

## LEGACY OF LOVE

More than 150 years ago, The Bowery Mission opened its doors to anyone in need of hospitality, comfort, and the promise of a new life. And still today, we believe in the dignity and flourishing of every individual.



## Homelessness in NYC





For anyone facing material hardship, New York City can be an unforgiving place to live. More than 100,000 New Yorkers sleep in public shelters each night. Sadly, many New Yorkers live on the razor's edge, just one crisis away from homelessness. An estimated 4,000 people are living unsheltered in the subways, on the streets of Manhattan, or in one of the other boroughs.

Sources — City of New York, NYC Homeless Outreach Population Estimate (HOPE)

## 1. Compassionate Care

Compassionate Care invites guests to Choose Help. Through hospitality, food, safe shelter, clothing, showers and medical care — tangible expressions of God's love — we meet the immediate needs of each person who walks through our Red Doors.

Last year, we provided:

-  320,000 meals
-  66,000 nights of shelter
-  32,000 articles of clothing
-  45,000 emergency showers









## 2. Residential & Community Programs

Residential & Community Programs help clients **Make Progress**. Clients access comprehensive services for physical, emotional, psychological and spiritual healing — all in the context of a safe, supportive community.

Last year, we served:

-  124 adults with vocational support
-  214 adults in residential programs
-  47 adults who exited residential programs with employment
-  54 adults who exited residential programs with secure housing

## 3. Transitional Housing & Alumni Programs

Transitional Housing & Alumni Programs inspire graduates to **Sustain & Grow**. Through transitional housing and ongoing access to services, graduates are equipped to find success beyond the walls of our programs.

Alumni continue to engage with The Bowery Mission community through reunion events and volunteer opportunities. They also have ongoing access to vocational services, and provide support and encouragement to others through sharing their own stories at chapel services, graduation ceremonies, events and more.



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## 4. Children's Programs

Children's Programs empower children to **Thrive & Succeed**. Year-round opportunities for enrichment culminate in an unforgettable weeklong experience at our 200-acre camp in the Poconos Region of Pennsylvania, where they build lasting, healthy relationships with counselors and peers.

Last year, we served:

-  203 children & youth in year-round enrichment programs
-  300 children & youth at summer camp
-  49 children & youth who participated in 1:1 tutoring
-  44 youth active in formal leadership training
-  7 volunteer adult mentors paired with youth

## JOIN US

Join the 10,000 volunteers who enable us to rebuild hope in the lives of homeless and hungry neighbors in our community.

### Get Involved

Serve a meal, lead a workshop or help in our clothing room. Visit [bowery.org/volunteer](http://bowery.org/volunteer) or email [volunteer@bowery.org](mailto:volunteer@bowery.org).

### Donate

Make a monetary gift or donate clothing, food or other goods. Visit [bowery.org/donate](http://bowery.org/donate) or email [donategoods@bowery.org](mailto:donategoods@bowery.org).

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