

#### Empowerment Resurrection Center 2010 Annual Report

### **Mission Statement**:

To aid as well as support the rehabilitation of current substance abusers into developing new and healthier ways of coping with life.

### Goals for 2010:

- To become licensed by the State of Pennsylvania to provide outpatient substance abuse treatment
- To provide weekly group and individual substance abuse counseling to the residents of Chester and surrounding areas
- To employ qualified substance abuse counselors to provide these services.
- To secure long term funding for ERC
- To partner with local churches, community and government agencies in order to make ERC's mission known and to achieve financial and community support

#### Accomplishments in 2010:

- ERC was licensed by the State of Pennsylvania to provide outpatient substance abuse treatment on June 30, 2010.
- ERC hosted two substance abuse prevention activities for youth through funds from Behavioral Health Services Committee On Prevention Education.
- An ERC website has been developed and stationary, business cards, envelopes, and brochures have all been obtained with ERC's digital logo.

# **Operations**:

The board of Directors met 5 times in 2010.

ERC has partnerships with the Chester Upland School District, Chester Housing Authority and Seeds of Greatness Bible Church.

# Finance:

A total of \$11,214.38 was donated to ERC in 2010. Some of this support came from individual private donations but the vast majority of this amount was generously donated by Seeds of Greatness Ministry. They committed to providing continuous financial support of ERC until ERC can generate alternate funding sources.

A total of \$1000 was collected in board member dues.

Funds were spent in the following ways: Rent for office space, two computers and printers, office furniture, phone and internet services, office supplies

## Goals for 2011:

- To begin substance abuse treatment program
- To raise more money to fund operations at ERC
- To host two youth prevention events through BHS/COPE
- To maintain program license's from the PA Dept of Health