



Purpose

Rescue, rehabilitation, and restoration for people in crisis.

Core Values

Christ-centered,
Compassion, Restoration,
Enrichment, Excellence,
Leadership

The Rescue Mission believes that a Christian life and belief in the Bible is an answer to all problems, and a firm foundation on which to build a purposeful and exemplary life.

Religious belief is a personal choice and not a requirement for services or requirement for admission.

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Allentown Rescue Mission: Facts at a Glance

The Mission's programs have a goal of ending homelessness one person at a time; and in some cases, preventing homelessness. The Mission has been helping people make significant, positive changes in their lives for over 100 years. The Mission has program entry points for clients at various levels.

Programs

Gateway Center

The Gateway Center (emergency shelter) is the most basic of our programs and is often the entry-point into our long-term programs. Gateway Center receives clients, literally, off the street, who have exhausted all support and typically have multiple and long-term problems. To find out more, call [610.740.5500](tel:610.740.5500) x13.

Life Recovery Treatment Program

Since 1997, the Life Recovery Treatment Program (LRTP) has offered FREE services to help men (18+) overcome addiction. No client is denied services because of funding difficulties. LRTP's focus is on each individual's dedication to treatment and his progress. To get help or find out more, call [484.239.2654](tel:484.239.2654).

Christian Living and Values Program

Christian Living and Values Program (CLVP) offers a Christ-centered, residential program to help homeless men make the transition from life on the streets to being healthy, active and productive members of the community. The program requires each participant's dedication and commitment to change, submission and discipline. To find out more, call [610.740.5500](tel:610.740.5500) x24.

The Clean Team

The Clean Team is the Allentown Rescue Mission's workforce development program. The Clean Team teaches members important values, work ethics and life skills in order to become successful, contributing members of the community. Visit www.cleanteampa.com to find out more.

The 150 Challenge

The 150 Challenge is a year-long initiative for the betterment of our community. Through www.150challenge.org, the mission coordinates projects to help people and organizations complete projects that improve local quality of life. The initiative is in honor of the 150th Birthday of mission founder Obadiah Becker.

Funding

The Rescue Mission depends on private gifts and donations, not government funds. More than 90% of our donations are received from private contributors. The current annual report is available at www.allentownrescuemission.org.

The Obadiah Becker Society

The Obadiah Becker Society recognizes founding donors and leadership donors committed to supporting the Mission. To find out more, call [610.740.5500](tel:610.740.5500) x14.

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