

Knights in Action

The Knights of Columbus support the mission of Habitat for Humanity, which not only helps people to become homeowners, but also actively involves them in the process. This teaches valuable skills, develops confidence and provides experience. Millions of dollars and millions of hours given in earnest by the Knights has meant shelter for deserving families across the country.



“It will be a shelter and shade from the heat of the day, and a refuge and biding place from the storm and rain.”

— Isaiah 4:6

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What is Habitat for Humanity?

Habitat for Humanity is a nonprofit, Christian organization founded in 1976. Habitat partners with people in your community, and all over the world, to help build or improve a places for those in need to call home. Habitat homeowners help build their own houses alongside volunteers and pay an affordable mortgage.



Mission

Housing insecurity touches nearly half of adults at some point in their lives. 1 in 8 people worldwide live in urban slums. A lack of clean water and sanitation claim the lives of nearly 2 million young children a year. The numbers continue to grow and the slum challenge remains a critical factor for the persistence of poverty in the world.

Impact

Habitat for Humanity is responsible for providing quality shelter for more than 13 million people in more than 100 countries. The homes provide stability, safety and security for families and children.

“Convert to the love of God and neighbor; a love that knows how to [emulate] the Lord’s attitude of gratuitousness and mercy — he who ‘became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich’ [2 Cor 8:9].”

— Pope Francis

Getting Involved

There are many ways to get involved with Habitat for Humanity whether you are handy or not. Contact your local Knights of Columbus council to inquire about an upcoming build. Find out what will be needed at the job site from the Knights of Columbus council. If working on a job site isn't for you, you can donate to support the mission.



Things you may be asked to do on a Habitat for Humanity Job Site:

- Build a house working with a job foreman
- Learn about the different aspects of construction
- Paint
- Plant flowers
- Help cook food for workers
- Clean up the job site