# LIFE AT THE MISSION

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Serving Enterprise, Elba, Geneva, and the Wiregrass!



## New season; Fresh start

Spring is here and we are grateful. We look back on our Winter months here at Christian Mission Centers and we are thankful to the Lord for His grace and mercy. We had an amazing food drive thanks to Mitchell Automotive Group. We also have had many volunteers and donations throughout the last few months. Spring is a time to reflect back on months past and look forward to new things. Seeds planted will now be sprouting. I think this quote sums it all up for how much anticipation we feel for the things God can do in the months ahead.

### TOTAL NUMBER OF NIGHTS OF SHELTER PROVIDED IN 2022

7,260



TOTAL NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS SHELTERED IN 2021

551

RAINER COTTER SUSAN STECK DAVID CHALKER HARVEY WATT BOB PHARES D.J. SIMS SHERRY TRAWICK FRANK CRAFT

#### "To plant a garden is to believe in tomorrow."

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### Reflections & Highlights



We are wishing you all a wonderful Spring and blessings in this new year. We are thrilled with what all God is doing in this year throughout the Wiregrass community and partnerships both locally and spread afar. We have seen lives changed through the knowledge of Jesus Christ in our New Life Recovery program. Countless families have received vital assistance in the midst of tragedy through our benevolence program, as well as many who were hungry were provided a hot meal served with a friendly smile, whether that was in person in our facility, or delivered personally by a compassionate volunteer to a homebound individual.

Our mission has always been God's mission and to put Him first and allow Him to usher in the right things at the right time. We had an amazing year in 2022 and we are looking forward into an even better 2023. Big things are happening within the Christian Mission Centers, we have received a generous grant already. This grant is going to allow us to finish renovating our apartments that will be available to aftercare students in our New Life Recovery program.



TO SCHEDULE A DONATION PICKUP:



DONATIONS WE RECEIVE		
Furniture	Clothing	Appliances
Homegoods	Jewelry	Toys
Knick knacks	Bedding	Shoes
PI .	Page 91 Purses	Rolle







### 40 Years of Faithfulness

Forty years is a lifetime to some and a mere space of seasons for another. We are reflecting back on all that the Lord has allowed us to accomplish with our season so far of Christian Mission Centers.

We have seen countless lives saved, healed and set free through the redeeming power of Jesus Christ. Through our food program, including hot meals to the homebound and our pantry, we have seen the hungry fed.

Volunteers from all walks of life and ages have partnered with us in aiding and meeting the needs of the local Wiregrass area. No feat has been small in and of itself. Though some day to day actions may seem small they have added up to something much bigger than we could have dreamed.

Our plan is to continue pursuing helping, reaching and holding out hope for the broken people we encounter. We desire overall to see lives restored, healed and whole after encountering our services. Our efforts alongside volunteers, financial partners and most importantly the Lord's help have brought us to where we are today. We are looking forward to an even better tomorrow and reaching more people as each day passes. The heartbeat of the Mission hasn't changed, but it's burden has gotten bigger.

Therefore we are reaching further.

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