

mission:share

OUTREACH CENTER

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HOW MANY MEALS HAS MISSION SHARE SERVED?

Since April 2009: 28,539

This year: 12,699

PRAYER REQUESTS:

- That our clients will be receptive to the Gospel
- That our plans for Crossroads Pregnancy Care Center will continue to move forward
- That business partners will come on board financially
- For wisdom to develop the next phases of Mission Share
- That God would minister His grace to the veterans that come to VET2VET
- For God's protection on the platoon that we have adopted
- That God will provide a director for Crossroads Pregnancy Care Center
- For the development of our promotional DVD

8 WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

1. PRAY
2. VOLUNTEER
3. GIVE
4. DONATE
5. OPERATION: WE CARE
6. BACK-TO-SCHOOL OUTREACH
7. THANKSGIVING OUTREACH
8. CHRISTMAS HOPE SPONSOR



Our 5th annual Back-to-School Outreach is just around the corner. Believe it or not, we need to start preparing now! And we need YOUR help!

There are 4 ways to GET INVOLVED!

1. Donate school supplies (must be at Mission Share by Tuesday, August 10th)
 - Pens
 - Crayons
 - Wide-ruled notebook paper
 - 1 subject spiral notebooks
 - Erasers
 - Pencils
 - Glue
 - 2 pocket folders
 - Rulers
 - Pencil sharpeners
2. Sponsor a backpack at \$15/backpack
3. Volunteer to pack on Thursday, August 26th from 7-8:30
4. Volunteer to distribute on Thursday, September 2nd from 6-9:00



Mission Share, through VET2VET, has adopted a platoon that was deployed to Afghanistan in April of 2010.

- There are 22 soldiers in this platoon.
- We are collecting the following items, at Mission Share, to send to them as "CARE" packages as often as we are able:

Shampoo	(16 oz. size)	Soap	(normal size bars)
Baby wipes		Rags	(new, packaged)
Hard Candy		Beef Jerky	(pepperoni, Slim Jim's, etc)
Blank CD's		Pens, Pencils	(to give to the children)
Magazines	(Current only! - sports, hunting, fishing)		
Used books	(preferably paperbacks)		

- Above all, please remember to pray for these young men...for their protection, for their families, and most importantly for their salvation.

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For more information, please visit us online!

SUPPORTING CHURCHES

The Mission Share Community Outreach Center is a collaborative effort consisting of several evangelical churches from the town of Greece. For a detailed listing of the supporting churches please call the Mission Share office or visit us online.

DONATIONS

There are no costs for services rendered by Mission Share. We operate and depend solely on donations.



You are going to see a LOT more of this button! So...PLEASE keep an eye out for ways for you, and your church, to...GET INVOLVED!

FOLLOW-UP MINISTRY

We have developed a new team of workers, specifically for following up with our clients. The goal of this team is to contact each client (who has given us permission) on a monthly basis to develop a relationship where we can pray for them, encourage them, and tell them about Christ. The response from the clients has been overwhelmingly positive. Check out this story...

Brenda was driving home from one of her part-time jobs, praying through her tears, trusting God to provide for her family. Sensing the importance of investing in her family, she had just spent a portion of the grocery money on the remaining balance for family camp. It was a difficult decision, but the money was due. She and her husband could not physically put in any extra hours at their jobs; nor was there any time left for more garage sales and their children's lemonade stands. She knew that God was in this...but she needed to feed her family.

When she came home, her husband told her that she had received a message from someone at Mission Share... "Hello, this is Anne from Mission Share. I'm just calling to find out how you're doing and to let you know that we are praying for you. If you need help with food or clothes, please don't hesitate to come in. God bless you." GOD HAD ANSWERED HER PRAYER! Words of praise and thanksgiving poured out between tears of joy. She had forgotten about Mission Share since the first time she had visited us 5 months earlier, BUT GOD HAD NOT FORGOTTEN. In His sovereignty, He had arranged every detail to perfect timing!

While I was beginning to write this story, I decided to call Brenda and ask her permission to share it. Five minutes later (and without calling her), she showed up at Mission Share! GOD HAS PERFECT TIMING! I asked how their time was and she and her 5 children enthusiastically replied that they had an incredible time of fun, family, and hearing the Word of God preached at Camp Li-Lo-Li. GOD IS GOOD!

DEVELOPMENTS!

- As you may have noticed, exciting things are happening at Mission Share...one of them being a new look! We have developed a new logo, which we believe is simple, yet catchy. This will allow us the versatility to market our "brand" more effectively on things like shirts and pens and banners, etc.
- If you have not already done so, please take a moment to visit us online, at www.missionshareoutreach.org. There is lots of information for you to absorb! And more to come!
- We have named our crisis pregnancy center...**Crossroads Pregnancy Care Center**. In August, we plan to remodel about 800 sq. feet to house this ministry.