



YOUR CHURCH



Josiah

white's

| Foster Care

**TRANSFORMING FAMILIES
& COMMUNITIES
ONE CHILD AT A TIME.**

THE PROBLEM.

Poverty
NEGLECT
Addiction
VIOLENCE
NEGATIVITY
ABUSE
Hopelessness
GENERATIONAL
TRAUMA

Why this is important?

Families in our community are under attack. We know that the enemy seeks to destroy what God has ordained. We see it often in our own families, in our churches, and in our communities. In many ways, children are the most vulnerable to this attack. Sometimes, children need a safe place for a while and families need time to heal, grow, or put the pieces back together. Everyday Christian families are opening up their homes; however, far too often we have to say, "No, I am sorry, we do not have a Christian home for that child."

There is a shortage of foster homes in every community.
47% of foster children have to leave their home communities.

Meet Daniel,
a 7 year old
boy who was
removed from
his home.

His mom is
struggling to
overcome
addiction and
he has
experienced
neglect.



THE SOLUTION.

YOUR CHURCH. **YOUR HOME.** **YOUR FAMILY.**



Did you know? If every church in Indiana had one foster family, there would be ***more than enough*** foster homes.

Why the church? Many families in our community are in crisis and the body of Christ is called to show compassion. Beyond caring for a foster child, Christian foster parents can share the love of Christ with the child and their biological family, creating an ***eternal impact***.



Daniel is welcomed into a foster home from your church community.

He is shown the love of Jesus and he and his family begin a path towards ***healing***.

THE MISSION.

Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me, and whoever receives me, receives not me but him who sent me. - Mark 9:37

You can join Josiah White's effort to create *more than enough* Christian foster families in your community.

The steps.

1

Partner to share the need for Christian foster parents in your church.

2

Partner to help us share this message in your community.

3

Pray for your church community to meet the call to become foster parents.

4

Actively support the foster families in your church in their ministry toward families in crisis.

As Daniel attends your church along with his foster family, his mom begins attending as well

and a ***loving village*** is created around him and his family.



WHY JOSIAH WHITE'S?

Josiah White's is transforming foster care through the largest network of Christian homes and churches in the state of Indiana. We believe the Holy Spirit is working every day to put this call on the hearts of the body of Christ. We are honored and humbled to be part of the solution to find help for kids and families needing the assistance of foster homes.

We need your help. We would love to work alongside you to mobilize your church and your community on behalf of its children and families.

Together, we can be the village for Daniel, his biological family, and his foster family.

Scan here to learn more about how your church can support Daniel and his family.



1 John 3:18

Dear children,
let us not
love with
words or
speech but
with actions
and in truth.



Speak up for those who cannot speak
for themselves, for the rights of all
who are destitute. Speak up and judge
fairly; defend the rights of the poor and
needy.

Proverbs 31:8-9

Learn to do right; seek justice.
Defend the oppressed. Take up the
cause of the fatherless; plead the
case of the widow.

Isaiah 1:17



Jesus said,
“Let the little
children come
to me, and do
not hinder
them, for the
kingdom of
heaven
belongs to
such as these.”

Matthew 19:14



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