Pathways to GROWTH

2019 ANNUAL REPORT

Life Enrichment Center
Because everyone has value.

To promote transformational growth through a holistic approach

Transformed lives, transformed communities

Income=$726,883

- Contributions: 14%
- Grants: 14%
- Rent Income: 60%
- Sale of items/services: 13%

Expenses=$714,352

- Admin: 39%
- Fundraising: 18%
- Building: 5%
- Café & Catering: 32%
- Programs: 6%
### Spiritual/God Given Purpose - Reaching God-Given Potential

- **Bible Study & Spiritual Classes** - 1,151 participants
- **GED** - 4 graduates
- **English as Second Language** - 187 participants
- **Creative Activities**
- **Getting Ahead in a Just Gettin’ by World Class Life skills** - 18 graduates
- **Core Construction Skills training** - 10 graduates
- **Yellow Truck Art Village** - 52 participants

“I was completely broken by the time I came back home. This class was a big part of how I started to remember my faith—remember the love God has for me and has always had for me. He never stopped loving me! He will always be with me no matter where I am. Hearing truths versus lies helped me remember I am a child of God, and I am not worthless! I am not ashamed of who I am. His grace and mercy and His never ending love are the core reasons I am healing and building myself esteem up and accepting who I am in Christ. SO IF YOU FEEL ASHAMED, WORTHLESS, HOPELESS, OR UNLOVED... These classes may help you just like they have and are helping me.” - Amanda Thompson, spiritual class attendee

### Esteem Needs - Preserving Dignity through Exchange Charity

- **Earn a Bike** - 9
- **Choice Pantry** - 139 shoppers
- **Christmas Store Served** - 843 children served,
- **Community Garden Beds** - 50 garden plots adopted this year!

““God has given us two hands, one to receive with and the other to give with”

– The Reverend Billy Graham

### Relationship Needs - Offering a Sense of Community

- **East Dayton Senior Collaborative (EDSC)** - serving
  - **35+ seniors per week**
- **Recovery Café** - 11 participating weekly members

“I started coming to the Recovery Café from the beginning and grand opening. I have lots of problems that I need recovery from. It has helped me to recover from shyness and pushing others away. Now I love others as they are. When I come to Thursday group, it helps me to stay on the right path.” - Elizabeth

### Health & Safety Needs - Providing a Safe Environment of Grace

- **Fitness Center** - 1,173 participants
- **Health Fair & Screenings** - 67
- **Nutrition & Cooking Classes** - 32 participants
- **MAK Town Safety Village**

“I’m a single mother of four. I love it there since I’ve been struggling with my four babies that need everything. Thank you for helping us!! God bless your!!” - Mariah

### Basic Needs - Meeting Immediate, Practical Needs

- **Community Breakfast** - 11,568 meals served
- **Free Tax Preparation** - 208 tax returns
- **Showers & Haircuts**
- **Clothing Room**
- **Mailboxes**
- **Computer Lab**

- **In House Partners** - 15
- **Community Resource Days** - 39 agencies participated

Volunteer hours - 14,805 hours

“I actually came to the LEC for food. It is worth coming back for. I keep coming back because I enjoy the interesting classes plus it is a different spirit here, a different soul.” - LEC guest