



# Hope Awaits

MINISTRIES

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## Monthly Newsletter

Summers are usually a slower time for businesses with people being away and everyone having busy schedules. Hope Awaits is no exception; yet even during our slow month we continue to see God working in this ministry!

At the beginning of July we looked into being a part of the fundraising event Ride for Refuge that happens every fall all across Canada and the States. This was an item that was brought forward for prayer as we looked to God to guide us through the process of applying to join the Ride. Just like we have seen in the past, God continues to answer our prayers; He guided us through the process, and we were accepted as a charity to be a part of the Ride with no problems.

We are thankful to those who organize Ride for Refuge. Through all their hard work people anywhere in Canada and the States can now ride their bike or walk on October 3<sup>rd</sup> to help support Hope Awaits. Now Hope Awaits simply needs to recruit team leaders and riders to ride their bikes for the homeless in North Bay. Like everything else, we continue to look to God to supply all we need; including the individuals who will give their time and/or money to this event.

In July we also received our first response to the donation letters that we sent out at the end of June. It had been a while between when we had sent out the letters to when we got our first response; however, when we got that response from Walmart we clearly saw that even when we have doubts God continues to be faithful and provide for our needs.

The Executive Director, Nicole Millage, also had the opportunity to go and view another potential location for Hope Awaits located on First Ave E. The remainder of the board as well as some building experts still have to go and view the building to check the quality of the structure and if it is feasible, however it is always encouraging to see more potential locations become available to us.

We continue to look forward in anticipation to see what mighty things God is going to do in our city!

Thank you for your continued prayers and support!

Sincerely,

Hope Awaits Ministries' Board of Directors

**Glory be to God!**