# **VERSE OF THE MONTH**

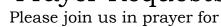


Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.





John 14:6



Harold Rigsby Prays for Peggy Braun Ira C. Willis Prays for his health Mrs. Lovye W. Cochran Prays for America W. Clay Chester Prays for our nation Ms. Lola A. Conley Prays for our country and leaders David Palardy Prays for our nation Roger & Frances Easterling Prays for everyone Mrs. Linda Watson Prays for the United States George & Peggy Hall Prays for Johnny Brown Timothy P. Martel Prays for our country Frances Mathis Prays for the Mathis family Bettye W. Johnson Prays for all Americans Oscar Jackson, Sr. Prays for world peace James & Carolyn Muliford Prays for Allen Conley Diane McKnight Prays for our country Barbara A. Caldwell Prays for caregivers everywhere Mrs. Theresa Goodrum Prays for John Goodrum Robert & Marcia Dill Prays for the entire country Mary M. Sagendorph Prays for our country and leaders Teresa L. Willis Prays for the homeless in Albany Laverne Paul Prays for the leaders of the United States Brenda Cross Prays for everyone and all bereavement families Rosemary A. Thompson Prays for healing for those with COVID Marie De Reus Prays for our nation and the churches everywhere Mrs. Pauline P. Worthy Prays for God to bless and heal our nation the USA Howard & Sandra Farrow Prays for our churches and America Linda S. Hodge Prays for the family of Doug Everette and Nora Persall Mrs. Joyce J. Sadler Prays for the USA, the president, and vice - president Mr. Claud Williams, Jr. Prays for his wife, Jane Williams – many health problems Mrs. Doris L. Beall Prays for the churches, our leaders in government, and COVID workers Janice Route Blaylock Prays for complete healing for Mamie C. Whitfield Mrs. June L. Tester Prays for the lost, our churches, our country, and its leaders Mrs. Gayle W. Chapman Prays for the family of Tom Strickland Mrs. Jeanette H. Weathersby Prays for this nation, the churches, herself and family – healing, finances, protection, Mrs. Louie A. Moore Marshall Prays for the mean, hateful and selfish people of the United States Ms. Nell H. Blaylock Prays for people to take the COVID vaccination and country to become safe again Mr. & Mrs. Claud Williams, Jr. Prays for Karen Kiefer – kidney stones and general health problems

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 note on your reply card or mail us a letter. We plan to mail receipts for your gifts dated in July & August by the end of September. Thank you for your generosity and your patience!

### Mike's Corner

### Hello everyone,

I know you hear me mention our thrift store quite often. However, I just wanted to let you all know that we have been getting in some very nice furniture lately. I encourage everyone to visit our thrift store to check it out. You would be doing yourself a great disservice to pass up some great items at great prices. We recently had a baptism for 4 men and 1 woman, and we have graduated 2 men and 4 women from our new beginnings program. More Importantly, all 11 of these individuals have accepted Jesus Christ as their personal Lord and Savior. The Lord uses the 600 block of North Monroe here in Albany as a meeting ground to introduce himself to many men and women who have not met him yet desperately need to. It's here that many have and will continue to know Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

May God Bless Each of You Mike Gravette, Program Director

MISSION OUTREACH RESULTS FOR JULY 2021			
Individual Cases		Professions of Faith in Christ	
Emergency Aid	170	Mid-Day Chapel Service	21
Emergency Food Bags	65	Men's Program Division	9
Misc. Donations	252	Women's Program Division	6
		Mission Outreach	8
Free Clothing: Hundreds of individual pieces. Over 7,000 meals served.			

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# **REACHING THE LEAST. THE LAST.**

The Albary Rescue Mission of the LORD News from and about Albany Rescue Mission, Inc. (†† September 2021 Vol. XXXIII No. 9 Thrift Store Ministry 604 North Monroe Street www.AlbanyRescueMission.org 614 West Roosevelt Avenue Albany, Georgia 31701 Albany, Georgia 31701 **DIRECTOR'S NOTES** 



Dear Supporters and Friends,

We thank you so much for your continuing support of the Mission. As this hot summer starts to wind down, we want to bring you up to date. We News still have not had one COVID case. Between all our locations, and all the public we serve we should have been a hotspot. We think The Lord has protected us, so that we could stay open. Be mindful that this is the last month that all your donations will be doubled. We thank you for all your gifts. (The most important service we provide is often overlooked. We show each one who comes to us how much God loves them. As we share God's plan of salvation, we let them know how trusting in The Lord can change their lives.)



At the present time, the Mission is near capacity. This is our most

difficult time of the year. Our funds are lower than this time last year, and our need is even greater now! We run 5 vehicles full-time; fuel is averaging over \$350.00 per week. Last month's utilities for our 14 locations totaled \$5,645.00 due to higher rates and we are still feeding over 7,000 meals per month. Also, our non-perishable food items are in low supply.

Many of you have given extra to help with our needs, and we thank you for your help. The Lord has blessed us through these many years. He has always supplied our needs through many caring people. We hope and pray you will be able to help us to meet these needs. Lastly, we publish many free books. These books can be found on our website @ albanyrescuemission.org

Thank you, and may the Lord bless you and your family.



# **REACHING THE LEAST, THE LAST, THE LOST**

**33 years of ministry 1989 - 2021** 





News & Needs 🕷



Bro. Larry Hample

# **MISSION MOMENTS**

~ Thank you! ~

Thank you ... to everybody who responded to our emergency plea for food bags

Thank you... to everyone who has given more in these trying times

Thank you ... to the restaurants, groups, & individuals that donate food.

Thank you ... to the volunteers who give time & talents.

Thank you ... to Mr. & Mrs. Alan & Lani Dill for their matching gift contributions

Thank <u>you</u> \*... for your gifts, your encouraging notes, & your prayers. We know many of you are on fixed incomes, and we are touched by your generosity! We are thankful for every gift!

## \* THRIFT STORE NEEDS \*

We are always in need of items for our Thrift Store, our Residences and those who come to us in need. You can drop off your items at our Thrift Store at 614 W. Roosevelt or our main office at 604 N. Monroe if you need us to come and pickup your items call (229) 431 – 1125 Our Thrift Store can arrange a pickup.

Thank you for your help.

## Groceríes

Lately, we've had 2 - 3 families a day requesting emergency food bags (a big increase), so the food you shared with us will be distributed quickly! The need continues, and we'd be glad for any part of the list you can give. These are the items we like to include in food bags . . .

4 cans of vegetables 4 cans of fruit 4 cans of meat (tuna,

beans, chílí, etc.)

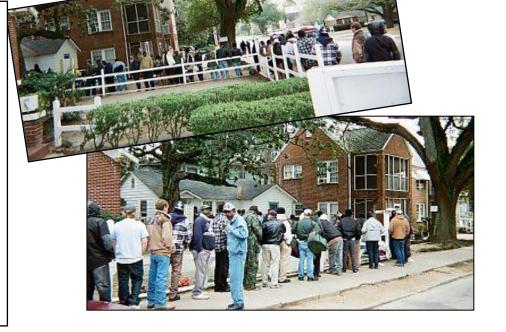
4 cans of soup

- 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
- \* We also welcome food to be used at our daily meals! Right now, our cooks would be glad to have some canned meats (like tuna, chicken, or beef stew).

## Toiletry Items

We offer incoming residents gallonsized plastic bags filled with toiletry items. If you are able to donate something for the bags? The items we include are listed below . . . (We'd be grateful for the gallon-sized "Ziploc" style bags, too!)

- 1. <u>Double-edged razor</u>
- 2. Shaving cream
- 3. Bar of bath soap
- 4. Deodorant
- 5. Toothbrush/toothpaste
- 6. Face towel
- 7. Pair of white socks



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Brenda Cross in honor of everyone Mrs. Pauline P. Worthy in honor of George & Peggy Hall Mrs. Doris L. Beall in honor of David Smith Fredrick & Christine Waldorf in honor of our country Jean & Sherman Willis in honor Lani Stieb Dill Lynda Sue Ford in honor of all her grandchildren Bennie & Clara Hall in honor of Bill & Carol Ann Black Billy & Hazel Hughes in honor of Jimmie Nell Davis Mary M. Sagendorph in honor of Our Lord & Savior Jesus Christ Martha C. Hill in honor of June Tester W. Clay Chester in honor of Bob Lynch Jeffrey Stieb in honor of Lani Dill George & Peggy Hall in honor of Henry Lee Young, Jr. Mrs. Doris M. Jones in honor of Sara & Capper Pflepsen Bennie & Clara Hall in honor of Joey & Brittan Parker Louise E. Wangen in honor of Mary Beasley Frances Mathis in honor of Our Lord & Savior Jesus Christ Bennie & Clara Hall in honor of Ridge Boynton Mrs. Lovye W. Cochran in honor of Ben F. Cochran Linda S. Hodge in honor of the Dill family Robert & Marcia Dill in honor of Lani Dill Susan & Denny Walsh in honor of Leilani Stieb Dill Dr. Glenn & Mrs. Deborah Zuern in honor of Anna & Lydia Oscar Jackson, Sr. in honor of Our Lord & Savior Jesus Christ Ms. Mary Frances Anderson in honor of all A.P.D. officers Mrs. June L. Tester in honor of Our Lord & Savior Jesus Christ Abigail S. S. Class of Sherwood Baptist in honor of feeding the Hungry Bennie & Clara Hall in honor of Mike & Margaret Boynton

Bill Abell in memory of Freda Abell Jerry & Lynda Brimberry in memory of Olin Brimberry James & Carolyn Muliford in memory of Ricky Muliford Danny & Heather Ross in memory of Carol Ross Mrs. Doris L. Beall in memory of Ronald Dorminey Michael & Pam Amos in memory of Herb Pollock Lynwood Howell in memory of Geraldine Howell Greg Suess in memory of Judge Nancy Stevenson Tony & Kathryn Rigsby in memory of Bill Romanesk Mrs. Theresa Goodrum in memory of John Goodrum Mrs. Georgia C. Temples in memory of Bobby Hinman Mrs. Lovye W. Cochran in memory of those who served Elizabeth Aldrich in memory of David Scott Aldrich Frances Mathis in memory of Charlie W. Mathis Mark & Karon Mitchell in memory of Dr. Chris Smith Christopher Liberto in memory of Susan Liberto George & Peggy Hall in memory of Edie Acee Juanita Gilmore in memory Of Dr. Henry Gilmore Sue Whitaker in memory of Marie Alred David Palardy in memory of Winnie Sinquefield Mrs. June L. Tester in memory of Billy Alligood Oscar Jackson, Sr. in memory of John Oscar Jackson Laverne Paul in memory of Nell Breedlove

> Mrs. Jean Mills - Phillips in memory of Oliver Mills Teresa L. Willis in memory of Andrew Gubitti Leslie Pritchett in memory of Norman Pritchett Mrs. Gayle W. Chapman in memory of Tom Strickland Rosemary A. Thompson in memory of Orrien W. Thompson Susan & Denny Walsh in memory of Dorothy Steinbach Mr. & Mrs. Claud Williams, Jr. in memory of Claud Williams, Sr.

# **LEADING THE LOST TO THE LORD**

# **HOPE FOR THE HOMELESS**

# **GIFTS GIVEN TO THE MISSION**

## In Honor

## In Memory

Brenda Cross in memory of everyone Mr. Steve Stahl in memory of Evelyn Stahl Rosalyn T. Jones in memory of Ernest C. Jones Sr. Mrs. Leroy R. Hall in memory of Leroy R. Hall Mrs. Linda Watson in memory of Jane Dobbs Sumner Marie De Reus in memory of Don De Reus Barbara J. Bush in memory of Donna Bush Kellogg Dunn & Nealy Stapleton in memory of Huddy Hudgens Brian Church in memory of Laura O'Brien Church Mrs. Joyce J. Sadler in memory of Bobby Johnston Helen Bishop in memory of Daisy Singleton Michael McNeal in memory of Sheila Baxley Helen J. Black in memory of Dr. Billy C. Black Mrs. Juanita G Lawson in memory of H.B. Lawson Ms. Nell H. Blaylock in memory of Dr. Tom Strickand Andrew W. Griffin, Sr. in memory of John Edward Killings Carlene & Willie Corbett, Jr. in memory of Maggie Corbett Mary M. Sagendorph in memory of Joe Sagendorph Ms. Lola A. Conley in memory of James "Jimmy" Conley Betty Tumlin in memory of all COVID-19 victims Mrs. Sandra Farnsworth in memory of Elizabeth Farnsworth Bettye W. Johnson in memory of Mr. Carrie Mathis W. Clay Chester in memory of Wesley & Annabel Chester

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