

## “A Growing Home for Shalom” Update

At Shalom, we have been in our renovated and expanded space for over a year, and we are happy to report some of the ways in which the “Growing Home for Shalom” project has allowed us to meet the growing need for counselling services.



Shalom brought a Master’s counselling intern on board to learn from Shalom’s experienced counsellors.

Main floor offices and an accessible washroom have allowed improved access for individuals with mobility challenges.

By the end of September 2016 Shalom received a total of **\$761,722** in donations (73% of project costs) in support of “A Growing Home for Shalom”.

### 2016 in Numbers

**↑11%** Increase in counselling and consultation provided by Shalom in 2016

**88%** The percentage of people receiving counselling at Shalom who were not able to cover full cost

**1,995** The number of people supported through Shalom’s services in 2016

### Upcoming Events



**Shalom Spring Breakfast**  
May 6, 2017



**10,000 Steps for Shalom**  
September 16, 2017

### Thanks to our partners

Regional Municipality  
of Waterloo’s



United Way  
Kitchener Waterloo & Area



COUNSELLING  
COLLABORATIVE  
program



HEALTH-CONNECT  
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Shalom  
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## Shalom’s Mission

*Shalom’s mission is “Helping People Grow Toward Peace and Wholeness.” We seek to fulfill this mission through the provision of individual, couple, family and group counselling and consultation.*

### Board of Directors (2016)

Brenda Leis, Chair	Chris Brnjas
Kaye Rempel, Vice-Chair	David Gingerich
Fred Loganbill, Treasurer	Henry Hildebrand
Marilyn Leis, Secretary	Lynne Blake-Dickson
Barry Roth	
<b>New Board Member:</b> Susan Doerksen Castro	

### Our Staff

	Start Date
Jeanne Kelly, MA (AAMFT, Registered Psychotherapist)	1988
Wanda Wagler-Martin, MSW, RSW	1997
Karen Huehn, MSW, RSW	1999
Rod Miller, MSW, RSW	2001
Cynthia Cober, Admin. Secretary	2003
Brian Lavery, M. Th. (AAMFT, Registered Psychotherapist)	2003
Susan Schwartzentruber, MSW, RSW	2010
Paula Quarrie, MSW, RSW	2012
Melody LeClair, MA (Registered Psychotherapist)	2014
Steven Reesor Rempel, MBA Development & Communication Coordinator	2014
Neil Thomas (Clinical Intern)	2016

#### Evening Receptionists:

Jenni Poetzsch	Matthew Steinmann
Bethany Nightingale	Laura Ruby
Robyn Gossen	Isaac Winterfeld

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Toward Peace and Wholeness**

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