

VERSE OF THE MONTH



For I was an hungred, and ye gave me meat: I was thirsty, and ye gave me drink: I was a stranger, and ye took me in: Naked, and ye clothed me: I was sick, and ye visited me: I was in prison, and ye came unto me.

Matthew 25:35-36



Prayer Requests



Please join us in prayer for

<i>Thomas F. Borst Prays for Madeline Borst</i>	<i>George & Carol Pressley Prays for The O'Quinn Family</i>
<i>Roger & Frances Easterling Prays for everyone</i>	<i>Putney United Methodist Church Prays for their church</i>
<i>Virginia L. Sanderson Prays for Paul T. Brown</i>	<i>Fredrick & Christine Waldorf Prays for Albany Police Dept.</i>
<i>Mr. & Mrs. Wesley A. Hacker Prays for Jim Loving</i>	<i>Mike & Carol Wright Prays for the kingdom of God to increase</i>
<i>Frances Mathis Prays for The Mathis Family</i>	<i>George & Carol Pressley Prays for Joe & Dianne Boggs</i>
<i>Robert W. Baker Prays for Becky Daniel Family</i>	<i>Gloria A. Adams Prays for herself and family members</i>
<i>Yvonne Reese Prays for Beatrice Reese</i>	
<i>Martha Moulton Prays for The Howard Family to find a home and schools that God wants for their family</i>	
<i>Mrs. Louie A. Moore Marshall Prays for all of the mean, selfish and hateful people of the USA</i>	
<i>Mr. James A. Rigsby, Jr. Prays for Harold & Vickie Hughes – Health and Financials</i>	
<i>Rev. John F. Thomas Prays for the less fortunate, U.S. President, and the United States</i>	
<i>Sara Barnett Prays for our homes, schools, churches, government, and nation</i>	
<i>Warren & Nancy Hohl Prays for Nancy, Summer, Darren, and Warren</i>	
<i>Wanda A. Britten Prays for all people who suffer with depression and schizophrenia</i>	
<i>Jeanette Weathersby Prays for Steve Revels – Health and Financials</i>	
<i>Mrs. Annie M. Kessinger Prays for Pastor Ron Holman's healing, storm victims, and peace</i>	
<i>Enos & Kathlene Ney Prays for all the people of Southwest Georgia</i>	

Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ. Galatians 6:2

If you have a prayer request that you would like to have published in the newsletter, please make a clearly written note on your reply card or mail us a letter.

* DONATION RECEIPTS UPDATE*

Dear friends, We have recently mailed out receipts for May & June 2017. If you didn't receive yours or need to report any corrections. You may contact us at the ministry office at (229)-435-7615 We plan to mail out receipts for July & August in September.

MISSION OUTREACH RESULTS FOR JUNE 2017

<u>Individual Cases</u>		<u>Professions of Faith in Christ</u>	
Emergency Aid	175	Mid-Day Chapel Service	26
Emergency Food Bags	65	Men's Program Division	8
Misc. Donations	325	Women's Program Division	4
		Mission Outreach	3
Free Clothing: Hundreds of individual pieces. Over 7,000 meals served.			

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* Ministering to the least, the last, & the lost for 29 years *

The A.R.M. of the LORD



News from and about Albany Rescue Mission, Inc.

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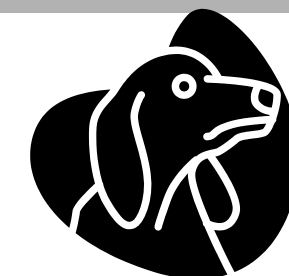
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Thrift Store
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DIRECTOR'S NOTES

Mission Dog Days Highs and Lows



Dear Supporters and Friends,

I would like to thank all of you for your support and prayers. I am very grateful that many of you have stood by us in support of the Lord's work here to reach all who come to us for help. Some of you are new supporters – we welcome you.

Those of you that have computers, please go to www.AlbanyRescueMission.org and check out our site. Check out the Mission publications – many of our books are there and can be read or downloaded for free. Also, check the testimonies of some of our residents. There are also sermons on video, plus music CDs.



Dog Days Highs and Lows

We are entering into the most difficult months of the year here at the Mission. Yes, the utilities are the highest, and the donations the lowest. We go through this time every year. However, with your help, we will trust the Lord to move us forward with the good news of His love for us all.

We have had several men and women graduate our New Beginnings program. We have stayed busy at both ministries. Also, we average 16 women and 4 children at our Women's and Children's Shelter. We average 45 men at the Men's Program Division. We are still feeding close to 7,000 meals a month. And, yes, the only saving gospel is preached daily.

He that believeth on him is not condemned: but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God. John 3:18

Please pray for us, as we pray for you and your family.

Saved to serve,
Bro. Larry

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MISSION MOMENTS

CURRENT NEEDS – Can you please help us?

Prayer needs

Always, we need your prayers!

... *The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much. James 5:16b*

Vehicle needs



Our little “fleet” of vans is getting old. They stay out on the road, carrying our residents to appointments, jobs, and classes, and doing pick-ups for our Thrift Store. The maintenance costs are getting quite high, and we would welcome help.

- **Do you have a used passenger, conversion, or minivan in good, working condition that you could donate or sell at a reduced price?**

Food needs

Our need for food is ongoing . . . we serve a lot of meals every day. And, some families come to our office in need of a food bag. **We need help restocking our “pantry.”** We welcome gifts of non-perishable food. Depending on the current needs, your gift of food will be used here at the Mission for our on-site meals, or it will be given to a family in need.

- Here’s a list of items we like to put in each emergency food bag . . .
- Can you donate a full bag? Or a part of a bag? Or just a few items? Any amount will help!

Let’s Feed a Family of Four
4 cans of vegetables
4 cans of fruit
4 cans of meat (tuna, beans, chili, etc.)
4 cans of soup
1 package of dry beans
1 package of cereal or grits
1 box of crackers
1 package of pasta, rice, etc.
1 jar of peanut butter
1 jar of jelly or jam
1 bar of soap

Monetary needs

Donations tend to drop off during the summer months, and **we could use some help with our bills.** It’s been a long summer, and we’ve already had a high utility bill (and expect the next one to be high, too). Truly, ANY amount you are able to give will help!

Thrift Store needs

The Thrift Store is a ministry to those in need, and it also functions as a source of income for us.



- **Donations:** We welcome your donations of items. You can drop items off at the Thrift Store or call them for a pick-up. Some donated items will be given to those in need; others will be offered for sale to the public. We are also in need of monetary donations as we acquire a new warehouse building for our thrift store.

- **Shoppers:** We’d like to invite you to come by and shop for a bargain . . . and help the ministry while you do it!

~ We can offer you a receipt for your donation if you need it for tax purposes. ~

* **The Thrift Store is located at 614 W. Roosevelt Ave., Albany, GA, 31701 (phone 229-431-1125).**

Normal business hours are 9am - 4pm Monday – Saturday.

Our renovation included adding heat & air to make your shopping experience more comfortable!

Gifts of food and/or money should be directed to the Albany Rescue Mission ministry office.

Also, if you have items you think the ministry could use, or

if you have women’s clothing for our female residents,

please bring those items to our ministry office.

The ministry office is located at **604 N. Monroe St., Albany, GA, 31701 (phone 229-435-7615).**

~ **THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!** ~

HOPE FOR THE HOMELESS

HONORING & REMEMBERING

In Memory

Barbara J. Bush in memory of Donna Bush Kellogg
 Aubrey & Dot McClain in memory of Lucius Worthy
 Rosalyn T. Jones in memory of Ernest C. Jones, Sr.
 Mr. Charles E. Hutchison in memory of Mr. Millard Snell
 William M. Revill, Jr. in memory of William Revill, Sr.
 Donald & Joni Pitts in memory of Sheree Turner
 Katherine Drake in memory of Mr. & Mrs. J.R. Drake
 Billy & Hazel Hughes in memory of Marilyn Harris
 Mrs. Shirley Bruner in memory of Robert Bruner
 Robert Drake in memory of Mr. & Mrs. J.R. Drake
 George & Carol Pressley in memory of Joe Boggs, Sr.
 Wanda A. Briiten in memory of Pinkey Bush Brown
 Mrs. Joyce J. Sadler in memory of Mrs. Sara Taylor
 Mr. & Mrs. James B. Melton in memory of JoeAnna Ross
 Michael & Pamela Amos in memory of Lori Allen
 Louise E. Wangen in memory of Buddy Sanderson

Mrs. Katherin Spindler in memory of Raymond Spindler
 Terry Grinsted in memory of Aunt Grace
 Johnny & Linda Arnold in memory of Donnie Carter
 George & Carol Pressley in memory of Tommy O’Quinn
 Frances Mathis in memory of Charlie W. Mathis
 Juanita Gilmore in memory of Dr. Henry Gilmore
 Gloria A. Adams in memory of Joan Hertzog
 Sam Rotts in memory of Irene & Annie Smith
 Mrs. Juanita Lawson in memory of H.B. Lawson
 Beth Rish in memory of Thelma Sears
 Mr. & Mrs. Wesley A. Hacker in memory of Jim Loving
 Judy G. Gowan in memory of W.D.Gilliam
 Anonymous food donation in memory of Donnie Carter
 Jeanette Weathersby in memory of Frances Revels
 James & Glenda Digby in memory of Mrs. Ruth Mims
 Mrs. Annie M. Kessinger in memory of lost loved ones

Mrs. Louie A. Moore Marshall in memory of Petty Officer Jimmie W. Fennell, II

Freida & F. Maynard Thames, Jr. in memory of Mrs. Martha Burton

Arthur & Rosa Watts in memory of Mrs. Annie Smith

Linda S. Hodge in memory of Paul Stadnik

Linda S. Hodge in memory of Sadie Simpson

Linda S. Hodge in memory of Joan Malone Simpson

Linda S. Hodge in memory of Richard Hodge

Linda S. Hodge in memory of Fran Rice

Joan E. Toole in memory of Mark Toole

Mr. Edward Mixon in memory of Lela & Richard Mixon

Dr. & Mrs. Glenn & Deborah Zuern in memory of Bob Fowler

Sara Barnett in memory of Eugene & Reginald Barnett

Betty J. Bruner in memory of Robert E. Bruner, Sr.

Mr. & Mrs. Elio M. Fernandez in memory of Vic DeVane

James Price in memory of Christine Leach

Vesta Fletcher in memory of Ray, Robin, and Tommy Fletcher

In Honor

Mrs. Vivian Chambless in honor of Claud Chambless

Gloria A. Adams in honor of those who serve

Aubrey & Dot McClain in honor of Mrs. Elaine Tarpley

Mr. & Mrs. Russell J. Edwards in honor of Rev. Leigh Ann Raynor

Rev. John F. Thomas in honor of the less fortunate

Joan E. Toole in honor of all veterans

Abigail S.S. Class of Sherwood Baptist in honor of feeding the hungry

Vesta Fletcher in honor of Judy May & B.J. Fletcher

Francis Mathis in honor of Our Lord & Savior Jesus Christ

Arthur & Rosa Watts in honor of Mrs. Irene Smith

Mr. & Mrs. Thomas & Maureen Pate in honor of Mrs. Allie Pate

Southside Baptist Church in honor of Our Lord & Savior Jesus Christ

Mary Linda Cotton in honor of Mrs. Karen Whitfield

Mr. & Mrs. Russell J. Edwards in honor of Rev. Greene

Fred & Chris Waldorf in honor of Albany Police Dept.

Wanda A. Briien in honor of people with lupus

Ms. Martha C. Johnson in honor of J.D., Grey, and Josh

Mrs. Annie M. Kessinger in honor our protectors

Dan Blackshear in honor of Patsy Watson

Enos & Kathlene Ney in honor of all military and their families

LEADING THE LOST TO THE LORD