



March

He raises
the poor out
of the dust,
and lifts the
needy out of
the ash
heap, That
He may seat
him with
princes-
With the
princes of
His people.

Psalm
113:7,8

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Risen!

Greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ,

Rob Hill is the interim pastor of Allegany Community Church and a true brother in Christ. He has been serving at the Mission for a year now. He has a passion for discipleship and has been leading the Mission's weekly discipleship class. I was super excited when he expressed a desire to share with all of you his experiences at the Mission. Of course, I said yes. Rob's joy for our Lord is contagious.

February
Meals: 1762
Overnights: 773

I have had the pleasure of serving at the Mission for about a year. I've served in the chapel a number of times and led a discipleship group with the resident staff once a week for about that time. I'd love to share some of the wonderful, beautiful, and challenging things that I have seen here at the Mission and the incredible power of the Gospel to transform and change people's lives.

All too often we in the church observe the world from afar. Our gatherings can be like distant Ivory Towers as we look at the world. We can see the faults and how the world should change, but are not always willing to get our hands dirty and make the difference. To the churchgoer we can look at the world and see it as dirty, offensive, not safe, and hope that somebody else will take care of these problems.

Not so here at the Mission! They are here to bring the Gospel to the world. The residents of the Mission have morning devotional, evening Chapel, Bible study several days a week and godly leadership. The staff, both paid and resident, are wonderful examples of Jesus. This is a place where the Gospel of Jesus meets the world. God's truth is preached. People are disciplined. The Mission is a place where we truly see the gospel coming alive. People's lives are changing. Addicts receive recovery. People are coming to Christ turning from a life of sinfulness, truly repenting in the name of Jesus to live worshipful, holy lives, loving God with all their heart, soul, mind, and strength. You truly see the effect of the Gospel here at the Mission!

I have the privilege of leading a weekly discipleship group with the Resident staff. They are trusted with the care of the Mission when paid staff are not around. They are responsible for assigning chores and locking the door, talking to any newcomers, supervising meals, are the first line of communication for residents with questions, and are there to mentor the residents, along with many other



Mission Needs

Food; Sugar,
Shredded Cheese
Cereal,
Salad Dressing

Clothes; Shoes

Other Items; Shampoo,
Conditioner
Band-Aids

Thank You!

responsibilities. These are people that came to the Mission in need. Some with drug addiction, poor choices and some with bad fortune. Now they are shining examples of Jesus! Serving others and advancing the Gospel.

Addictions, mental illness and at times violence can be here. The staff, both paid and volunteer residents, have no qualms with the fact that the call of God is no easy feat, but they love people in the midst of these challenges to see God glorified in the service of ministry.

To everyone who has been giving and serving at the Mission I want to express the profound gratitude on behalf of the Mission for all your support. Your giving here is truly making a difference in the world. You are planting your seed on good ground, I am confident that God the Father will reward you for your servitude.

Rob Hill



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