a "block by block" strategy of redeveloping neighborhoods

that suffer from long-term disinvestment in both structures and people.

By returning to this neighborhood, we look to build simple, decent homes in a way that truly maximizes impact on homebuyers and the neighborhood as a whole.

Over the next few years, Habitat has a plan to target smaller neighborhoods and work on new home construction within the context of overall community development led by other partners in the area.

Upcoming Builds

Rukiya Durden

House Sponsor:

Old National Build

443 S. Evans



OLD NATIONAL BANK

Luke Datzman and Brittney Cook

House Sponsor:

**Fund for Humanity in partnership with
Eyewitness News Build**

531 S Linwood



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2014 Women Build

Women Build is Habitat for Humanity's program for women who want to learn construction skills and build homes and communities. This program brings together women from all walks of life to address the housing crisis facing millions of women and children worldwide. No experience is necessary!

Habitat for Humanity of Evansville would like to thank Tracy Zeller and sponsors from the Tracy Zeller OPEN 2013. The funds donated from the Tracy Zeller OPEN 2013 will be used in the 2014 Women Build.

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NATIONAL WOMEN BUILD WEEK 2014

Saturday, May 3-Sunday, May 11 and

2014 Partner Family

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Columbia Family Dental Center
Kenny Kent Toyota
Lieberman Technologies
Zeller's Master Tire
Master Tire & Accessories
Salon WOW
New Harmony Inn
Piece of Cake

Habitat Build Update

Congratulations to these new homeowners!

Natalie Scott

October 19, 2013

House Sponsor: Anonymous – In Memory of John H. and Mary Ada Berg
2215 Margybeth Avenue

Rosalind Robinson

November 23, 2013

House Sponsor: Steve Titzer Retirement Build in partnership with Harding, Shymanski & Company
2211 Margybeth Avenue



James and Lindsay Herring

December 11, 2013

House Sponsor: Catholics for Habitat
206 S. Grand Avenue

Danielle Moore

January 14, 2014

House Sponsor: Mount Vernon Ministerial Association in partnership with CountryMark
919 E. Second Street – Mt. Vernon



Sara Johnson

February 1, 2014

House Sponsor: Ron and Kathy Hollander Anniversary Build in partnership with the University of Evansville
509 Covert Avenue



Stephanie Baker

March 6, 2014

House Sponsor: United Church of Christ in partnership with Disciples of Christ
2014 S. Kerth Avenue

Kendra Collier

March 15, 2014

House Sponsor: United Methodist Build in Memory of Jim Fowler
2007 S. Fares Avenue

Lutherans For Habitat

Lutherans for Habitat is an organization of committed individuals, representing both Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) and Missouri Synod congregations in Evansville. Lutherans for Habitat believe passionately in the cause of decent shelter for all. This year they will build their 23rd home alongside one of our deserving partner families.



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Hollander Anniversary Build

The celebration of Ron and Kathy Hollander's 50th wedding anniversary gave a new meaning to the word "love." The Hollanders extended their love for each other to their community by sponsorship of a Habitat home. Being longtime volunteers of Habitat, Ron and Kathy knew the importance of empowering their fellow neighbors to be homeowners and the positive affect it would have on the community.

Their journey began with the construction of a Habitat home for Sara Johnson and her family in 2013. Partnering with the University of Evansville and working alongside the Johnson family, the Hollander family reached out to their friends for support. Among the generous responses they received was the help and support from their church, Resurrection Catholic Church, and its youth group. On Saturday, February 1, 2014 the Hollander Anniversary Build in partnership with the University of Evansville dedicated a Habitat home to Sara Johnson and her five children.



John Buthod and Delbert Wittman

Two faces of Habitat honored at Habitat Jubilee

Habitat for Humanity of Evansville honored its donors, volunteers and partner families during the Habitat Jubilee Celebration on October 15 at St. Mary's Manor Auditorium. As part of the celebration, two very special awards were given out to Habitat Volunteers that exemplify the qualities of the award's namesake.

Dee McMillan was a founding member of Habitat for Humanity of Evansville. She lived the Habitat philosophy and inspired others to embrace the cause. This year's Dee McMillin Award was presented to *John Buthod* who began his service to Habitat as a member of the Concrete Crew. Anyone can find him at Habitat Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Fridays, building yard barns. In the summer, John switches his talents from the Yard Barn Crew to the Mowing Crew taking care of all the Habitat properties.

The **Jim Fowler Award**, goes to an individual who has gone above and beyond in the area of construction. Jim was the founder of the Wednesday Crew, the forerunner of today's



Core Construction Crew, when he was a young retiree from Bristol Myers. This award was presented to *Delbert Wittman*, a volunteer who became an active member of the Core Crew in 1992. Dedicated to Habitat's mission, Delbert has worked on every Lutherans for Habitat Builds and will not hesitate to pick up a hammer for Habitat.

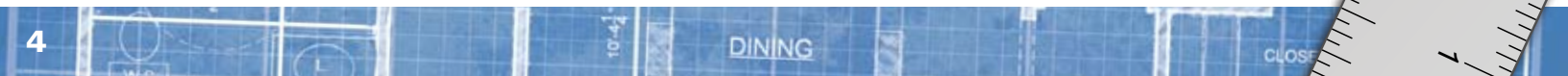
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Just Rennie's Catering
Lewis Bakeries
Links at Novadell
Warren D. Lyon
Bernard A. Mayer
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McFadin Higgins & Folz, LLP
Merry Maids
Mt. Carmel Golf Course
New Harmony Inn

O'Charley's
Pacetre Bake & Brew
Penny Lane Coffeehouse
Pizza King
Quail Crossing Golf Club
Quality Execution, Inc.
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Wolf's Bar-B-Q, Inc.



Your Commitment to the Perigo-Prickett Society Changes Lives

Thanks to the generosity of friends like you, Habitat for Humanity of Evansville brings people together to build homes, communities and hope. Through a planned gift, you can support the Habitat mission today or design a plan as part of your estate that benefits families after your lifetime.

You don't have to be a certain age or extremely wealthy. You just need a plan, and Habitat staff can help you learn more. By including a few simple lines in your will or revocable living trust, you can continue your support for Habitat beyond your lifetime.

We encourage you to share your final will provision with our development office to ensure that your wishes will be properly followed and recognized.

Tom and Marcia Ballard
Lois M. Bennett +
Lola J. Bromm +
David and Ginny Cook
Melvin L. Dickhaut +
LeRoy and Pat Dilger
Greg and Joyce Donaldson
Marjorie E. Ewing +
Gilbert and Alberta Fehrenbacher +
+ Deceased

Butch and Linda Feulner
Jim and Emily Fowler +
Theresa Frielinghausen
John and Lucille Gooch +
Dan and Lou Ann Green
Ben Greiner +
Eugene and Barbara Hamlow
Joyce Hendrix
Nancy Hitch

The Perigo-Prickett Society is a recognition society that honors those individuals who have remembered Habitat

for Humanity of Evansville in their estate plans or made a contribution to the Habitat for Humanity Endowment with the Vanderburgh Community Foundation. Please contact Sr. Jane Michele McClure for more information.

Building Tomorrow Today

The Perigo-Prickett Society



Recognizing those who have established an estate gift to benefit Habitat for Humanity of Evansville

Elizabeth Kalb
Dr. Llewellyn Lieber +
Bob and Shirley Nicholson
Dan and Laura Niemeier
Jim and Pat Perigo
Jim and Janette Prickett
Lori Reed
Charlotte Richardt +
Aileen Roberts

Richard and Joann Schechter
Carl and Beverly + Schofield
Kenneth Silverman +
Steve and Wendy Thomas
Fran and Vernon Vix
Maryedna Wilkie +
Scott and Holly Wittman
Anonymous (3)

BEST ONE GOLF OUTING

BEST ONE TIRE INVITES YOU TO PARTICIPATE IN THE 3RD ANNUAL GOLF OUTING TO BENEFIT HABITAT FOR HUMANITY. THE EVENT WILL TAKE PLACE ON MAY 22, 2014 AT CAMBRIDGE GOLF CLUB. ALL PROCEEDS FROM THIS OUTING WILL GO TOWARDS BUILDING HOMES, COMMUNITIES AND HOPE IN VANDERBURGH, POSEY, GIBSON, WARRICK COUNTY AND HENDERSON, KY.

WHEN: THURSDAY, MAY 22, 2014

WHERE: CAMBRIDGE GOLF CLUB - 1034 BEACON HILL, EVANSVILLE, IN 47725

TO REGISTER A TEAM OR LEARN ABOUT SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES, PLEASE VISIT

[HTTP://WWW.EVANSVILLEHABITAT.ORG/2014-BEST-ONE-GOLF-OUTING](http://www.evansvillehabitat.org/2014-best-one-golf-outing)

OR CONTACT MICHAEL ERWIN AT (812) 423-5623 EXT. 36 OR BY EMAIL

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Cars For Homes

A special Thank You to **Thomas Wiggers** for his generous car donation to help support Habitat for Humanity of Evansville!

What kind of vehicles can you donate to Cars for Homes? Well, that's easy! Cars, trucks, boats, RV's, motorcycles, farm equipment, and any other vehicle...running or not. When you donate a car to Cars for Homes, you will help Habitat for Humanity of Evansville build houses with families in need of affordable shelter.

The car donation process is quick and easy. It can be accomplished online at www.habitat.org/carsforhomes or with a toll-free phone call to 1-877-277-4344. If you donate an automobile or other vehicle, you may be eligible for a tax deduction.

Nice car.



Donate your vehicle to help build homes.



Cars for Homes

877-277-4344
carsforhomes.org

Youth United

Habitat is currently recruiting high school students (freshman – senior) who are interested in volunteering this semester through Youth United. High school students will learn leadership and teamwork skills, gain a better understanding of their community, and learn about the realities of poverty housing.

If you, a young person or group of young people you know would like to participate in this program, please visit evansvillehabitat.org/youth-united to complete and interest form and liability waiver.



Save The Date

HABITAT JUBILEE
CELEBRATION
ST. MARY'S MANOR
AUDITORIUM - TUESDAY,
OCTOBER 22

PARTNER FAMILY
APPLICATION MEETINGS
EVANSVILLE CHRISTIAN
LIFE CENTER - MAY 3,
AUGUST 16,
NOVEMBER 15

Why Give?

Joyce Hendrix

Hearing the call to give back to the community can come at any time in life. For Joyce Hendrix, the call came early in her life, but she wanted to find a way to continue giving beyond her time. It is with this spirit she stumbled upon an opportunity that allowed her to help her neighbors in the community.

“When you can involve people directly, they take pride in it. This is not a hand-out and that is what I’ve always loved”



Over the years, Evansville became Hendrix’s home; a home she wanted to give back to. She began giving back as an educator for EVSC for thirty-one years and spent the last part of her career as a Physical Education teacher. Witnessing the struggle some students had to afford gym outfits and other basic needs, Hendrix felt it was her responsibility to help however she could. Hendrix heard her call to give back to her community and it did not stop with her students.

Joyce Hendrix first became involved with Habitat for Humanity of Evansville through her church, St. Paul’s UCC. After witnessing the mission of Habitat and touching the lives of Habitat’s partner families, Hendrix realized she was working with a unique program. “When you can involve people directly, they take pride in it. This is not a hand-out and that is what I’ve always loved,” said Hendrix. She knew her volunteer hours and support made a difference in her community, but she wanted another way to continue. Hendrix began brainstorming and along with her friend in 2013, she created a will while keeping Habitat in mind. Hendrix is a single individual and wanted to make sure her affairs were in order as well as pass along her gifts in a lasting way. With her will, she wanted to take care of her family, church and then non-profits. In order for Hendrix to leave a bequest, all she needed to do was contact the non-profit, retrieve their contact information and tax identification number.

The creation of Hendrix’s will brought her peace of mind and it became another way to help her community. “If I could pass on this gift of housing through my will, there is no better higher calling.” Joyce Hendrix continues to make a positive impact on the lives around her. The creation of Hendrix’s will has given her generous spirit power beyond her years. To be able to give back in any way has brought joy to Joyce Hendrix’s life.

“I’ve been blessed – From whom much is given, much is expected. That is my motto.”

– Joyce Hendrix

Giving The Gift Of Change

HONOR / MEMORIAL / IN-KIND GIFTS: August 2, 2013-January 31, 2014

In Honor Of:

2013 Ron and Kathy Hollander 50th Anniversary

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Jake's Wayback Burgers

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Partner Family Snapshot Kendra Collier

Independence, hard work and responsibility are Kendra's motivation in life. Growing up in Evansville, she became pregnant at the age of 18 and overcame the challenges involved with being a single parent at such a young age. Her mother was the single parent of three girls, and she learned early on how to be independent and accomplish both her goals and dreams. Regardless of the challenges, she has always put her family first to support their needs.

Her number one goal is to provide a stable environment for her 3 young children. She also doesn't want to worry about where they are moving next. Beyond this goal, she has continual dreams for her children to succeed in the future. "My dream is to see my children go to college. I always want to set a positive example for them so they know they can accomplish anything they want. If I keep accomplishing the things I want, they will follow behind."

Kendra's build is sponsored by the United Methodist Churches in Memory of Jim Fowler.

To learn more about Kendra's journey to homeownership, please visit <http://www.evansvillehabitat.org/partner-families>



BEDROOM #3