WAYSIDE CROSS MINISTRIES FALL 2018













THE GOAL: TRANSFORMATION

We are asked throughout the years, what WCM's 'success rate' is, and our response is "100%." How can that be? Not every person whom we serve experiences true spiritual transformation while at WCM. How can we claim a 100% success rate? It's very straightforward.







WCM's Mission Statement reads: "To honor God by loving and serving the afflicted and powerless through sharing the Gospel of forgiveness and hope in Jesus Christ by empowering them to be disciples of Christ."

To that end, every single person whom we serve, no matter how brief their time with us may be, hears the Gospel. In Isaiah 55:11, God promises that His Word "shall not return to me empty, but it shall accomplish that which I purpose, and shall succeed in the thing for which I sent it."



Thus, our role is to share God's Word with all who enter our doors and leave the results to Our Lord, knowing that He will accomplish His perfect will in His perfect timing, 100% of the time.

We are grateful to all those who, through their giving, volunteering, and prayer, partner with us in this mission.









VOLUNTEER WITH WAYSIDE

Volunteers from the H.B. Fuller Construction Corporation came to Wayside for three days in October. They were part of a group that worked in our Resale Shop and Warehouse.

H.B. Fuller is a business located in Aurora that believes in the power of second chances and giving back.

Thanks to all the volunteers who were with us the second week in October, we are so blessed to have their assistance. A special thanks goes out to Heather Godinez at H.B. Fuller for organizing this group event.

If you or your group would like to volunteer with us, please contact Tom Davidson at tdavidson@waysidecross.org or (630) 723-3421.

WCM LOVES PIZZA! AND LITTLE CAESARS!

Last month, the Little Caesars Love Kitchen visited Wayside Cross Ministries and provided pizza for the residents and staff. For several years now, Little Caesars has blessed WCM with a very sizeable pizza delivery.

Thank you, Little Caesars Love Kitchen!



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Paulina Hernandez and her sisters from Sigma Lambda Gamma prepared small swag bags with essentials such as toothbrushes, toothpaste, hair ties, chocolate, nail files, and granola bars and dropped them off for the women at Wayside Center.

Crystal, a regular volunteer was there to help receive them. For years, Crystal has volunteered at Wayside Center, often providing free hair-cuts to the guests. After an unfortunate turn of events, Crystal now depends upon Wayside's day services as she tries to find a home for her and her son.

BITTERSWEET MOMENTS

Rebecca Monrean, WCM's Church/Donor Development Manager, left her job at Wayside Cross at the end of September to journey west to Arizona in early Spring, along with her husband and four pups. Although we are all sad to see her leave, God is opening new doors for her and her husband.

Tom Davidson has been working part-time as our Social Media Coordinator and will now be taking on Rebecca's responsibilities. Tom started as a volunteer and has come aboard as a full-time Development Coordinator.

Tom has a 30-year career in advertising and fundraising. He had been volunteering with various charities and fell in love with Wayside. Please help us in welcoming Tom to the WCM staff and wishing Rebecca well as her new journey begins.

New Life Corrections Annual Outreach BANQUET

Friday, November 2, 2018

Gaslite Manor 2485 Church Road Aurora, IL 60502



Our guest speaker will be Chaplain George Adamson, Senior Chaplain at Stateville Prison in Joliet. George has been chaplain at Stateville for over 20 years. He also serves as Master Chaplain and Chairman of the Religious Advisory Board at the IDOC, and pastors the Storehouse of Prayer Church in Aurora. He and his wife, JoAnne, have been married 40 years.They have four children, nine grandchildren, and four grand-dogs.

Host a table and invite your friends!

For additional information or to RSVP: email agonzales@waysidecross.org or call (630) 892-4239

Please RSVP by October 30, 2018

There is no charge for dinner. A "free will" offering will be received during the evening.

Please make your reservation today!

The weather is changing but don't let that stop you from bringing your car into Hope On Wheels for a full car wash or detail. With H.O.W.'s year-round, indoor facility, your vehicle can look brand new, even in below-zero temperatures. Call 630.723.3438 to make an appointment.

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- EXTERIOR WASH & WAX \$20 Includes hand wash, tire shine, spray wax, interior vacuum, interior/exterior windows & tire pressure check.

INTERIOR ONLY - \$40

Includes complete interior detailing, interior windows, vacuum, shampoo carpet and upholstery, vinyl & leather conditioner.

FULL SERVICE DETAIL - \$75
 Includes hand wash, hand wax, wipe down engine compartment, check fluids, tire pressure check, complete interior detailing, vacuum, shampoo carpet, vinyl & leather conditioning.
 -- Heavy duty cleaning add \$15





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