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“But they that wait upon the LORD shall renew their strength...” -
Isaiah 40:31

*Rebuilding the Lives of Homeless Men
One Precious Soul at a Time*

A Message from our Director:

**CHAPEL FUNDS RECEIVED
TO DATE: \$1,503,266.79**

"Now the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that you may abound in hope, through the power of the Holy Spirit."
Romans 15:13



Dear Friends in Christ:

As we approach the Fall season at Calvary Rescue Mission, we move forward with great hope and expectation. The pandemic seems to be winding down and more and more men are coming to Calvary. Most exciting, the number of men being saved has increased dramatically! We certainly give all the glory to God because He is definitely worthy! There is also joyous anticipation as we see the Lord's plan coming together for our new chapel. Thank you so much for praying for, helping and supporting this important ministry!

Burdens are lifted at Calvary,

Bob Freudiger, Executive Director

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**Perhaps
Today?**

Our Volunteers!

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Smokey Lonesome, our Newest Employee ...



**Smokey
Lonesome**



At the end of July a new client arrived that quickly worked his way into being our newest staff member. Smokey Lonesome is now our backdoor and courtyard security guard. He just showed up one day and was little more than skin and bones. He hung around, but kept a good distance from any human. He needed food, but would not take it from our hand. We had to lay it on the ground and walk away before he would approach it. Slowly but surely we drew him closer and closer to us and finally got him to take food from our hand. It took about two weeks before he let us pet him for the first time. It took even longer for him to drink from a bowl. Before that, he would only get a drink if we poured it onto the ground. Now he is one of the family and a very happy puppy.



NEEDS & PRAYERS

Needs: Coffee Ground Beef, Individual Potato Chips, Snack Cakes, Breakfast Pastries, Fruit cups, Jello cups, Breakfast Bars, 4 lbs 2.5 oz. cans of Tuna, Tee shirts (all sizes, short and long sleeve) especially light colors and larger sizes (up to 5XL) to be replenished, smaller waisted Pants (30 to 36 - we currently have NO pants smaller than 38) and boxer shorts of all sizes (LG and XL), Body Soap and Razors, Bike racks for the men to secure their bikes,

Special Need: Someone to work 16 hours a week at Calvary who has Quick Books and/or Shelby Next experience, if interested please call Betty Hatcher (901) 340-4133.

Prayers: Please pray for us to find someone who knows sign language and can attend our chapel services to interpret the message to share with new client who is deaf (we had a client who was doing this, but he got a job working nights and is no longer at Calvary);

Please pray for donations to our Operating Fund and our Building Fund to continue to keep up with our monthly expenses so that we can continue to provide shelter, food and a nightly chapel service for those who God is calling to follow Him.

YOU CAN FINANCIALLY HELP CALVARY ... WITHOUT IT COSTING YOU A PENNY!!!

If you shop at Kroger's you can register your Kroger Rewards Card at: Kroger.com.communityrewards Our No. is XV227. We would appreciate you signing up with Kroger's listing Calvary Rescue Mission as your charity so we will receive a percentage of your purchases. Last Quarter: **\$986.52**

Many of you make purchases using Amazon. Rather than going into Amazon to make your purchase use the following <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/62-0815254>. There is no difference in the cost of the merchandise, but we will receive a percentage of the sale. Last Quarter: **\$186.67**

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!! Feeding the 400 & Children's Christmas:

Calvary Rescue Mission will be Feeding the 400! We will be having our Thanksgiving Dinner for the folks in our neighborhood the day before Thanksgiving (23rd) again this year. Supplies for the Feed the 400: Turkeys, Turkey Gravy, Stove Top Stuffing, #10 cans of Sweet Peas, #10 cans of Sweet Potato Yams, Instant Mashed Potatoes, Sweet Cranberry Sauce Jellied, and Jiffy.



**YES, we need
Volunteers!**

ALSO, our plans are to have the Calvary's Children's Christmas Celebration again this year on December 17, 2022. You know what this means, toys, coloring books, socks, caps, gloves, school supplies, etc. will be needed to fill the 250 large bags. We need lots of Bikes. You can begin bringing items as you come to the Mission.

We will also fix Christmas Bags for the Men at the Mission. They need things like stocking caps, socks, gloves, razors, deodorant, toothbrushes, etc.



OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOU TO HELP -

Volunteers to coordinate with Dennis Rutledge, 901-775-2570, to bring or prepare meals for the Men's evening meals.

Ladies/Men who want to Volunteer to serve at our Luncheons, please contact Betty Hatcher, 901-340-4133.

Memorial or Honorarium

Would you like to make a donation to either our Operating Fund or Building Fund in memory of a loved one, or in honor of someone. You can fill out the information and send with your donation in the enclosed envelope.

Please contact: hatcherbetty1263@outlook.com

IN HONOR OF or IN MEMORY OF _____

Send acknowledgement to: _____
(relationship to person)

Address to send acknowledgement:: _____

A word from Betty Hatcher...



"Call to me, and I will answer you, and I will tell you great and mighty things, which you do not know."
Jeremiah 33:3

We are so very thankful this year to have our banquet again. This is always such a great evening for all who attend. In order to have our newsletter out timely, we all are writing our articles prior to the event. We are so thankful that our building fund for the chapel has exceeded one and a half million dollars. After so long raising funds it is exciting to know that soon we will have architectural drawings to share with you. We would appreciate your prayers as we make a selection of our contractor for the Calvary Chapel. Each of you are a vital part of this process as you pray with us for wisdom and faithfully donate to the building fund.

Our first two chicken luncheons have been such a blessing. We are looking forward to hearing our friend, Jim Rowland, both sing and share his testimony at the next luncheon, October 4th. You will want to mark your calendar and be here to enjoy the great meal, fellowship with so many friends, as well as get to hear Jim.

On page 3 you will see we are preparing for our Feed the 400 for Thanksgiving and the Calvary Children's Christmas Celebration. We appreciate each of you helping us to be able to feed poor folks in our area for Thanksgiving and have a Gospel service for 250 children sharing the Gospel, giving an invitation for them to be saved, followed by a large gift bag of fruit, toys, school supplies, hats and gloves. We appreciate your prayers and donations for these events. We are so thankful for your big heart in helping us with the homeless men but by also being a bright light of hope to those living in this poor area of Memphis. God Bless each one of you. We love and could not do what we do without your faithful prayers and help!



Want to become a Chicken Champion?

Chicken Champions

August 2022

Lodgings	1,235
Meals	3,705
Clothing	59
Saved	47

MARK THE DATE!! October 4th, 11:30 a.m. till 1 p.m. **CALVARY FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON!!**

This is where you get the best fried chicken along with all the fixings for just \$5.00, including delicious deserts. Not only is the food great but there is such a bond of fellowship among those attending. Our special **music** and our **speaker** will be **Jim Rowland**. Jim Rowland was raised in the country, but came to the inner city of Memphis, Tennessee in 1993 to serve as Youth Minister at Community Bible Church (CBC). Rowland took over as pastor at CBC in 2001, and since then has led the multi-cultural congregation in a ministry fueled by no-frills evangelism straight from the pages of God's Word. In addition to his pastoral duties, Pastor Rowland has worked in prison ministry for fifteen years and led mission trips to Brazil and the Bahamas. Rowland has been married for thirty-five years to his soul and helpmate, Dodi Dacus Rowland. They have two grown children, Amanda and Alex; a wonderful son-in-law, Marandow Montgomery, and two adorable grandsons, Josiah and Nehemiah. The family are all active, passionate members at Community Bible Church. Look forward to seeing you there!



I WANT TO BE A PART OF THE MIRACLE & PROVIDE A BETTER PLACE FOR HOMELESS MEN!

Website: calvaryrescuemission.org

NAME _____
ADDRESS _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____ PHONE NO. _____

I PLEDGE TO GIVE \$ _____ MONTHLY, YEARLY for _____ YEARS (Circle One)

For a Total of \$ _____. Enclosed is my first payment of \$ _____. I want to make a One Time Donation of \$ _____.