

## Events

February 24<sup>th</sup> – Dane County Approval Meeting  
June 6<sup>th</sup> – Praise in the Prairie 2015

## How Can You Help?

To ensure success, it will take much prayer, many volunteers, and a solid financial backing. We look forward to partnering together!

1. Pray with us!
2. Donate towards our building and help stop homelessness in our community.
3. Contact a business that you have a personal relationship with and ask them to partner with us.
4. Sign up to volunteer and let us know how you would like to help.

## PRAISE!

God is Alive! He is answering our prayers and your prayers for this ministry.

- The City of Sun Prairie is in full support of what we are doing. They even asked how they can help!
- Donations continue to come in for the purchase of the building.
- We've had another individual working on our board. Please give a warm welcome to Teresa Bechner who is heading up SFTSM's budgeting.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

We are always using the most powerful tool we know to accomplish everything God is leading us to do: PRAYER! Join us in praying for Shelter from the Storm Ministries:

- That our upcoming fundraising events would be pleasing to God and beneficial towards our goal of a permanent shelter for single mothers and their children facing homelessness.
- For the health, safety, and well-being of our clients.
- For opportunities to speak with many more individuals in our community.
- That we would always be walking in God's will and seeking his perfect timing.

Thank you for being such an important part of this ministry. We couldn't do it without you!



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## EXCITING NEWS!!!

The City of Sun Prairie and Town of Burke UNANIMOUSLY voted YES for the re-zoning of the Prudential Realty building to become a homeless shelter! We have one more meeting on February 24<sup>th</sup> to get the Dane County approval and then our offer to purchase will be accepted!

Shelter from the Storm Ministries is close to having a new, permanent, home!

## WISHLIST

Now that the shelter is becoming a reality, we are in the midst of preparation. We recently sat down and brainstormed all of the "things" we would need to open our doors. This is where YOU come in! Everyone has their circle of influence. We are sharing our list with you in hopes that you or someone you know has a connection with a person or business that would be willing to help us out.

Landscaping – One of our requirements with the city is to change our landscaping. We need a landscaping company to step forward to help us out. We'll also need laborers.

Furniture – New or very gently used tables, chairs, nightstands and NEW mattresses.

Appliances – Kitchen appliances and washer/dryers

Playground Equipment – New, commercial grade equipment

Computers – 6 new computers

Carpenters – to build beds, shelving, and closets

TV & DVD players – flat screen, wall-mountable

Building Upgrades – Water heater, water softener, and water filtration

If you know of any business or person that would be willing to donate any of the above items, please email [info@sftsm.org](mailto:info@sftsm.org)!