

St. Jude House Media Kit

About St. Jude House

St. Jude House is a nonprofit organization serving Northwest Indiana, dedicated to empowering survivors of domestic violence and their children through safe shelter, advocacy, and comprehensive supportive services.

Impact Quote

“Every person deserves to live free from fear. At St. Jude House, we provide not only safety in moments of crisis, but a pathway to healing, stability, and independence for adult and child survivors of domestic violence.”

Our Impact

- 1,116 individuals served (2025)
- 9,356 nights of shelter provided
- Expanded extended-stay shelter model
- Transitional Housing Program launched
- Added on-site mental health services

Programs & Services

24/7 Crisis Hotline, Emergency Shelter, Community-Based Advocacy, Children’s Services, Transitional Housing, Outreach & Education

Mission

As a ministry of Franciscan Ministries, we share their mission to Celebrate Life & Serve with Joy. St. Jude House works to disrupt the cycle of abuse and reduce domestic violence in Northwest Indiana.

Leadership



Anna Schoon, Executive Director

Anna Schoon is the Executive Director of St. Jude House, where she leads efforts to empower survivors of domestic violence through safe shelter, advocacy, and comprehensive support services. With more than 30 years of nonprofit leadership experience, she has advanced trauma-informed care and expanded programs that strengthen families and communities across Northwest Indiana. Her work focuses on building partnerships, increasing resources, and driving systemic change to support long-term safety and healing.

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Media & Resources

[Downloadable Photos](#)

[St. Jude House Overview Video](#)

[Program Documents \(Keys to Freedom, Landlord Program\)](#)

[Volunteer Document with QR Code](#)

Press & Recognition

[Holleran Award](#)

[The Times article](#)

Website

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