



Grace Place Ministries, Inc.

Ordinary People Serving an Extraordinary God

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The Lord Hears Our Prayers!

As summertime is wrapping up and children are headed back to school, we want to thank God for a glorious season, and for having the opportunity to spend time with hundreds of HIS precious children who come to Grace Place during the summer!

We pray so often at Grace Place for the resources to help families in need beyond the walls of the soup kitchen.

This newsletter, I wanted to share with you an answer to a prayer that has happened at the end of this summer.... TRUE STORY !

Throughout the summer, many of the staff have become very close with a young mother of a two year old, who is also pregnant with a new baby. She has been living without a home for a very long time and lacks much support. We prayed with her outside one day for God to please help her find a home. The next day we found out a small one bedroom apartment opened up two blocks from Grace Place!! It was the perfect opportunity to help her finally get a home and close enough to us that we could continue to be a part of her life. Slowly as summer has progressed, we have received so many donations of household essentials that are going to be such a blessing to help set her up her new home. Everything has been donated from cookware, to a small couch, towels, wall hangings, a twin size mattress for the mother to sleep on, and a brand new pack 'n' play for when the new baby arrives. The ONLY thing that seemed to be missing was a place for the sweet 2-year-old to sleep. The moving date was set for this last weekend of summer and so we prayed "Lord, what a blessing it would be to receive a bed for the sweet boy?"

The next day, as we were closing up from food pantry, a man arrived that announced he had a donation with lots of children items. We went outside to help him unload and **THERE IT WAS!!!** On the back of his trailer was the most adorable toddler bed, complete with a mattress! Thank You, Thank you Lord!!!

We didn't know whether to laugh, or cry, or drop to our knees in complete gratitude of this example of how God answers our prayers, often so quickly, for some of the simplest things!

This happens so often at Grace Place where a need is met to help someone, often before we even get a chance to ask anyone. The generosity of our community with donations is such a blessing to others!!

Matthew 6:8 "Your Father knows what you need even before you ask Him ."

Psalms 116:1 "God hears our prayers"

We are so excited for the future for this young mother and so grateful for all the donations that have been received from our community that will bless her new home and her new family!

Mostly, we are so thankful to God for hearing our prayers!

We appreciate YOU! Love YOU! And we pray abundant blessings and for answered prayers for YOU ALL!

-Misty Loe & Staff at Grace Place

TOTAL SERVED

3,495

3 meals a week & groceries twice monthly

OUR CURRENT NEEDS:

School Backpacks
Mens Jeans & Shoes
Sporks
Triple Divided Plates
Pine-Sol
Clorox
Water Bottles

Donation Drop Off:
Monday, Wednesday & Friday 8:30am-2:00pm

There's never a teardrop
that God doesn't see.
He knows when a sparrow
falls from a tree.
There's never a moment
when God doesn't care,
Never a time
when he won't hear our prayer.

Sweet Mama & baby boy!

When we pray,
God hears more than we say,
answers more than we ask,
gives more than we imagine...
in His own time & His own way.

Pray for all the children
headed back to school!
We will miss them!



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