

# The Sanctuary

Homeless  
Shelter

A SHELTER FOR THE  
HOMELESS PROVIDED IN THE

**LOVE OF CHRIST**



**Christ paid the price for our salvation so we may freely receive it. Thanks to YOUR generous donations we can freely offer our services to those in need.**

- You have witnessed our faithfulness since 1993
- There is no cost to our guests for their time with us.
- Small town homelessness is temporary
- Anyone can become homeless. It can be your friend, your neighbour, your relative and sometimes even our family!
- They can stay until they are in a place to leave the shelter and thrive outside of here.
- We provide basics such as: food, personal care items and full laundry services.
- **We have 4 guest apartments:**
  - An apartment that houses 4 single men
  - An apartment for smaller families and another for larger families
  - A 4-bedroom 2 bathroom apartment for women and children

**Sibin Sam, Director; Pheba Sam, Director of Pastoral Care;  
Pastor Mike Kelly, Executive Director**

I thank my God every time I remember you.  
In all my prayers for all of you,  
I always pray with joy because of your  
**partnership in the gospel**  
from the first day until now.

Phil 1:3-5





*A PRACTICAL MINISTRY OF*  
*LIVING OUT CHRIST*  
*TO THE HOMELESS*

**At The Sanctuary God helps our guests get back on their feet:  
Emotionally, Physically, Relationally, Occupationally, Financially, Spiritually**  
**ALL IN THE NAME OF OUR LORD JESUS**



**Concerning life at the Sanctuary,  
we expect our guests to:**

- Maintain their apartment and our building
- Maintain peace and behave as they would in the presence of God
- Be honest with us and others
- Not use any drugs, language, or lifestyle that is not acceptable in the presence of God
- Maintain personal hygiene & practice self care
- Abide by our Christ-Centered rules and boundaries
- Obtain a job and keep it
- Attend a local church service
- Attend our Life Coaching classes
- Help in local area ministries

**“The King will reply, Truly I tell you,  
whatever you did for one of the least of  
these brothers and sisters of mine,  
you did for me.”**



**SENDING OUT THE**  
*LIGHT OF CHRIST*  
**INTO THE WORLD**



Pheba, Chris, Sibin and Eva

Jesus said, "Go home to your own people and **tell them how much the Lord has done** for you, and how he has had mercy on you."

Mark 5:19

- IN 2020 WE PROVIDED MORE THAN 4500 INDIVIDUAL NIGHTS OF HOUSING AND OVER 20,000 MEALS TO MORE THAN 85 FAMILIES
- WE ARE FULL ALMOST EVERY NIGHT AND TURN AWAY 500+ PEOPLE ANNUALLY
- BY THE TIME OUR GUESTS LEAVE, THE MAJORITY OF THEM HAVE THEIR OWN APARTMENT, A JOB, ARE DEBT FREE, SOME SAVINGS AND OFTEN EVEN A CAR.
- THEY HAD THE GOSPEL SHARED WITH IN ACTIONS AND IN WORDS, AND MANY OF THEM RECEIVED CHRIST AS SAVIOR WHILE OTHERS HAD THE SEEDS OF LIFE PLANTED IN THEM..

**MOST LEAVE THE SANCTUARY WITH RENEWED HOPE AND  
GO INTO THE WORLD AS THE *LIGHT OF CHRIST***

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