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

Psalm 113:7,8

HALLELUJAH!

He

IS

Risen!



November

Greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ,

I have said it many times that this Mission is more than just a homeless shelter. At this Mission God is training future pastors, church elders, bible study leaders and prayer intercessors. Along with shelter, food, clothing and connection to a wide range of services, men and women at this Mission are answering Gods calling on their life to be more than just believers that Jesus is real but are willing to take His yoke upon themselves and live a transformed life.

Scott is one such individual. Scott came to us from prison with a fire inside him and a desire to serve Jesus Christ, which he does. At the Mission he is one of my go to staff guys. He leads the occasional morning bible study and Safe on Thursday nights.

Scott has been going through the process of getting dentures for a year now. When I asked him about it this morning he got a big smile on his face. "You know, I was supposed to take them home last Thursday but when I got to the dentist's office the dentist had had a family emergency and wasn't available so, instead, God gave me the opportunity to pray for the dentist and his family."

Way to stay on task brother!

I would like to introduce you to our newest resident staff member Leah. Leah would tell you that she was scared at first when she came to the Mission two months ago. Having lived and worked in a professional environment most of her life anything with the words homeless or shelter were scary. She came to Coos Bay two years ago from SW Ohio where she ran an Equestrian center.

Leah made the mistake of following a man to the Oregon Coast. When the relationship didn't work out heart break set in and with it came the alcohol. Never having a problem with drugs or alcohol before it only took one short year of drinking to land her in a nine-day hospital stay.

Leah has been sober for over a year now. She admits that while she has known who Jesus was most of her life she was not a follower. That was the missing piece she says, a lack of devotion. That ambivalence towards Jesus is gone and she was super eager to join the discipleship program here at the Mission. To steer a course in her life towards the real heart healer, Jesus Christ.

## **October**

Meals: 2038 Overnights: 708





## **Desperate For**

Food; Salad Dressing Canned Soup, Peanut Butter & Jelly

Clothes; 30-34 Men's Jean

Other Items; Razors
Shampoo

Thank You!



I would like to say thank you Riverview Christian Fellowship. Their high schoolers pulled up in their big yellow school bus and it was full of groceries and turkeys! In fact, they almost completely filled our pantry back up. Their first graders made the sign for the Mission. It is psalm 28:7 The Lord is my strength and my shield; My heart trusted in Him, and I am helped; Therefore, my heart greatly rejoices, And with my song I will praise Him.





When Christmas day from 1:00–2:00 pm Where SCGM, 1999 N. 7<sup>th</sup> St, behind Toyota

Food Spiral-cut hams, frozen broccoli flowerets,
 Need frozen tater tots, cream cheese, shredded cheddar,
 Christmas cookies & sheet cakes, sour cream

Gift Please bring wrapped with gender (M or F) & Size stated.

Ideas Gloves, socks, umbrellas, hats, hoodies, sweatshirts

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