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I invite you to click on the play button above and watch this special video about Parthenia, a Bridge of Hope alumna. Parthenia and her five children were facing homelessness after a water leak in their apartment made it uninhabitable, so she reached out to Bridge of Hope.

Through Bridge of Hope, she found new housing, met with a career counselor, became a certified CPR instructor, and experienced love and support from her group of Neighboring Volunteers.

Inspired by the support that she's received in the past, Parthenia now feels comfortable reaching out and paying it forward. **"I have been blessed and now I can open my door to help others,"** Parthenia said.

In this season of giving thanks, I am so grateful that families, like Parthenia's, are ending homelessness and finding hope and healing every day through Bridge of Hope. Thank YOU for your support!

Edith Yoder
Chief Executive Officer



No one should have to worry about whether they will have food on their plate or a roof over their head. But the reality is that hunger and homelessness are widespread problems that affect far too many people. **This week, November 17 - 23, is National Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week**, an annual opportunity for people across the country to come together and draw attention to a pair of issues affecting millions of Americans today.

Taking place the week before Thanksgiving, this awareness effort serves as a time to reflect on what we are grateful for and how we can come together to end family homelessness. Please consider “**opening your door**” to help others, just as Parthenia has, by considering becoming a Neighboring Volunteer to those families in need. [Click HERE to learn more.](#)



Together we give.



December 3, 2024

Giving Tuesday is coming up in two weeks! Double your impact by giving on December 3! Every dollar you give will be matched toward our goal of \$66,500 by a group of generous donors, including: Mike & Jennifer Schwalm, Katie & Charlie Engle, Dana & Jeff Felder, and Betty Good-White and Don White.

Learn more about supporting Bridge of Hope on [Giving Tuesday HERE](#).

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