



2024

ANNUAL REPORT



A DECADE OF IMPACT

Restore Integrity



Respect Dignity



Revitalize Community

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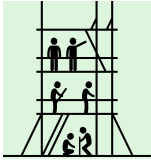
10 Years of Impact...can you believe it?! As we approach a decade of serving East St. Louis, since January 2015, We are overwhelmed with joy as we look at all that God has done through the generosity of so many people like you. Lives have truly been changed! Entire families have been altered! Hope has shifted from wishful thinking to a tangible reality of God's abundant provision. Thank you for being a part of this transformational work.



"Our mission is not just about building houses or creating jobs; it's about instilling hope and breaking cycles of poverty through opportunity. Every small win here represents a step toward lasting change."

~Dave Kuntz, Executive Director

Impact By Program



Workforce Development - Preparing youth for life after high school through a HS diploma program, construction credentialing, personal, professional and spiritual development

- Employed & educated **32** highly vulnerable youth through over **750** program training hours
- Provided an alternative route for vulnerable youth to find **hope**, finish their HS diploma and earn industry recognized credentials in construction
- **Inspired** youth in career readiness & exploration
- Worked with key partners to provide needed wrap-around services for our youth.
- **Hired 2** R3 program graduates onto the R3 staff
- **48.5** cumulative total of credits earned at R3 toward student's high school diplomas.
- **3** students completed their **HS diploma** through R3's Careers Academy YouthBuild program
- **1** graduate earned a **full-ride college scholarship**
- **4** OSHA-10 certifications acquired
- **115** module tests completed in construction credentialing curriculum
- **\$50,000+** in wages collectively earned by R3 interns
- **12** students employed



Affordable Housing - Serving the community through dignified and affordable housing projects, property management and resident education.

- Empowered over **25** individuals through dignified & affordable housing initiatives
- Deployed youth & volunteers onto construction job sites to create and preserve dignified housing
- Progressed on affordable housing training site ("Triplex") - HVAC, framing, plumbing, deck, gutters, windows



2nd Saturdays - Mobilizing a diverse community of change-agents to restore relationships and rebuild the community of East St. Louis.

- Mobilized **215+** regional volunteers to foster racial reconciliation & a renewed vision & hope.
- Partnered with **30+** organizations to provide hope in East St. Louis



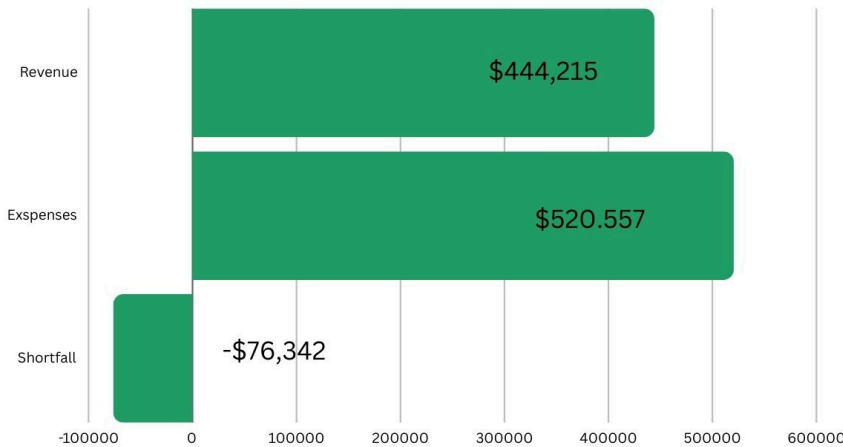


Financials

As we're approaching the end of 2024, we want to thank you all for your continued support this year. We are so grateful for the opportunity we have to serve God's people in East St. Louis. It's through your support and prayers that the Lord has sustained our work over the past 10 years.

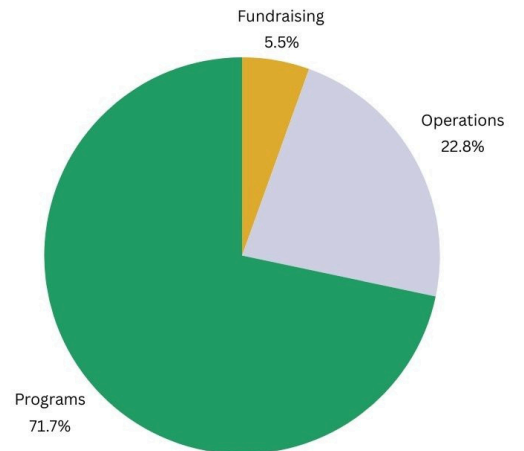
Profit / Loss

Jan 1 - Oct 31, 2024



Expense

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