

Local Outreach

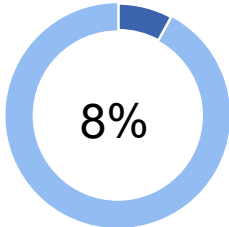
Legacy Lane Report

April 2024

Vision Gap
\$278,398

Vision
Received

\$303,000
\$24,602



Lane Overview

We are committed to making a positive impact in our community through our partnerships with various outreach organizations. We are supporting organizations like Good Samaritan Network of Hamilton County, Food4Souls, Grit Into Grace, Meals on Wheels of Hamilton County, GIMA, Best Buddies, and Prevail. By providing financial support, volunteering our time, and promoting awareness, we are able to help these organizations meet the needs of those who are most vulnerable in our community. We have a long-standing history of being there when people in our congregation and/or community experience life events that cause financial hardships. We always want to show the love of Jesus, do everything we can to meet the immediate need and offer longer-term assistance through one of our many partners. Over the past couple of years, many of you have asked how you could help in this area of benevolence, so we are creating a fund to help even more people.

Vision Projects

Homelessness/ Housing (GIMA)

GIMA organizes the faith community of Indianapolis to advocate for fair, affordable housing and ending Indianapolis' eviction crisis. Indianapolis ranks #2 in the entire country in evictions, behind New York City. The Greater Indianapolis Multifaith Alliance gathers faith leaders into a sacred friendship to collaborate on civic projects that serve the common good of greater Indianapolis, making our city a more equitable place.

Vision	\$12,000
Funded	\$ 1,813
Vision Gap	\$10,188

The Rock Initiative (ESC)

Together with our sister church, Eastern Star Church, Heartland is making a powerful impact in the Arlington Woods (46218 zip code) neighborhood through our partnership in The ROCK Initiative. We're proud to be a part of the effort to create The ROCK Community Center for Youth and Children, a safe haven where young people can thrive and reach their full potential. This center is vital to the larger plan to transform the Arlington Woods community and provide its residents with the resources and support they need to flourish.

Vision	\$100,000
Funded	\$ 0
Vision Gap	\$100,000

Good Samaritan Network

Heartland partners with the Good Samaritan Network (GSN) in Hamilton County to provide critical support to the local community through financial contributions and volunteer efforts. Our collaboration continues to be vital, helping GSN serve thousands of families with meals, housing assistance, and financial aid, and Heartland remains committed to increasing their support and volunteer engagement.

Vision	\$5,000
Funded	\$ 753
Vision Gap	\$4,247

Food4Souls

Food4Souls, an initiative stemming from Heartland Church, offers compassionate support and essential resources to Indianapolis' homeless population. They operate "Daniel's Home," providing services like food, hygiene, medical care, and psychological support, and in 2022, expanded their outreach with "Elizabeth," a mobile facility serving nearly 3,000 meals every Sunday. Additionally, they introduced "Rinse and Restore Mobile Showers" in April, further enhancing their impact after serving over 28,000

meals since 2012 and building strong community connections. Heartland remains committed to supporting Food4Souls and other partners, ensuring sustainable funding to make a lasting kingdom difference and provide hope and love to those in need.

Vision	\$54,000
Funded	\$ 8,152
Vision Gap	\$45,848

Grit Into Grace

Grit Into Grace offers hope and healing to women affected by sexual exploitation and trafficking through the Grit Into Grace Dream Givers House, providing support to those involved in the sex industry. Their programs have already benefited 75 women, offering essential services like case management, survivor support, transportation, advocacy, and more, with plans for a transitional housing facility, the Butterfly House. Heartland Church is a dedicated partner, providing ongoing support and contributing \$25,000 toward the completion of the Butterfly House, affirming their commitment to Grit Into Grace's mission of transforming the lives of these women.

Vision	\$48,000
Funded	\$ 7,245
Vision Gap	\$40,755

Prevail

Prevail is dedicated to empowering victims of crime and abuse on their journey to healing, offering free services such as advocacy, court support, counseling, and resources for rebuilding lives. They aim to provide individuals with a sense of value, support, and understanding during their challenging path to recovery, fostering a culture of care and healthy relationships within the community. Heartland Church is proud to partner with Prevail and support their mission of empowerment and healing.

Vision	\$2,000
Funded	\$ 300
Vision Gap	\$1,700

Benevolence

Benevolence is a special fund available to help Heartland partners, regular attendees, and members of our community when they are experiencing temporary financial hardship. The benevolence fund is intended as a source of last resort, to be sought only when the family or individual requesting assistance has explored all other possibilities of help from family, friends, savings, investments, or any other resources. It is intended to be a temporary help during a time of crisis. Additionally, many people coming to Heartland through this path are able to be connected to one of our many partners in the local community for additional, longer-term care in areas of Financial, Mental Health, Recovery, Grief, Medical, or any number of other avenues of care.

Vision	\$80,000
Funded	\$ 6,039
Vision Gap	\$74,000

Meals on Wheels of Hamilton County

Meals on Wheels of Hamilton County (MOWHC) is dedicated to enhancing the quality of life for homebound individuals and seniors by providing nutritious meals and fostering independence. Heartland Church is a proud partner of MOWHC, helping deliver over 300,000 meals during their eight-year collaboration, with last year seeing a 20% increase in demand as they served 360 clients, including 189 new ones. Recognizing the growing needs of the community's homebound and senior population, Heartland Church is committed to increasing their support for hunger relief partners like MOWHC to meet the rising costs and demand for food, making a positive impact on those in need.

Vision	\$2,000
Funded	\$ 300
Vision Gap	\$1,700

Connection Opportunities

Join us on our Legacy Team Vision Trips! Visit our Local Legacy Lane Partners, see their amazing work and impact, see the needs and challenges they face, and see new ways to support them. For any questions and to learn more, email legacy@heartlandchurch.com.

Prayer

- Pray for our pastors, staff, and serve teams ministering in underserved communities for wisdom and strength.
- Pray for our partners providing resources for the homeless, addiction recovery, and more for continued impact.
- Pray for the safety of our teams as they serve in neighborhoods and higher crime areas.
- Pray for increased access to affordable housing in our communities.
- Pray for resources to support our outreach initiatives to help those in need
- Pray for all of our partners; leaders, staff and volunteers that they would have courage, strength and wisdom as they continue to serve God's people in their area of expertise. Pray for the fundraising efforts and that God would continue to use them in a mighty way to serve Him by serving His people.