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Join the Prayer Challenge

Every day at Love INC, we meet people facing all kinds of challenges. Some come needing furniture, household items, bicycles, or medical equipment. Others are looking for support through mentoring, parenting classes, financial coaching, and life skills programs.

Yet behind every need is a person longing to be seen, heard, and reminded that they are not alone. That is why prayer remains at the heart of everything we do.

We pray with people who call looking for help, with participants in classes, and with individuals working to rebuild stability in their lives. Sometimes the most meaningful moment is not when a practical need is met, but when someone experiences hope in the middle of hardship.

People need connection. They need to know they are loved and not forgotten. They need to be reminded that God cares deeply about their hurt and need.

This summer, our 2026 Grow Deep Prayer Challenge invites you to partner with us in prayer for the individuals Love INC interacts with each day.

As part of the challenge, we are offering “Prayer Plants” for a suggested donation. As you water and care for your plant, we hope it becomes a reminder to pray for neighbors in our community who are hurting and searching for hope.

When you join the prayer effort, you will receive a weekly email featuring real prayer requests shared through Love INC ministries. These requests reflect the challenges many people face every day including health concerns, employment obstacles, loneliness, and uncertainty about the future.

Psalm 34:18 says, “The Lord is near to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit.”

Sign up today for the 2026 Grow Deep Prayer Challenge and join us in praying for the people who walk through the doors of Love INC each day.

**Text “PRAY” to 605.718.5683 and
join the challenge today!**



VOLUNTEER AT LOVE INC

Love INC's mission is to mobilize local churches to transform lives and communities In the Name of Christ.

We are looking for volunteers from local churches who want to move beyond transactional charity and truly walk alongside participants on a relational journey toward wholeness.

LIFE INC FINANCIAL MENTOR

Life INC financial mentors walk alongside participants, helping them navigate a personal budget while providing the encouragement needed to build long-term stability.



CONNECTION CENTER INTAKE

As a Connection Center volunteer, you are the first and ongoing point of contact for neighbors seeking help, serving as a vital front door that offers hope, prayer, and dignity on a participant's journey toward wholeness.



UNIQUE LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITY IN "THE HEART OF THE HILLS"

Love INC of the Black Hills is expanding its reach and looking for a passionate, visionary leader to step into a dynamic new ministry opportunity with the Love INC Hill City branch.

This flexible role is designed for someone who thrives on building deep, meaningful relationships within a close-knit, small town context. Ultimately, it is all about moving big ideas forward and bringing people and churches together around a shared mission.

Love INC values the right cultural and community fit above a rigid job description, making this position highly adaptable. Depending on the right candidate, the role offers either part-time or full-time hours, with creative options like housing support or phased roles on the table.

Whether you are an established local leader with deep roots, a recent graduate with high capacity and initiative, or simply someone with a burning heart for ministry, this role offers a blank canvas to make a lasting impact.

At its core, this position is about strengthening the fabric of the Hill City community by fostering family stability and deep church connections.

The chosen leader will spearhead the expansion of Life INC classes, coordinate with local congregations and volunteers to deliver practical help, and lead a dedicated team to develop a future ministry space and thrift store.

By mobilizing local churches to meet holistic needs, this role will help shape a vibrant, long-term ministry presence in the Heart of the Hills.

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volunteer
application**



**To learn more or apply
text "Hill City Leader"
to 605.574.1023**

Life INC Summer Classes & VBS

Strengthening Community Through Collaboration



Summer 2025 Painting Class



Life INC graduates with their graduation certificates

While we partner with local churches all year long, summer is a special highlight because it marks our third year of aligning Life INC classes with Vacation Bible School (VBS)!

This partnership makes it easier than ever for the whole family to grow at the same time. We've designed our schedule to fit your busy summer with both traditional and intensive options:

- **ReAlign Finance & Budgeting (June 3 – July 8, 5:30-7:30pm):** For those who prefer a "deep dive," this traditional six-week course at The church @ Rapid City is a great way to build long-term habits and community.
- **Peace that Holds (July 6 – 9, 5:30-8:00pm):** A one-week intensive at Hills View E. Free where counselors and pastors share real-world tools for stress and anxiety. While you're in class, your kids can jump into VBS right on-site!
- **Painted Prayers (July 20 – 23, 6:00-8:00pm):** A creative four-night workshop at South Canyon Baptist where you'll turn scripture into a beautiful layered painting. This is another "VBS Bonus" week—your kids can enjoy VBS while you create.

This setup is a huge win for our host churches and our families alike, as it brings new kids into local VBS programs and helps us serve the entire family at once.

Since these classes are free for everyone, we rely on our community to help provide the supplies. If you'd like to support a neighbor, consider:

- **Sponsoring a Finance Student:** \$30 covers the curriculum for one person in "ReAlign."
- **Donating Art Supplies:** We're looking for 11x14 canvases, acrylic paints, and brushes for "Painted Prayers."

To set up a donation of supplies or sponsor a participant in "ReAlign", email Jill@love-inc.us for more info.

**Sign Up for Life INC Classes by
Texting "REGISTER" to 605.939.7402
Or register on our website at loveinonline.com**



2001-2013



2013-2020



2020-Present



25 Year Anniversary Celebration

JOIN US IN CELEBRATING 25 YEARS OF TRANSFORMING LIVES

For 25 years, Love INC of the Black Hills has pursued a singular, powerful mission: to mobilize local churches to transform lives and communities In the Name of Christ. We want to celebrate the lives that have been transformed and the incredible people God has used along the way to show His love to our neighbors. If you have been part of the Love INC journey as a donor, volunteer, participant, or have simply seen how God has used this ministry in our community, we want to invite you to celebrate this special milestone with us!

When: September 19, 2026

Where: 414 E. Omaha Street, Rapid City

Celebrate: Testimonies of Transformation

Connect: Live Music & Fellowship

Shop: Exclusive Sales at RISE & Thrive

Enjoy: Free Food & Open House Festivities

Upcoming Events



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