

The Mission Statement of the Berliner Stadtmission

“Seek the welfare of the city and pray to the LORD on its behalf.” – Jeremiah 29:7

This bible verse has been the mission statement of the Berliner Stadtmission since it's foundation in 1877 and has since then defined our ministry:

We trust in God, who meets us through Jesus Christ and aim to see people from his perspective and let that shape our relationships. We utilise our resources in accordance with our responsibility before God and seek to continuously develop our skills. The Christian faith encourages us, to think and act beyond limitations.

We encounter people and take note of what they need.

We are convinced that every person has an unshakable, God-given worth and value.

We respect people and show them love.

We address societal challenges and confront them critically and constructively.

We invite people and support them in their specific circumstances.

We are dedicated to the wellbeing of people in both body and soul.

We support them in taking first steps towards new beginnings, discover their potential and reach a better quality of life.

We live out our values of hospitality, offer practical help and encourage discovering the Christian faith.

We offer people a home and live out community.

We want people to feel welcomed and that they can find a home with us.

We get excited when people find new hope.

We celebrate together and make room to encounter God.