

Bread or Stones Campaign

Bread or Stones Campaign Areas of focus	Kids Count Indices	LA Kids' Dashboard Markers	Bread or Stones Campaign Strategies Bread or Stones Campaign Prayer 
<i>maternal and child health</i>	<i>percent low birth-weight babies</i> children w/o health insurance child and teen deaths teen alcohol and drug abuse	<i>percent low birth-weight babies</i> childhood obesity immunizations asthma related hospitalizations	church based maternity services Medicaid expansion, churches distribute LaCHIP apps church prevention programs, ↑prevention & recovery \$ community gardens/nutrition education churches promote immunizations
<i>school readiness & dropout prevention</i>	<i>4th graders not proficient in reading</i> <i>high school students not graduating on time</i>	<i>4th grade on time and on level</i> <i>high school students not graduating on time</i>	church mentoring programs
	children not attending pre-school 8th graders not proficient in math	students arrive at school ready to learn youth placed in job or education youth attainment of degree/certification	church Quality Start day care, ↑ \$ for early childhood education
<i>marriage and family supports</i>	children in single parent families children in families w/o high school diploma children living in high poverty areas teen births per 1,000	absence of repeat abuse/neglect adjudicated FINS youth length of stay in out of home placements recidivism	payday lending reform, create alternative models church teen pregnancy prevention programs
<i>child poverty prevention</i>	<i>children in poverty</i> children whose parents don't have jobs children in homes with high housing costs teens not in school and not working	<i>children in poverty</i> child support collections SNAP participation if eligible	↑ LA refundable EITC, church sponsored VITA, Stelly Plan, LA \$9 min wage TANF reforms, ↑ public transportation church based responsible father programs reverse SNAP cuts, churches distribute SNAP apps

To find out more about how YOU can be involved, please visit: www.lainterchurch.org/BreadOrStones-ChildrenAndPovertyInLouisiana