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Giving Hearts

Cornerstone Rescue Mission has been a presence in Rapid City for 44 years now, offering love, support and encouragement to the neediest. We have been able to provide food, clothing, shelter, case management and spiritual counseling to the lost, the forlorn and the lonely. However, we can only do this with the guidance and support from our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. God is the ultimate giver – he sacrificed his Son so that we could have eternal life – and in turn give love and support to the homeless.

But no man is an island, and neither is any agency. We have very wonderful partnerships with many of the churches and civic groups in town who assist with meal planning, cooking and serving. We

have several volunteers at all of our sites who help us accomplish the mission that God has called us to do. We have so many people that donate to our Thrift Store, which in turn helps us fund our Women and Children’s Home. And, we have donors with such generous hearts who ensure we can provide our crucial services.

We had so much generosity over the Christmas season, that we want to continue to highlight those who gave from their hearts. We are so blessed to work alongside of you!

We thank you all, and from the bottom of our hearts, Happy Valentine’s Day!

Peace, Lysa





Jay Salter and Debbie Platt of Edward Jones, and their clients, once again donated many toys to the children of Cornerstone! They supply a large portion of the toys we use to fill a Christmas bag for each child staying at Cornerstone. This would be a difficult task without all the toys that come from the Edward Jones circle of friends. We appreciate and thank everyone who donated! Within this group, there were toys donated in memory of Rodney Borgheiinck from his family. A special hug to this family! Thanks again to everyone!

Ty Construction and Black Hills Dumpster Rentals brought over many useful items to the Women & Children's Home. How thoughtful of them!



For 10 years the members of Freedom Church have brought over Christmas gifts for the children staying at the Cornerstone Apartments. How awesome is that! This is such a fun group and the kids and adults living at the apartments really enjoy it when they come. Thanks for making Christmas extra special for our guests living at the apartments!



Ilene Johnson, Mary Taylor, and Sue Meyers from the Benevolent Patriotic Order of DOES, that is affiliated with the Elks Lodge, presented Lysa with a generous check. Thanks to this great group of ladies for their generosity and kind hearts!

Dick Turnwall and Ed Simpson, from the DAV Northern Hills Chapter 11, brought Teena Conrad (SSVF Program Manager) a check to benefit the homeless Veterans we work with through our Supportive Services for Veteran Families program. What a generous gift to help our struggling Veterans!



Help Wanted!

Cornerstone Rescue Mission is searching for a Human Resources/ Payroll Coordinator to work in our ministry's Administration office.

Payroll and HR experience are necessary. Hours are M-F, 8-4. Salary dependent upon experience.

Please call 605-718-8712 and ask for Marty or email mhonorable@cornerstonemission.org.

Mike and Lucynda Sanders dropped off Christmas items for the children of Cornerstone and a check to treat the staff. How sweet!



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Valerie Begeman brought over a box of cold weather gear that the members of the Canyon Lake Activity Center had collected. Thanks to everyone that donated!



Needs List:

MEN'S MISSION - 30 Main St.

KITCHEN: Sugar, spices, cereal, salsa, BBQ sauce, salad dressing.

MISSION: Foot powder, towels, twin-sized blankets, twin-sized sheets, reading glasses, bottled water for sack lunches, personal hygiene items for men & women, backpacks.

WOMEN & CHILDREN'S

HOME - 301 Fox Run Drive

Coffee, eggs, milk, cereal, sandwich bread, butter, sugar, laundry soap, dish soap, kleenex, clorox wipes, personal hygiene items.

CORNERSTONE THRIFT

STORE - 401 - 11th Street

Beds, furniture, small appliances, kitchen items, home décor.

VETERANS - 30 Main St.

Shoes, boots, sugar, creamer, antiperspirant, lotion, backpacks, coffee.

APARTMENTS - 1220 East Blvd.

Dish soap, household cleaners, toilet paper, laundry soap.

A fun picture of our thrift store staff, and some of their volunteers, getting into the holiday spirit!

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO CORNERSTONE RESCUE MISSION

(The enclosed envelope is for your convenience. We are serving more people every day. Your help is appreciated!)