

Sleep in Heavenly Peace

As you get into your bed tonight – think about that bed. How nice is it at the end of the day to get into your own bed, in your own home? Pretty wonderful isn't it? We probably don't think of it very often but we are very blessed to have this creature comfort of home.

Some are not so blessed. Sleep in Heavenly Peace (SHP) is a non-profit organization that builds and delivers bunk beds to children in need. Their motto "No Kid Sleeps on the Floor in Our Town" is moving and motivating. SHP estimates that there are upwards of 1.5 MILLION children across the country who do not have a bed of their own. The Hillsborough chapter of SHP estimates 2,000 kids in our county are lacking beds. We would like to help, by partnering with Sleep in Heavenly Peace Hillsborough Chapter for a bunk bed build day in the spring.

SHP will run the build day (3-4 hours), provide all of the materials, tools, training, setup, and breakdown for building each bunk bed. We just need to provide treasure and talent! Each set of bunk beds (2 beds per bunk) costs \$350. The World Service team is funding 3 bunk beds, and are hoping to get the congregation to match funds for more beds. The donation campaign will run until the end of February. Any donation is helpful, none too small or too large! Once the beds are built, SHP takes them and delivers them to the recipients.

You can donate in many different ways: using the envelopes that will be in the pews, by contacting Andrea, using our online donation page (there is a line item for Sleep in Heavenly Peace), or mailing a check to the church with 'SHP' in the memo line.

If you are interested in participating in the build day please let [Nancy Protzmann](#), [Terri Behm](#), or [Susan Holden](#) know. You can also participate in the deliveries if that is something that interests you. Our contact information is below.

Here is a quote from a family that recently received a set of bunks from the Hillsborough chapter:

"Today was a great day for the Foster Children in our home. We were selected to receive an amazing set of bunk beds and bedding for 2 of our girls. David Soddors and his son Chris effortlessly set up a brand-new set of bunk beds under the watchful eyes of the 3 sisters in our home. They were patient and encouraging with all the questions that the girls had for them while they quickly went to work. It was a pleasure to work with Sleep in Heavenly Peace NH.

We feel blessed to tuck all 5 of our kiddos into separate beds tonight." Sept 2019

We hope you will consider this important outreach project, with your time/talent, or treasure, or both! For more information visit the SHP Hillsborough website: <https://www.shpbeds.org/chapter/nh-hillsborough-co>

Thank you!