EXPANDING Hope • Health • Housing

SAM25 MISSION:
We help those affected by poverty improve their circumstances to become self-sufficient.

“...whatever you do for the least of these...”
Matthew 25:40

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN
GOAL
$410,000

BENEFITS TO OUR COMMUNITY:
• Expanded Resource Center in partnership with area agencies.
• Expanded space for educational programs.
• Access to health care with referral help for health insurance.
• Expanded emergency shelter for children and adults.

HOW YOU CAN DONATE:
• Mail a check to SAM25 Capital Campaign, P.O. Box 147, Shawano, WI 54166
• Online donations may be made via PayPal on our website at sam25.org or through facebook.com/sam25.org
• Donate through gofundme.com - Shawano Area Matthew 25, Inc.
• To arrange Stock/IRA Transfers, Gifts from Life Insurance Policies or Estates, please contact SAM25.

THANK YOU!

TESTIMONIALS:
“SAM25 has helped me tremendously. They provide all around support & encouragement... I am so grateful for all that they do.”
- Guest G.G.

“Even when you are struggling, SAM25 still treats you with respect. The staff and volunteers were wonderful to work with.”
- Guest B.R.

“When I was down on my luck, SAM25 gave me a helping hand... not a hand-out. That’s what SAM’s House seems to stand for.”
- Guest C.G.

SAM25 VISION:
Our community works together to support the needs of those living in poverty and offers individualized opportunities to gain self-sufficiency to have hope for a better future.

CONTACT US
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**Hope**

**RESOURCE CENTER**

- **Expand daytime Resource Session access.** Resource Sessions provide assistance with housing and job searches, shower facilities, hygiene supplies and clothing.
- **Offer practical life skills courses** in areas of budgeting, obtaining and maintaining employment, landlord/tenant relations, nutrition and parenting.
- **Provide space for programs** such as “Getting Ahead in a Just-Gettin’-By World” and “Bridges Out of Poverty”.
- **Work to prevent homelessness.**

**Health**

**COMMUNITY CLINIC**

- **Open a clinic** serving low-income and uninsured patients.
- **Provide referrals** for insurance assistance.

**Housing**

**EMERGENCY SHELTER**

- **Provide a larger, more functional emergency shelter space** for children and adults.
- **Expand SAM25 mentoring programs** that guide guests to permanent housing and employment.

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**WHY ARE WE EXPANDING?**

- Provide a permanent home for SAM25 (current location is temporary).
- Add space for year-round educational programs.
- Create space for a Community Clinic.
- Increase shelter capacity as current shelter is often full, with a waitlist.
- Improve kitchen, laundry, additional bathrooms and shower facilities.
- Operate a Thrift Store to provide job access/training and a continual funding source for SAM25 programs.

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**WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT!**

Your donation, above and beyond your usual support, will help reach our goals and strengthen our community. Help break the cycle of poverty with a donation to the SAM25 Capital Campaign.

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**SAM’s House Emergency Shelter is the ONLY emergency homeless shelter in Shawano County.**

- **Percentage of shelter guests moving on to permanent housing:**
  - 2016-2017
  - 2017-2018
  - 2018-Present

- **SAM25 has provided**
  - 16,000 MEALS...
  - 6,000 NIGHTS OF STAY...
  - for 227 ADULTS...
  - 71 CHILDREN...
  - plus 350 Resource Sessions to community members outside of SAM’s House Shelter.