

## **December 2023 Newsletter**

Greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ,

Thank you for your prayers and financial support for Turnabout Community Resource Center.

Partner Spotlight -

Have you noticed the 5 collection boxes around Russiaville collecting money for community projects? The collection boxes are sponsored by the Russiaville Community Outreach (RCO). RCO has been a part of the craft fair, hosting community outings, mentoring at Western, a part of Good New Clubs and the community VBS, buddy bags and cooperating in projects with the Lions Club and the Russiaville Library.

Russiaville Community Outreach is a Co-Op of the churches, the city, the charitable organizations, the businesses and the concerned citizens of Russiaville interfacing together to be more aware of the needs and sharing resources to help those who are struggling with life in our community.

For years the churches of Russiaville have raised funds for the Russiaville

Food Pantry and our transient fund. When people needed help instead of coming to the individual churches all the churches would send them to the RUMC for our food pantry or for gas money to the Main Street Christian Church.

This month Russiaville transitioned the transient funds so that the churches and others gave the money into the RCO bank account that would be distributed through Turnabout at 190 N. Union Street in Russiaville. This will be great for Russiaville as Turnabout is open 5 days a week and many who need gas have even greater needs where Turnabout can begin that relationship to help. - RCO

Turnabout has had the opportunity to continue to work within our community of Howard, Cass & Clinton counties. We have the wonderful ability to now start reaching into Tipton County as well as our board members are taking some of our programs to Tipton. This is a great thing to be a part of. Because of somethings that have happened in other areas we at Turnabout are looking at how best to protect our staff, volunteers and guests – we have made some progress in the area of security but if you have any ideas, thoughts or comments to better help us in the process please feel free to reach out to us at our office number – 765-753-5003 at your convenience.

As we approach the Christmas and New Year holiday season, we want to encourage anyone who needs to talk with someone over the holiday season to please reach out to us. We have people who are willing and able to talk with you or someone you love during this time. We know that sometimes the holiday season is really hard for some people, and we want to acknowledge that fact and offer a listening ear and connection to people who understand because they have gone through some tough times as well, please call our office at 765-753-5003.

The programs and meetings are still going on as scheduled and we look forward to starting some new ones as the opportunities arise.

Thank you again for your ongoing prayer and financial support for Turnabout Community Resource Center. It is only through the prayer support and financial support that we can see the changed lives as Christ moves in the hearts and lives of the people we touch each and every day. We do have a few needs listed below. If you can help with any of these things it would be a great blessing to us.

Needs currently:

- Disinfectant spray for cleaning
- Disinfectant wipes for cleaning
- Toilet bowl cleaner
- Glade Plug-Ins refills
- Small storage tote for supplies
- Postage Stamps
- Staple Puller
- Sharpies Black
- Manilla folders
- Paper Towels

May the LORD JESUS continue to work in the lives of each of us.

In His Grace

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