

# TRANSFORMATION project

CHANGING LIVES, CHANGING COMMUNITIES

Newsletter

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## MESSAGE FROM KEN HAWLEY:

Dear Family and Friends,

**In Him our hearts rejoice, for we trust in His holy name.  
Let your unfailing love surround us, Lord, for our hope is in you alone!**  
Psalms 33:21, 22

Our heartfelt thanks go out to everyone who attended our First Annual TTP Cook-Off on Friday, June 22nd. And thanks to all of you who gave to our Building Fund/Go Fund Me Campaign! We had a wonderful evening filled with great food, incredible music, amazing testimonies, a fun and very unique live auction, and the glorious goodness of our Lord! No doubt God brought us all together for an inspiring evening of miracles and hope. And so many have shared they can't wait for our 2nd Annual Cook-Off and auction!

So far we have raised a grand total of \$20,173.94 of the \$75,000 we need to close out our Building Fundraiser. But, then there's God!

Have you ever felt like you've been given up on? That people who once believed in you no longer have hope or faith in you? We work with people like that all the time, and we refuse to give up hoping and believing that their lives can be transformed and that miracles will happen.

With our donations dropping off considerably over the last 6 months, we at The Transformation project could be tempted to feel given up on. Perhaps many have lost hope with The Transformation Project. But God never gives up on us – NEVER! So we will never give up on Him or those He has called us to love. We are so confident that "The One who began a good work in us and among us will bring it to completion." Philippians 1:6.

**Now FAITH is confidence in what we HOPE for and assurance  
about what we do not see.**  
Hebrews 11:1

**Faith.** How can we expect others to have faith if we don't believe?

**Hope.** How can we give hope away if we stop hoping?

**Love.** How can we love if we don't have hope & faith enough?

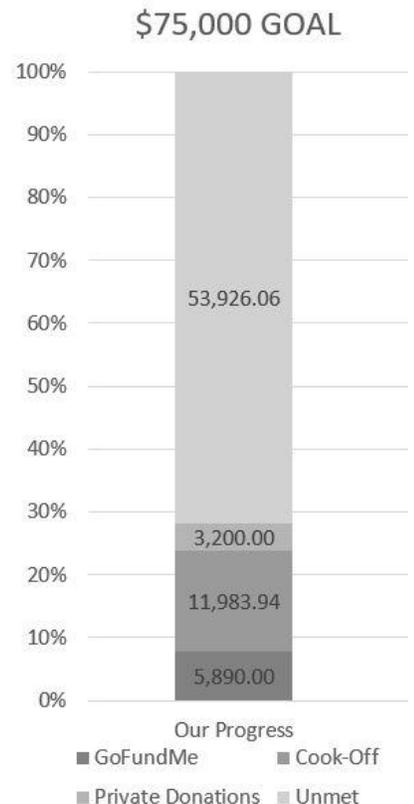
**Transformation.** How can we be used to transform lives and communities if we don't have the assurance about what we have yet to see?

Together with **faith, hope and love** lives and our communities will be transformed!

Because God's love never fails,



**Ken Hawley**  
Founder and President



## First Annual TTP Cook-Off Update

We were very pleased with our First Annual Cook-Off! In total, we raised nearly \$12,000 toward our Building Fund! We would like to thank the following for their participation:

**Community of Grace**

(Winner of Best Overall and Best Team Spirit)

**Warm Waters Heating & Cooling**

(Winner of Most Creative Dish)

**First Evangelical Free Church of Maine**

(Winner of Tastiest Dish)

**Bamboo Bistro**  
Patti Bruce  
Channels of Blessings  
Chipotle

**Westbrook House of Pizza**  
White Pine Community Church  
Joe Williams  
Shamrock Sports & Entertainment

**Juniper**  
Mehuman  
Mister Bagel  
Otto's Pizza

We look forward to seeing you all again next year!

**THANK YOU!**

## TTP Prayer Partners

Here at The Transformation Project we believe that all that we do is being directed by God. As we continue to build this ministry, we need a prayer covering. Does your church have a prayer team that would be interested in partnering with us in prayer as we move forward? Are you called to pray with us? (This is in addition to the prayer meeting we have every Wednesday at 6:30 pm here in Westbrook.) I will be building a network of prayer partners over the coming weeks and I would love to have you join us!

Please reach out to me at [miriam@thetransformationproject.org](mailto:miriam@thetransformationproject.org) if you or your church would like to be part of this. You can also call me at 207-854-2226. (Most of my communications will be via email, for now.) Thank you!

**Miriam Hawley**  
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