

ANNUAL REPORT 2021



JULY 2021- JUNE 2022

Putting God's love into action to build homes, communities, and hope.

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A Year in Review



New single-family homes built: 4

Total cost of homes: \$442,000

Avg. home value: \$121,000

Individuals impacted: 16

Homeowners pay an average monthly mortgage of \$453 (inc. taxes/insurance)

70%

of each home is built by
volunteers

Number of volunteers: 766

Volunteer hours: 5,547

\$151,304 financial donation equivalent

Future homeowner families in program: 14

Total sweat equity hours: 2,555

5 new homes in the pipeline for FY22

Members from **The Orchard, First United Methodist, St. James Catholic, 1st Presbyterian and Harrisburg Baptist** sponsored and built our FaithBuild 2021 home.

Corporate Sponsor, **HomeStretch Furniture**, generously provided 363 volunteers donating 1,452 hours.

Building Self-Reliance



With encouragement from her father, **Bridgette McCoy** applied to our program and fulfilled her 300 sweat equity hours which involved building other families' homes, and participating in financial literacy and homeownership courses. Bridgette has had a long career as a forklift operator and has recently been learning additional skills.

She and her family moved into their brand new home in August, 2021. The very first time Bridgette went to the bank to pay her mortgage she told us, "It felt so good to finally be paying the bills on my *own* home!"

Habitat homeowners are.....

proud to build and pay for their homes

invested in their community

taught fiscal responsibility in partnership with area banks

taught homeownership skills

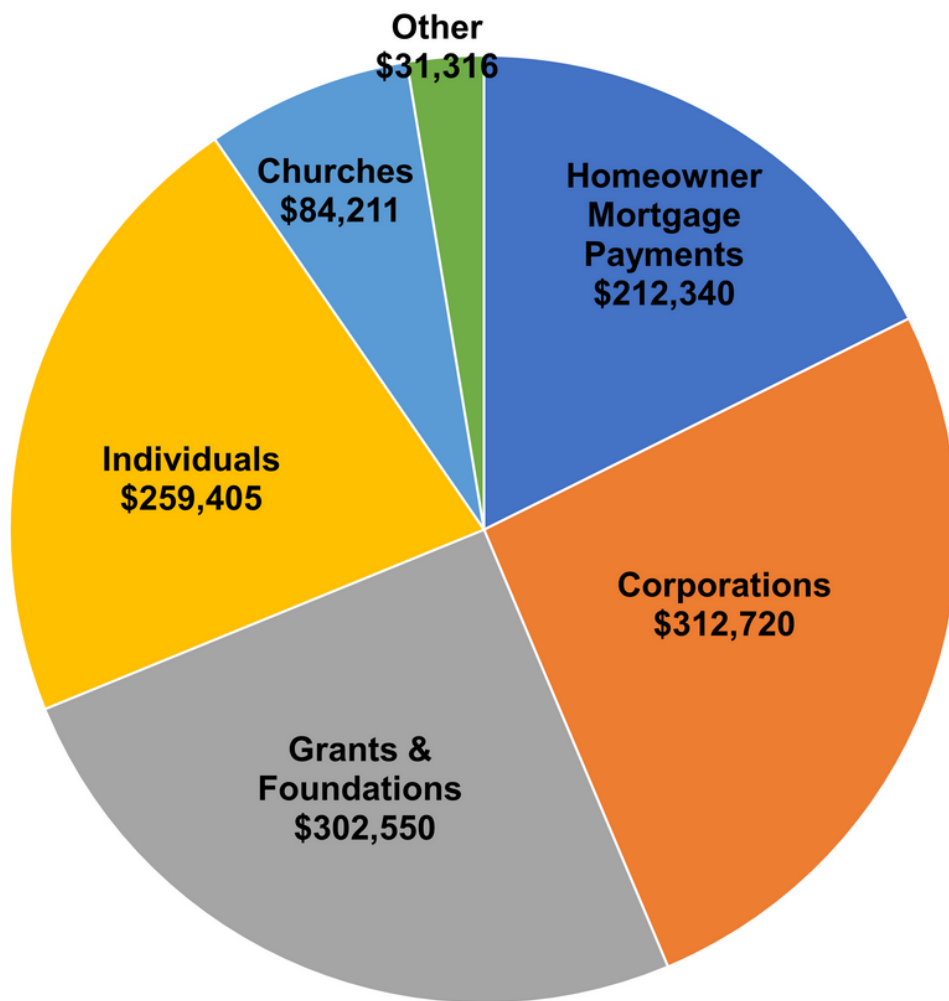
Lisa Richey is the proud mother of 2 daughters and 1 granddaughter. Daughter Shari, is an LPN at Cedars and also studying to be a Registered Nurse. Her daughter, Jasmine, is a 1st year medical school student at the University of Mississippi Medical Center in Jackson. Her granddaughter, Gabby, just finished 6th grade.

As the Assistant Manager at Hardee's, Lisa starts her day mighty early working the 4am-3pm shift. Our **FaithBuild 2021** project, where we partnered with 5 area churches to sponsor and build Lisa's home, was made a reality in April, 2022.

Lisa recently reflected, "This home was a true blessing. Thank you for making this commitment to my family. I couldn't wait for that first night in my very own home and getting a good night's rest."



Funds Raised: \$1,202,542



Of every \$ raised,

81% is used for cost of homes/program support

5% is used for fundraising

14% is used for management/general



\$429,126 was generated from our Habitat builds and **put back into our local economy.**

Building Strength

Moving 4 families into safe, attractive and affordable home ownership will generate nearly \$5,000 annually **in new tax revenue.**

Corporate and civic volunteers from **62 organizations** participated on one of our builds.



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