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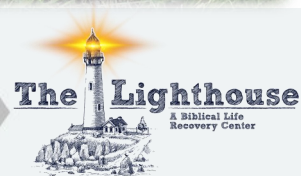
Meet Avery

Raised in a Christian home, the son of a pastor, Avery never imagined the struggles he would face with addiction. At a young age, Avery found himself searching for help as he encountered run-ins with the court system again and again. Finally landing at The Lighthouse, Avery felt he was on the right path for his recovery. He was making great strides in breaking the bonds of addiction in his life when he was unexpectedly removed from our program by a court system from a different county. In that moment, however, God had plans for Avery that none of us could understand. Through God's providential plan, the judge allowed Avery to return to The Lighthouse weeks later. He picked up right where he left off, growing through the difficult trials that God had led him through. Avery recently completed our six-month program and graduated! He is now living at our graduate home and continuing to grow as we walk alongside him and encourage him in his walk of faith and sobriety. We are so proud of the growth Avery has experienced as he learned to trust in the Lord, even when things didn't make sense, and are so grateful to see him walking in freedom from his addictions. Will you help The Lighthouse reach men like Avery by returning the enclosed donation slip with your gift? We can't do this without you.



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Save the Date!

Our annual online auction will be a stand-alone event this year! We have been receiving amazing items that will be available for you to bid on during the week of

June 20th—26th.

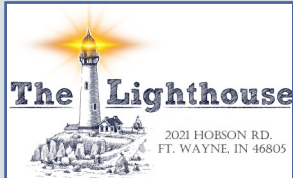
Visit the site now to register and meet some of our most urgent needs!

Silent Auction Link:

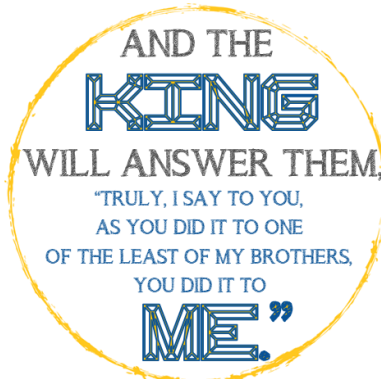
<https://LighthouseCharityAuction.ggo.bid>



June 20—26, 2021



As we seek to broaden our ministry scope into 2022 and beyond, the board and staff of The Lighthouse have been reflecting on Matthew 25:35-40, asking how we should be affected by these verses. How can we live out this commandment to its fullest? It is with excitement that we are proposing the expansion of our services through a Community Center, enabling us to live out the commands from Matthew 25 in the following ways: **Prisoners**—The Lighthouse has launched a hand-written letter outreach to those in far. **Hunger**—we will address and feeding ministry in our proposed Community Center. **Stranger**—we currently take in



strangers by way of our transitional living center and we hope to expand our outreach to strangers through our proposed Community Center. **Naked**—last year we provided over \$6,000 in free clothing vouchers from our Family Thrift Store, we plan to continue in this ministry. **Sick**—the new proposed Community Center would have free community nursing, case management, and Biblical Counseling services. We can't wait to see how God moves as we seek to follow His commands in reaching the least of these. Check out the enclosed graphic and stay tuned for more information.