

## ARDY House History

*(Addiction Recovery Daily with Yahweh)*

Urban Light Community Church (ULCC) in partnership with Union Chapel Church broke ground for a new Men's Recovery Home on March 28, 2022, on the corner of 8<sup>th</sup> and Monroe Street. The name of the home was inspired by a woman named Ardis Anne Smith. Her family called her Ardy. Ardy was on this earth a short time before she passed away in an automobile accident. In the time that Ardy was here, she inspired her entire family to walk with God. Ardy had two young boys at the time of her death, David and Danny that she left behind. Ardy's two sons currently are grown men who help in the community by spreading the Gospel, mental health and addiction recovery assistance, and remaining true to the light that Ardy represented in God. Ardy was described by her sons as being warm, humble, faithful, loving and devoted to God and her family. This is the hope that we have for each man that comes through the Ardy House. Ardy's life taught us that it is not about the quantity of time on this earth that makes a difference, but rather the quality of life devoted to service, love and God. Our mission is to help men in recovery to see their worth, dignity, value and purpose within their community, friends, and family through the power of Christ.

*We would like to extend a special thank you to the Smith family for sharing the life of their beloved Ardy with the ARDY House, church, and community. Her life has truly been an inspiration for all that have received the opportunity to hear about it.*

## ARDY HOUSE

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*If you would like to assist the ARDY House with your financial support or donations for the men, please do not hesitate to contact us. Your support is appreciated.*

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***Ardis A. Smith***



**ARDY HOUSE  
MEN'S RECOVERY**

## ELIGIBILITY

- 18+ years of age
- Struggling with addictions
- Desire to change your life
- Self motivated to work a program
- Willing to make a 9-12 month program commitment
- Completed minimum of any required time in jail/prison
- Willing to submit to a national background check
- Can pass a drug screen or willing to admit yourself into a detox program prior to starting at the ARDY House
- Have an attitude of willingness, humility and honesty

## VISION / MISSION

**Vision:** To provide recovery services for men struggling with drug and alcohol addiction.

**Mission:** To assist men in recovery to see their worth, dignity, value and purpose within their community, friends, and family through the power of Christ.

## PROGRAM PHASES

### ⇒ First 2-4 Weeks at the ARDY House

A period that begins with setting goals and to begin the process of addressing physical, mental and emotional needs through local professional care providers.

### ⇒ Phase 1 (90-120 Days)

An intense time of inner searching through a series of book studies, which includes steps 1-5 of the 12-step program and a variety of recovery meetings. Phase 1 goals will be set according to the participants needs.

### ⇒ Phase 2 (1-6 Months)

A continuation of inner searching and healing as working through steps 6-12 and begin the process of seeking employment.

### ⇒ Phase 3 (30 to 90 Days)

This phase implicates that you have worked a good program and should be ready to transition into your new life. The exit/relapse prevention plan will be the requirement worksheet of phase 3. You should now be ready to begin the search for a safe and affordable residence.

## COLLABORATION

### THANK YOU!

The ARDY House and Urban Light Community Church (ULCC) would like to give a special acknowledgement of appreciation to Union Chapel Church for their financial support, volunteer service, and faithfulness to the building and operating of the ARDY House. ULCC is looking forward to the number of men that will achieve success through addiction recovery at the ARDY House. The collaboration and support between Union Chapel and ULCC is a gift of God and an example of what God's people can do when working together for His kingdom.

## ARDY HOUSE BUILD

### ARDY HOUSE MEN'S HOME UPDATE CASA ARDY HOGAR DE HOMBRES



Photos from 6/21/22

*Grand Opening—January 2023*