



2025 IMPACT REPORT

**“You can do what I
cannot do, and I can do
what you cannot do.
Together we can do
great things.”**

– Mother Theresa

Together we inspire HOPE!

Mission

To provide support and education that will promote food security and a path to economic mobility

Vision

We envision a community that is stable and self-sufficient



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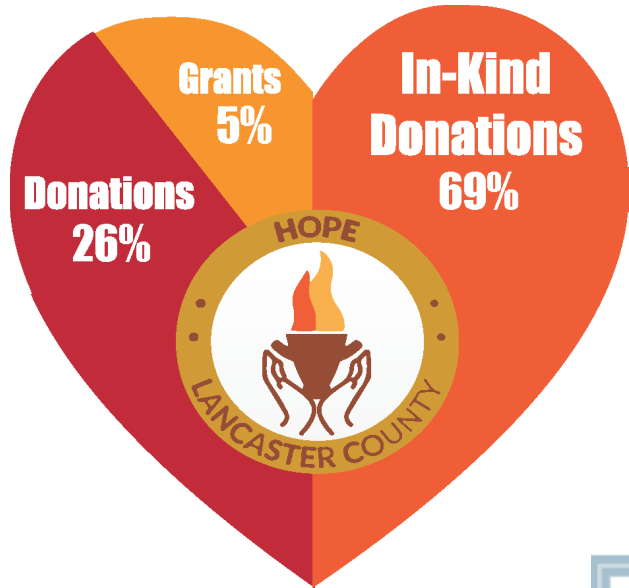
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**JAKE
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FOOD OPERATIONS
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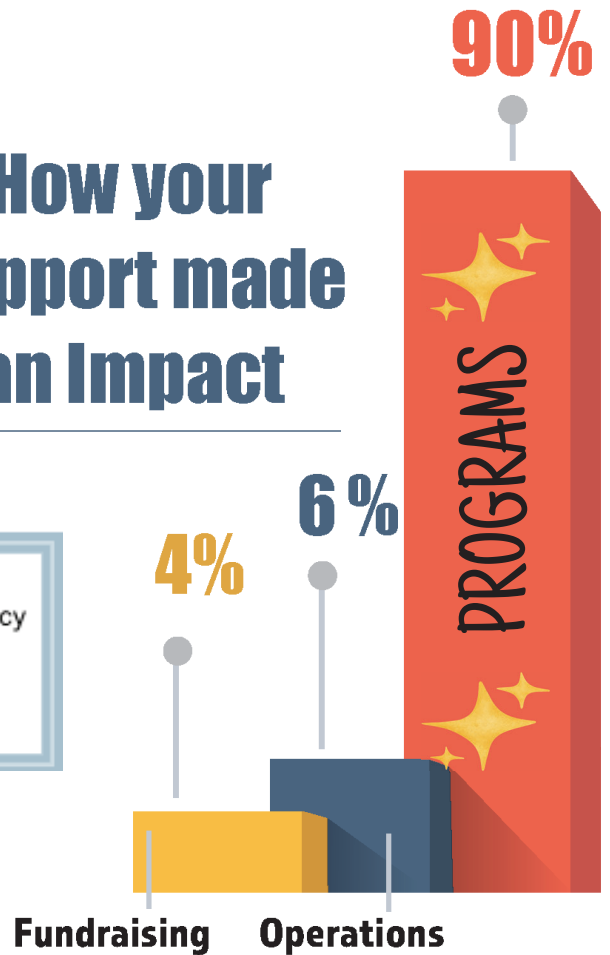
Community Support



Donations, Grants and In-Kind

\$2,028,879

How your support made an Impact



200+ Volunteers
16,293.3 donated hours

volunteers donated
\$566,843.90
of their time to make a changing
impact in our community

Per the GAAP, Volunteer hours are not included in the above breakdown for Impact Support

Community Impact

Your impact is made in every community in Lancaster County including the following:
Buford Heath Springs Indian Land Kershaw Lancaster Van Wyke & Fort Lawn

Jump Start Program

3,052

**NEIGHBORS RECEIVED
FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE**

4,912

**NEIGHBORS
MET WITH A
CLIENT ADVOCATE**

7,827

**RESOURCES PROVIDED
PARTNER AGENCY REFERRALS**

16,236

**TOTAL
ASSISTED IN
ALL PROGRAMS**

Bounce Back Program

18

**GRADUATES IN THE
16-WEEK GETTING AHEAD
WORKSHOP**

**2 NEW
FACILITATORS**

208

**HOUSEHOLDS RECEIVED
BOUNCE BACK MENTORING
FOR 2-6 MONTHS**

\$1,205,405

**FOOD
DISTRIBUTED**

Fresh & Healthy Food Initiative

1,236

**HOUSEHOLDS PARTICIPATED
IN SEASONAL PROGRAMS
FOOD LIONS FEEDS
WARD FAULKENBERRY**

5,009+

**SENIORS ASSISTED
IN WELLNESS PROGRAMS
AND PANTRY ASSISTANCE**



27

**PARTNER AGENCIES
ASSISTED BY HOPE**

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regarding HOPE's
programs or updates
about HOPE visit
www.hopeinlancaster.org

find us on
Facebook & Instagram



OUR SUPPORTERS



Access Kershaw



United Way of Lancaster County, Inc.



OUR SUPPORTERS



Community Partners & Supporters

911 Center
AARP
Active Day
Albert's IPS
American Legion - Stafford Graham Post #31
Ansley Park Development
A. R. Rucker Middle School Beta Club
Arcavate
Barr Street School Class of 1968
Buford High School Honor Society
Carolina Christian Academy
Coding & Reimbursement Education INC
Cooley Group
David Blackwell Law LLC
E & J Gallo Winery
EKB Transport
Earnest Floor Care
Edgewater Neighbors
Elginwood Farm of Lancaster LLC
Founders Federal Credit Union
Frank Robertson Rentals, LLC
Green's Townhomes
Hall Family Farms
Indian Land Basketball
Indian Land Beta Club
Indian Land Rotary
J & S Inc. Ready-Mix Concrete
Janice Mathis - State Farm Insurance
K & S Pub
Lancaster Breakfast Rotary
Lancaster Christian Homeschool Co-op
Lancaster County Community Foundation
Lancaster County Emergency Management System
Lancaster County Farm Bureau
Lancaster County Public Works
Lancaster County Solicitor's Office
Lancaster High School Junior Civitan's
Lancaster High School Special Needs Class
Lancaster Lunch Rotary
Lancaster Shag Club
LCHC 17:20 Homeschool Group
Lore Brewing Company
Marsha Patterson State Farm Insurance
Moose Lodge
Murdock Orthodontic Group, PA
Palmetto Bowl Schools
Palmetto Study Club
Planet Fitness
Plantation Point Dentistry
SCCL Cooking Fingers Club
SCCL Democratic Club
SCCL Ladies 9 Hole
SCCL Pickle Ball Club
SCCL Pod 0
SCCL Pod Z
SCCL Sew Much Fun Club
SCCL Turkey Point Landing
SCCL Volunteers & Helping Hands
Square and Compass 24th Masonic District
State Farm Companies Foundation
Sun City 16
The Children's Council
The Surgery Center at Edgewater
Traffic Education Program
Tree Tops Cares
United State Post Office - Lancaster
USC-Beaufort
USC-Lancaster Nursing Faculty & Staff
USCL Nursing Students
Walnut Creek Neighborhood
Winthrop University
Woodsmen of the World
YMSL Waxhaw Young Men's Service League
York Electric Trust Inc.
Youth Council of Lancaster NAACP

Faith Family and Friends

3 M's Sunday School Class
Belair United Methodist Church
Belair UMC - Women's Circle
Bethel Christian Community Church
Bethlehem Baptist Church Youth
Bethlehem Baptist Church
Bright Light Baptist Church
Camp Creek United Methodist Church
Cedar Rock Missionary Baptist Church
Christ Episcopal Church
Covenant Baptist Church
Crossroads Lutheran Church
Douglas Presbyterian Church
First ARP Church - Women's Ministries
First Associated Reformed Presbyterian
First Baptist Church - Lancaster
Betsy Mize Sunday School Class
First Baptist Church - Women
First United Methodist Church
First Washington Baptist Church
Flat Creek Baptist Church
Flint Ridge Baptist Church
Friends in Christ SS Class
Grace Presbyterian Church
High Point Freewill Baptist Church
Hopewell Methodist Church Youth
Hyde Park Baptist Church
Immanuel Baptist Church
Knights of Columbus
Latter Day Saints
Liberty Freewill Baptist
Liberty Hill Presbyterian Church
Men's Prayer Breakfast
Mt. Carmel AME Zion Church
Mt. Nebo Baptist Church
New Cut Presbyterian Church
New Life Christian Assembly
Oakhurst Baptist Church
Oakridge Women of the Church
Our Lady of Grace Auxiliary
Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church
Pleasant Dale Baptist Church
Pleasant Valley Baptist Church
Providence Presbyterian Church
Reformation of Lutheran Church
Rich Hill Baptist Church
Second Baptist Church of Lancaster
Sherwood Baptist Church
Shiloh ARP Men's Fellowship
Shiloh Women's Ministries
Southland Church
St Philip Neri Catholic Church Women's Club
St. Catherine Catholic Church
St. John Baptist Church
St. Luke United Methodist Church
Tabernacle United Methodist Church
The Church of the Good Shepherd UMC
Trinity Methodist Church
United Methodist Women of Zion
Unity ARP Church
Van Wyck Presbyterian Church
Wade Presbyterian Church
Westside Baptist Church
White Springs Baptist Church
Women of Grace Presbyterian Church
Zion Methodist Church of Lancaster, Inc

Whether you are giving your time or treasure, HOPE in Lancaster, Inc. appreciates our supporters. There are many ways you can inspire HOPE in our community by supporting our programs. Here are just a few:



Donate Online

Go to

hopeinlancaster.charityproud.org/Donate
to make a donation



Become a Monthly Supporter



For too many of our neighbors, there is a gap between what they earn and what they need to meet their basic needs. We are looking for people to help us bridge that gap and help our neighbors make a change. You can help! **For as little as \$18 per month, you can help to fill a gap for a family in our community.** Your monthly commitment lets us be strategic and forward-thinking. It lets us know that when we try to empower our neighbors and build stronger communities, you'll be there to support us. Please join us in building something that lasts.

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Become a Partner

HOPE recognizes our partners who make a significant investment in our community. We invite you to become a recognized partner by making an investment in our programs at one of these levels this year!

Good Neighbor \$1,000-\$4,999/year

Community Leader \$5,000-\$9,999/year

Change Maker \$10,000+/year



Volunteer Your Time

We have many volunteer opportunities in all areas that we serve. Your skills and passion will make a difference by expand the impact of HOPE to our neighbors. Visit hopeinlancaster.org/get-involved/ and review the opportunities available or our Volunteer Hotline at 803.577.5466

Planned Giving & Non Cash Gifts

YOUR LEGACY. YOUR WAY

Planned charitable giving is something we can all do...it's not just for the wealthy.

Like so many people, you'd like to know that the causes and organizations you care about today will continue to thrive in the future. And with just a little planning, you can help make that a reality.

A planned charitable gift can be simple, easy to do, and can benefit you and HOPE. It can also help ensure your philanthropic wishes are honored and allow you to leave a lasting legacy of HOPE.

What is Planned Giving

It is a transfer of a designated portion of your assets to a charity like HOPE, during your lifetime or as part of an estate plan. You make it your personal plan by determining what you care about most, then deciding what you want your future gifts to impact

Non-Cash Gifts

Non-cash contributions are gifts made to a charitable organization of an asset other than cash.

Types of non-cash gifts can include stocks, appreciated securities held over one year, restricted stock, pre-IPO shares, cryptocurrency, real estate, and mutual funds.

It doesn't have to be difficult..

Always consult your financial/legal advisor when planning.

For more details on how to incorporate a meaningful legacy through planned giving or to donate non-cash gifts, please reach out to HOPE. We're here to guide you in realizing your philanthropic goals and ensuring a lasting impact in HOPE and our community. For personalized assistance feel free to contact Susan Dolphin, our Executive Director at sdolphin@hopeinlancaster.org.