

# EMPOWERING PEOPLE

STREETS ALIVE MISSION



SUMMER 2025

## Hope Grows in Unexpected Places

**“See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland.”**

**ISAIAH 43:19**

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Have you ever seen a flower growing somewhere that makes no sense? Like a daisy growing between the cracks in the sidewalk or a tree sprouting in the tiniest gap between two brick buildings? **There is something beautiful and hopeful about the pushing through.** A dedication that is admired knowing that little seed was working behind the scenes in a harsh environment.

**Recently, one of our staff brought in a rag-tag bouquet created from the plants they found downtown.** A lilac branch here, a bit of goldenrod there, some prairie grass greenery. All placed in a little dollar-store cup on the lunch table. And it was beautiful.

We are a rag-tag wildflower bouquet too. Each of us grows through the struggles and hardships of our unique lives, bringing the hope and beauty of God's love to a dark world. **And while we are impactful alone, we are transformed into something so much greater together.** God sees the talents, gifts, beauty, and dedication within us, and brings us together to bring that hope in abundance exactly where it is needed most.

**Each person who donates, volunteers, or prays for us is part of this wildflower family.** Especially as we move into this exciting season of change with our new building, we are a clear symbol of hope in the darkest part of our city. Thank you for being part of the Streets Alive Mission bouquet.

**Thank you for joining us in bringing hope.**





# Coming Home Frequently Asked Questions

**Q: Why are you moving?**

A: We have outgrown our current space. In 2024, we served over 2,000 people and ran 7 programs from our downtown building. The new building increases our square footage, allowing us to run 9 programs from one location and bring hope to even more hearts.

**Q: Where is the new building?**

A: The new building is at 711 2A Ave N Lethbridge. That is directly across from the Soup Kitchen and Shelter. We are excited to bring light to the darkest part of our city through this new building.

**Q: When are you moving?**

A: We have purchased the building and begun renovations. We hope to move and begin services by the end of 2025.

**Q: Is the downtown location closing?**

A: Yes, but not immediately. Once the new building is ready, we will be moving all the services from our downtown (323 4th St S) location to this new building.

**Q: Is your new building a shelter?**

A: No. We will provide our services during the day, and our property will be securely closed overnight.

**YOU CAN HELP US COME HOME!**  
**Visit [StreetsAlive.ca](https://StreetsAlive.ca)**

## UPCOMING EVENTS



**WING DING**  
JUNE 28<sup>TH</sup>



**EXODUS GOLF TOURNAMENT**  
JULY 18<sup>TH</sup>



**RIDE FOR REFUGE**  
OCTOBER 4<sup>TH</sup>



**KALEIDOSCOPE OF WOMEN**  
NOVEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup> & 8<sup>TH</sup>

Learn more at [StreetsAlive.ca](https://StreetsAlive.ca)



**REMINDER:**  
**OUR MAILING ADDRESS HAS CHANGED!**

You'll see our new return address on our mail-outs:

**P.O. Box 1474**  
**Lethbridge, AB**  
**T1J 4K2**

Streets Alive Mission is planning to raise an estimated \$1,200,000 this year on fundraising campaigns. It will cost the organization an estimated \$149,000. The money raised will be used to provide services for those struggling with poverty in our community.

**THANK YOU FOR BRINGING HOPE FOR THE FUTURE TO OUR COMMUNITY.**





## A Story of Recovery from the Genesis Women's Life Recovery Program

Reflecting on 120 days. It's surprisingly hard to put into words what my future looks like. **When I think about what's next for me, I'm overcome with emotion and my heart, the core of my being, swells with hope.** There are many aspects of my life that are changing and all I can do is continue walking the path that God has laid for me. I still don't know where I'm going to end up, but **I have faith that I will end up where the Lord wants me to be.**

He has already blessed my life with the support and love from my family, some pretty amazing friends, He's guided me to start the process for my daughter and most importantly, **He is giving me the strength and love I so desperately needed.** I will continue to heal, grow, and learn. I love the life I have and am ready to take risks I never would have taken before. I plan on being just as surprised as everyone else in my life with how far I am going to go, and with what I am capable of achieving.

### URGENT NEEDS

**Can you help with anything on our wish list?**

new underwear • hoodies • sweatpants • jeans  
backpacks • hygiene items • furniture • appliances  
water • non-perishable foods  
financial donations to purchase needed items

**Donations accepted at our RePurpose Donation Centre:**  
219 12B St. N. (back alley) Monday to Saturday, 9 am - 12 pm, 1 pm - 4 pm.

**READY TO BRING HOPE?**

Your support provides for the physical, emotional,  
social, and spiritual needs of the poor.

**DONORS GIVE *THROUGH* US, NOT TO US.**





# BRINGING HOPE Summer 2025



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## YES ! I believe in Bringing Hope!

I have enclosed a signed void cheque ☐ OR please charge my credit card ☐

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On the ☐ 1st or the ☐ 16th day of each month *(or the next business day)*

Please charge my credit card: # \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ CVV \_\_\_\_\_ Phone#: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I want to receive my tax receipt annually ☐ OR each time I donate ☐

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and do not share our lists.**

### Bringing Hope Monthly Giving Plan

By joining the Streets Alive Mission Helping Hands program you invest in the lives of people who desperately need your help. Through your continued financial support the vision of Streets Alive Mission is being fulfilled. You are the reason we are Bringing Hope to the Hopeless.

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