



Love INC Boise
Love In the Name of Christ

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Coffee with our Neighbors

15 For we are to God the pleasing aroma of Christ among those who are being saved and those who are perishing. 2 Corinthians 2:15 NIV

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First Impressions

Investing Relationally is the catalyst for true transformation. It is the act of being willing to walk with a stranger as we extend our hearts in friendship and invite them fully into fellowship and community. Throughout the Bible, God emphasizes loving our neighbor and especially when they are in need.

Today, when asked about their close relationships, 51% of 20,000 respondents said "no one knows me well". Isolation, relational poverty, and financial instability are devastating families across the country, in our city and in our church.

The need for community is greater than ever but God is at work in the Treasure Valley!

Volunteers from more than 18 churches serve at Abundant Living; a community providing budget training, and goal-setting based on God's financial principles. Because this community is built on investing relationally, participants are staying longer and making choices that support long-term financial stability.

Our graduates are paying down debt and saving their homes. They are earning promotions, starting businesses and cash flowing emergencies. But the one thing they each point to as a reason for their success is community. A recent graduate said, "I never expected this kind of support and the friendships I've made". She's now a volunteer and investing in others!

Retention Increased 46% in 2018

Thank you

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THE CALLING

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Join us Friday, March 15th
for our Annual Benefit Event

[Ticket information](#) and details
on page 2.

Update: Christmas Baskets of Blessing

Local churches came together this Christmas to bless families working with Love INC. In total, you connected with 168 families and delivered \$26,160 in items to meet holiday needs. One thankful recipient wrote: "*Thank you for the basket. It shows me how much you care and how committed you are to this program and to God. I still have doubts, but I now have an open mind and willingness to learn about budgeting and more about each other and mostly about our Savior.*"

Giving Summary (excludes events)

Monthly Budget:	\$8,350.00
Monthly Donations:	\$8,748.34
YTD Donations:	\$104,980.05
YTD Budget	\$100,200.00
YTD Budget Var.	\$4,780.05



Thank you for your faithful support of Love INC Boise and your continued prayers for this ministry

YTD Stats behind the Stories 2018

Families Served:	1755
Volunteer Hours:	9309
Products &	
Services Value:	\$158,535
Enrolled in AL classes:	42 families



It's going to be a great night with program Graduates sharing their stories!

We are very excited to welcome back Honi Deaton as musical guest and emcee!

We Help Churches Help People

A recent survey says nearly half of Americans are living paycheck to paycheck and the financial stress is taking a toll on relationships and on our children. God hears the cries of those in need and He uses Love INC to mobilize His Church to meet those needs.

The Calling this year features how the Church, through Love INC is getting the whole family on board to create long-term financial stability. Together, our process lifts families UP; helping them move through their need and connect to a local body of believers to grow in community.

Make plans to join us for this benefit dinner as we celebrate how God is using Love INC's ministry to reach the next generation. Learn all the ways your gifts provide basic needs like diapers and school supplies for families. Experience hands-on tools our AL Kidz leaders use to mirror parent lessons and hear a mother's heart as she shares how her six-year old daughter is learning to practice love, kindness, patience, forgiveness and yes, budgeting through AL Kidz!

