



Clothing Drive

Brookhill United Methodist Church
Friday June 9th through
Sunday June 11th.

Please feel free to drop off clothing at Brookhill UMC, 8946 Indian Springs Road. There will be a Mission truck on the parking lot for the entire weekend for the donations.



Living Tributes



Gift Given In Honor Of...

Mr. Michael T. Betteridge.....
by Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Meckley, Jr.



JUNE 2006

FREDERICK RESCUE MISSION

Partnership Letter

There is no transformation without some transition.

As we see summer coming upon us we can enjoy the transition of spring. When the apostle Paul had a dramatic conversion, there was still a time of transition.

community. As we see 100 victorious men raised up, ministries of transition will become more integral to the changed life program.

At the Beacon House, transition is a huge part of our recovery program. God several years ago allowed the Frederick Rescue Mission to turn two "crack" houses into transition houses. God's transformation is incredible. While conversion is vital, transiting into a godly disciple is just as vital. Becoming free from drugs and alcohol is crucial, becoming whole is even more crucial.

One transition I would like for everyone who reads this newsletter to consider is becoming more involved in praying for the Mission. The spiritual warfare for the residents, staff, and Board members is intense. If you already pray regularly, we want to thank you. God is doing awesome things here and the enemy will not let it happen unchallenged. Please cover this Christ-centered, Biblically based ministry with your fervent prayers!

When a man finishes his stay at the Beacon House, he can further his education, begin a new vocation, or work a new job allowing him to be in a better situation to re-enter the

May all your transitions lead to transformation in Christ,
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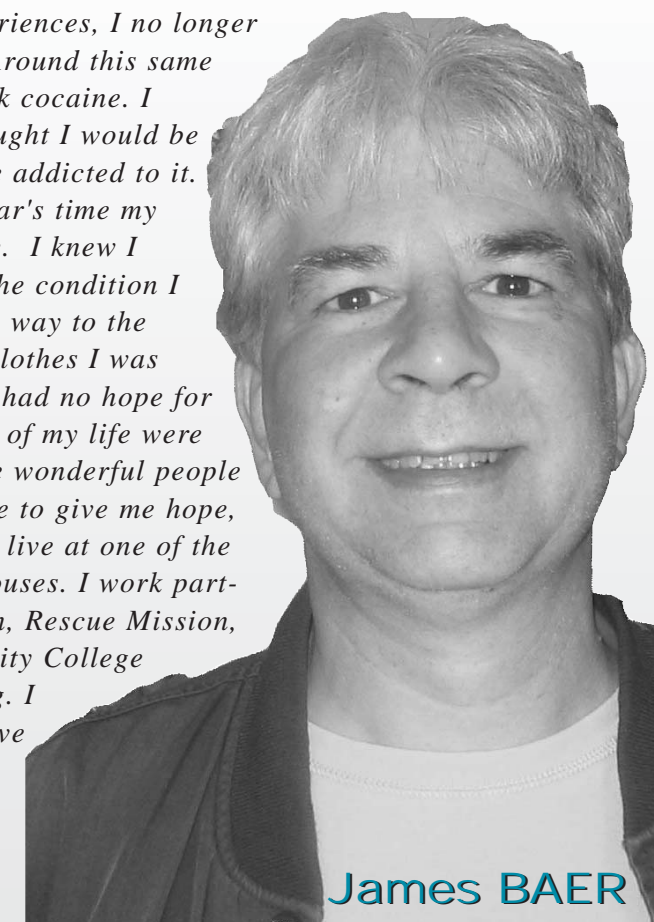
Please return your tax-deductible gift in the enclosed envelope to:

Frederick Rescue Mission, PO Box 3389, Frederick, MD 21705-3389
www.therescuemission.org

Frederick Rescue Mission STATISTICS YEAR-TO-DATE

Bed Nights.....	3,150
New Residents Served.....	43
Meals Served.....	20,303
Food Boxes Distributed.....	237
Recycled Textiles.....	461,864lbs
Clothing Vouchers Distributed....	86 (\$5,025)
Furniture Vouchers Distributed..	115(\$19,945)
Lindsey Learning Center Intakes.....	16
External Diploma Program Students.....	2
Frederick Community College Students....	4
Students Receiving Tutoring.....	7
Child support compliance.....	100%

After a few life changing experiences, I no longer saw any purpose for my life. Around this same time, I was introduced to crack cocaine. I knew about the drug but I thought I would be the last person to ever become addicted to it. Was I ever wrong. Within a year's time my life became a living nightmare. I knew I couldn't die and face God in the condition I created for myself...I made my way to the Rescue Mission with just the clothes I was wearing...telling myself that I had no hope for a future and that the best part of my life were over. Faith in God and all the wonderful people at the Rescue Mission continue to give me hope, love, and support. I currently live at one of the Rescue Mission's transition houses. I work part-time at the Religious Coalition, Rescue Mission, and attend Frederick Community College pursuing RN degree in nursing. I never thought I would ever have a meaningful propose for my life again, but all things are possible with God who strengthens me.



James BAER

Why does the Frederick Rescue Mission exist?

We believe in the spiritual, physical, emotional, and educational restoration and enhancement for all of God's people through the love of Christ. What we do here as individuals is not as important as why we do it. Every so often we are asked, "What does the Rescue Mission do?" This may also mean, *why should I invest my money, time, and heart into the Rescue Mission out of hundreds of other non-profits?* The way to know is simple: if you want to see that the first sentence of this paragraph is fulfilled, then join with us to do what one person cannot do alone.

It is so important for our friends and brothers and sisters to not only want to help, but to also believe in what the Mission is doing here. Since 1964, we continue to exist because of God's Grace through givers like you who have a desire to help broken people and share the Gospel. Everyday, the Mission

gets a step closer to the Vision of having 100 men who are passionate followers of Jesus Christ, victorious over addiction, connected to a local church, equipped with a G.E.D or better, set with a solid financial foundation, as well as, to continue being Frederick County's largest food service provider for the homeless community. The Mission acts through the Changed Life Recovery Program, Lindsey Learning Center, Recycling Services, Bread of Life Community Kitchen, Administrative offices, and New Life Chapel, but the calling can only be *fulfilled* once you decide or continue to believe in and serve with the Frederick Rescue Mission through gifts of funds, time, love. Thank the Almighty for all that you do!



*"Everybody can be great because anybody can serve... You only need a heart full of grace. A soul generated by love. And you can be that servant."
-Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.*

Volunteer Corner



Bottom Left: Janet Dihmes & Terri Brown
Top Left: Julie Raper & Jeanne Swartz

The Frederick Rescue Mission is pleased to present June's Volunteer of the Month:

37th Annual Hope for the Homeless Banquet & Graduation Ceremony Decorating Committee

Julie Raper, Jeanne Swartz, Janet Dihmes, and Terri Brown

spent many days designing the entire look of the Banquet. As gold and teal was the color scheme, the ladies went on a search for gold and teal balloons, table settings, paints, and ceiling and table skirt embellishments. Everyone was amazed to see how the crew had transformed an ordinary hallway and gym into a stunning Banquet Hall for all our guests to have fellowship in. Everything, from the Silent Auction frames to the grand balloon arc, was done with creativity and love. The night was a hit and thank you, Decorating Committee, for helping to make this happen!



JOGGING FOR JESUS Running & Walking Group



Bottom Left: Johnny Pedrick, Art Hall, Andrew Hosley
Top Left: Ellis Zuckerman, David Nordrum, John Weadock, Tracy Vagrin

RESULTS

Runners

- 1 Bruce Richardson from Kenya
PR of 25:34 - WOW!
- 2 Tracy Vagrin from Romania
PR of 25:49
- 3 Raymond Mileo from Baltimore
PR of 29:03 - WOW! *This man never ran a day in life until 4 months ago!*

Walkers

- Johnny Pedrick
- Art Hall
- Andrew Hosley
- John Weadock
- David Nordrum
- Ellis Zuckerman

The Jogging for Jesus Running & Walking Group continues at the Beacon House!

Praise God - another great run/walk for Jesus on Saturday! 3 runners and 6 walkers for the Mission of Mercy Running for M.O.M. 5K race and 3K walk. 3 runners and 6 walkers showed their support for the 3rd annual Mission of Mercy (M.O.M.) 5K Run and 3K Walk on May 13th in Baker Park.

Be A Part Of Our Volunteer Tree



Do you wonder how you can use your construction experience or reading hobby to serve others? No matter what it is, please email us your talents, skills, and availabilities, and we will keep you in our Volunteer Tree database for future needs. You can help this ministry bear lasting fruit!

Email Helen at:
hkim@therescuemission.org

HOPE LIST

Give a *little* gift of hope and make a *lot* of difference!

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| KITCHEN ITEMS NEEDED:
Drink mix, paper towels, coffee, coffee creamer | SPECIAL REQUESTS:
NIV study Bibles
4 new washers and dryers
Large screen TV with DVD/VCR player as a teaching aid
Storage shed for lawn and garden equipment
(contact Guy Mutchler at 301.695.6633 ext. 104) |
| HYGIENE ITEMS NEEDED:
Shampoo
Toothbrushes and toothpaste
Bars of soap
Dental floss
Shower shoes- for protection against bacteria (sizes M, L, XL)
Toilet paper | |

Have your church sign up for certain months a year to hold a Hope Drive!
Call Helen Kim for more information at 301.695.6633 x102

Items can be dropped off at the Beacon House located on 419 W. South Street. Receipts will be provided.

Welcome Aboard!



The Frederick Rescue Mission is pleased to announce its newest staff member, John Markley! John is a living testimony of how God breaks bondages of chemical dependency. He is actively involved as a Stress Management and Life Skills Group and Addictions Recovery leader for City Quake Ministries in Hagerstown. We are so blessed to have him on staff as the new Mission Truck Driver to pick up food donations from the surrounding area. We are confident that God will use you, John, not only to help those who were in the same place as you were, but to further His Kingdom!

The Frederick Rescue Mission was established as a nonprofit Christian ministry in 1964 to meet the needs of homeless and hungry men, women and children. By providing emergency services and a life recovery program, we bring the life-changing love of Jesus Christ to hurting and broken people, restoring individuals and families to the community with hope and a future.