

Newsletter

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The Light House
Recovery Center



Director's Desk

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Happy New Year, friends! It's a blessing to wake each morning to fulfill the role God has set for us at Light House. We dedicate ourselves daily to our community, knowing that no matter our troubles, God will guide and use us to manifest His glory.

We're excited to continue to walk with our women, encouraging and aiding them toward transformative lives. We're dreaming big in 2025, including launching our Little Lights Daycare to provide mothers in our community with a safe, affordable, nurturing place for their children. Join us to see the wonderful plans God has for us this year!

The Old is Gone, the New has Come!

The year 2024 has come and gone, and now it is time to usher in a new year; we're gearing up for major events. One of our absolute favorites is graduation. This is a time to honor the incredible achievements of the women we've supported. We've seen many women pass through our doors. While several have achieved sobriety, those we celebrate have completed the full journey, mastering our residential education, therapy, and self-reliance phases. Join us to witness their transformative stories, see them receive their crowns, and support them as they embark on their next chapters.

These women deserve our applause. They've successfully navigated a challenging six-month course, achieving sobriety and securing employment, obtaining driver's licenses, reuniting with their children, starting savings accounts, buying vehicles, and finding clean and sober living environments. What's next? Now, they're poised to impact those around them positively. Now, they can give back to their community. We've helped them discover their identity and worth, filling their love cups with acceptance, protection, affirmation, guidance, and discipline. Now, they're ready to give back. I hope you'll join us in celebrating their accomplishments this year.

HE WILL WIPE EVERY TEAR FROM THEIR EYES. THERE WILL BE NO MORE DEATH OR MOURNING OR CRYING OR PAIN, FOR THE OLD ORDER OF THINGS HAS PASSED AWAY. —REVELATION 21:4 (NIV)

The Light House Recovery Center 2025 Graduation Ceremony



Please RSVP (559) 222-4824

Thursday February 27, 2025
6:00 PM

Cornerstone Admin Building, 3rd Floor
1545 Fulton St. Fresno, CA 93721

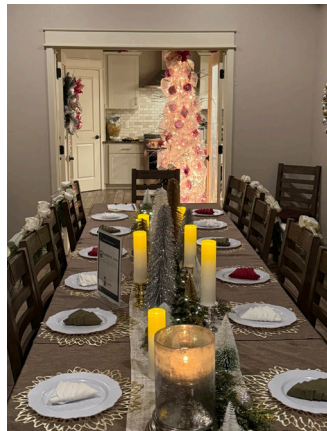
Looking Back



The Christmas Open House at our miracle mansion, the House of Hope, was a tremendous success. Guests were welcomed by carolers, enjoyed a self-guided tour of each beautifully decorated room,

and had the chance to meet the ladies who shared how each space serves their journey. The evening was made even more delightful with snacks, hot cider, and live piano music. Every detail, from the exterior lights to the bows and glitter in the break room, was thoughtfully arranged by our partners, adding special touches of love throughout.

We are deeply grateful to everyone who came out to support this event. Your presence and belief in the vision of Light House—to transform lives within these walls—made the evening truly memorable. Celebrating with all of you who share in our mission was the perfect way to end the year. Thank you for being a part of our community and for helping make this a night to remember.



Donate Today



Thank you for being the undercurrent that keeps our 'Light' shining in the dark places.

Upcoming Event



TABLE HOSTESS INVITATION
Ticket \$40 | Table \$320

559-222-4824
An event to benefit



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Melissa Espino
'Invincible'

Can we count on you? We need YOUR help to make this event a success.

IT'S EASY!

- Fill a table of 8
- Bring a dessert
- Bring a pot of soup
- Collect a few re-gift items

Soup for the Soul

Saturday February 8, 2025
11:30 TO 1:30
Northwest Church
5415 N West Ave
Fresno, CA 93711

Soup for the Soul is just around the corner! Reserve your table today and join us as we launch our 2025 theme, "Invincible." Enjoy a selection of savory soups, try your luck at our auctions, and be inspired by a message from Melissa Espino, Chaplain of Central California Women's Prison. Interested in sponsoring this event? Please contact our office for more details.



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