

## Vision Statement

The Barnabas House is a Christ-centered environment providing housing, education, and empowerment for homeless, runaway, & throwaway youth.

### **Current Barnabas House**

Located in Holland & provides safe shelter for young women

### **Barnabas House Future Vision**

- To have a full campus of services for homeless, runaway, and throwaway youth including: short-term and runaway teen housing, a network of discipleship homes for long-term care and growth, and housing for teens in need of independent living and life skills training.
- Provide family mediation, mentoring and discipleship for teens and their families.

### **BARNABAS HAS BEEN GIVEN 25 ACRES OF LAND ON WHICH TO BUILD THE BARNABAS HOUSE!**

#### **Barnabas House Overall Goals**

1. Keep the family together, if at all possible, understanding that some situations mandate respite care, longer term placement or the building of social and life skills to live successfully independently.
2. Positively develop the youth within their community, empowering them to navigate life successfully.
3. Give them hope for the future, and the opportunity to step out of their current negative life cycle.

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## 9th Annual RIDE FOR RUNAWAYS



**SATURDAY, JULY 31, 2010**

**Riding to raise awareness and  
financial support for homeless,  
runaway, and throwaway youth  
in West Michigan**

On July 31, 2010 Barnabas Ministries will team up with the Redemption Riders to raise awareness and financial support for homeless, runaway and throwaway youth.

The Ride will start at Central Wesleyan Church, 446 W. 40th, in Holland.  
Registration begins at 8:30am.

The Ride will end at VictoryPoint Church, 11530 Ransom, in Holland, which is adjacent to the new building site for the **Barnabas House**. Lunch will be served.

## REGISTER TODAY!



**Barnabas House Full-Campus project: 25 acres of land has been donated to Barnabas Ministries, on which to build the Barnabas House. This site will become a banner for the community as a "safe refuge" for youth, and as a key location where teens - and their caregivers - can go for help in times of crisis.**

**Holland House: already having eternal impact on the lives of the young ladies who have stayed there. Financial needs are for operational expenses, case management, and mortgage debt retirement. Physical needs include personal care items for the girls.**

Ride with us, sponsor a rider, or donate to this life-changing project!

## Registration Form:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

2nd Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

\$25 per Bike; \$15 for an extra rider

Total Registration: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Tax-deductible Gift: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

*Riders who turn in a PAID registration by Friday, July 23, will receive a Ride T-shirt.*

*T-Shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_*

*Additional shirts will be available for purchase at the start and end locations*

*This is an alcohol & drug free event*

Mail check and registration form to :

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