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"Help for the desperate, those willing to seek Jesus Christ for the answers in their lives"

We had a very busy month of December! What a great closing to a great 2023! We had staff dinners, a staff party, a ladies luncheon, went to a love feast, lots of worship services, performed a live nativity and even managed to have a yard sale. We were very blessed by the outpouring of Jesus' love through the gifts we received and the Christmas sponsorships that allowed us to have enough money for the residents and to purchase gifts for the resident's children. We also blessed our teachers with some homemade goodies for all their dedication throughout the year. We made an Advent calendar with the names of Jesus and were able to learn more about who He is through the daily scripture readings. We had lots of great fellowship and played lots of fun games as a family. The residents are really learning what it means to have fun in the Lord and what the real reason for living is...Jesus!!

HAPPY NEW YEAR

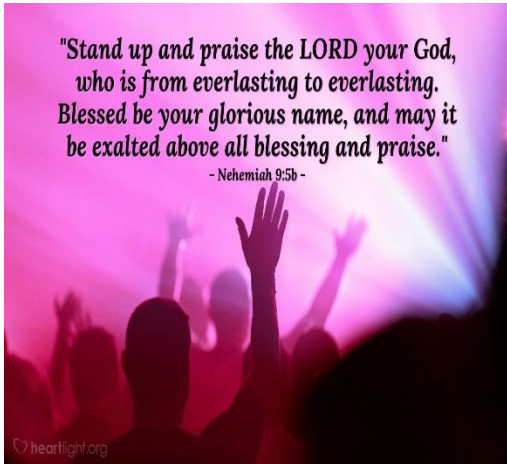
*Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!
In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope
through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.*

ECCLESIASTES 3:11

If you are ready to be delivered from your life-controlling problems, if you are ready for JESUS, then we believe that our program is for YOU. If you are looking for help for yourself or for a loved one, please pick up the phone and call today. 573-371-2020 We will be happy to help or direct you to one of our other 20 Mission Teen centers.



Hello everyone, I am so honored to be sharing my testimony. My name is **Carrie Mitchell**, and I am 48 years old. I arrived at Freedom House two years ago on December 23 and boy has it been a journey. I didn't wake up one day and say I was tired of living the life I was living. I woke up one day completely exhausted from years of drug addiction and alcoholism. Then I met Jesus! The road after I met Jesus has been one of tears, laughter, frustrations, joy, peace, anger, jealousy and lots and lots of hugs. With Jesus I am able to walk through and experience all of the emotions with a sober mind. Before I came to Christ my first reaction to any one of these feelings would be to drink my problems away, but the problems were still there along with an enormous amount of shame and guilt. I was definitely selfish and put unhealthy relationships, drugs and alcohol before my own family and my own child. But Jesus loved me anyway and at my darkest time. I graduated from the program and stayed on for staff training, but the cares of this world quickly pulled at me and I left stepping out of the Lord's will. I quickly failed but by God's grace I came back to finish what I walked out of. I am now the Overseer at Freedom House. I can't believe it. This journey is worth each and every step. 1 Samuel 12:24 says, *"But be sure to fear the Lord and faithfully serve Him. Think of all the wonderful things He has done for you."* Each and every day I wake up excited to see what the Lord has in store for me. Thank you Jesus for my new found freedom in You.



"Stand up and praise the LORD your God, who is from everlasting to everlasting. Blessed be your glorious name, and may it be exalted above all blessing and praise."
- Nehemiah 9:5b -

Freedom House has had a great year in the Lord!

Thank you all for the Prayers, Christmas Sponsorships, Donations, Financial Support and for BELIEVING in what The LORD is doing here. We are GRATEFUL beyond words!!



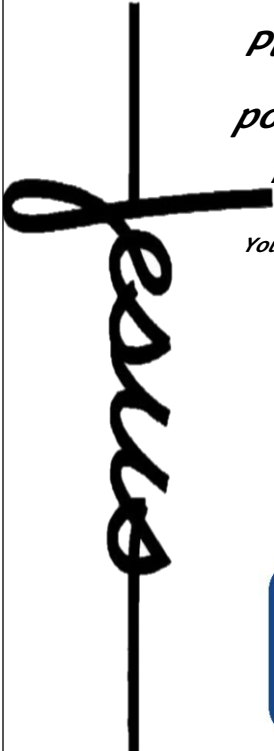
JANUARY NEEDS

Mark Your Calendars!!
8th Annual Graduation Banquet
March 16, 2024

Oil, Fresh Veggies, Milk, Meat, Chips, Sugar, Coffee
Paper Towels, Anti-Freeze, Laundry Detergent, Toilet Paper,
Windshield Washer Fluid, Deodorant, Toothpaste, Body
Wash, Razors, Feminine Hygiene Products, Ibuprofen
Large and Small Envelopes, Copy Paper
COLD and FLU MEDICINES

Building Project Update!

We have hit a few road blocks, as with any building project, however, we are moving forward and praising God for the progress so far. This month we will be hanging sheetrock and will see the building start to take shape. We have some volunteers coming to help The House of Hope Mission Bible Training Center. With their help, our prayer is to be able to start on the floor by the end of the month. Please continue to keep this project in prayer. The Lord continues to remind me that His vision does not change. We are so grateful for the additional space that will be provided upon completion. Our desire is to share the gospel and help as many people as possible.



Please pray and Ask the Lord if He would have you support this ministry with a portion of your giving on a monthly basis.

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