

May 2020 Newsletter

New Beginnings Mercy House

Prayers to Pray

Please continue praying for our moms and babies at Mercy House! Here are some things you can pray for:

- Please pray for a client who lost their infant and for a former volunteer who lost a child.
 - Pray for a volunteer whose husband has cancer.
 - Protection against the Coronavirus, that the spread can be stopped, that those who are already infected can be healed.
 - God's provision for our clients, that they have everything they need for themselves and their children, that they can still get diapers and formula during this time of scarcity.
 - Financial provision for those who have lost jobs, that they can persevere and not lose hope during this time of economic uncertainty.
 - Protection for moms who are escaping abusive situations.
 - Peace and patience for these moms as they raise their children, who are now home with them all day and wisdom in homeschooling these children while the schools are closed.
 - That moms in need who do not know about Mercy House can find us.
 - Healthy pregnancies without complications for those who are expecting.
 - Salvation for those who do not know Jesus yet.
 - Wisdom, discernment, strength, perseverance, and protection for our leaders and volunteers as they continue to serve.
 - Praise God that Pastor Rick from North Monroe Church of God is recovering from COVID-19.
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Summer Clothes Now Available!

Mercy House now has pre-packed bags of summer clothes and pajamas available for pick-up with our car-side service. Each bag consists of 3 outfits and 2 pairs of pajamas depending on availability. Summer dresses are also available on request.

New Beginnings Mercy House 2020 Friendship Tea!

Plans for the Tea are on hold due to the Coronavirus. There will be an online auction. Details coming soon!

Thank you to so many Generous Hearts Who Support NBMH!

Memorial donations continue to come in on behalf of a memorial for long time friend and donor Michael Pennington. Please pray for his wife Dee and his family as they have had to cancel his memorial service due to COVID-19. We'd like to thank the following people who have donated in his memory: Mr. & Mrs. Paul and Donna Manly and Rebecca Busse.

Our condolences to the family of long time friend and donor Marge Fodor, who passed away recently. We will miss receiving her packages.

We'd also like to thank the following:

- Jan and Ed Ruehs
 - Heritage Baptist
 - Myles Holliday
 - Corey Woodhouse
 - Pat Burnard
 - Shelly McKnight
 - Mr. & Mrs. Seibert
 - Dee Pennington
 - Pat Burnard
 - West Ida Immanuel Lutheran
 - New Faith Chapel
 - Stephen Fodor
 - Laurie Wade
 - David Dorn
 - Krissy Helle
 - Renee Siflet
 - Magan Brooks
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Blessing Closet Needs

We currently have a need for the following:

- Girls' summer pajamas in sizes 3T, 4T, and 5T
- Girls' summer clothes in sizes 3T and up

- Boys' summer clothes in all sizes
- Boy's summer pajamas in sizes 9 months and up
- Onesies for boys
- Onesies for girls
- For women: maternity clothes and tampons
- Nutramigen formula
- Baby food
- Baby gates
- Car seats
- Cribs
- Pack and plays
- Full size strollers
- Walkers

Please remember that we only take kids' clothing up to size 5T, women's clothing, and maternity clothing.

Call Mercy House for drop-off hours.

Thank you for your ongoing support!

Ways to Donate

When you sell a vehicle through Charity Motors (1-888-908-CARS), you can request that the money from the sale goes to NBMH. You will also get a tax write-off.

Please help us by signing up for the Community Rewards at Kroger and Meijer. Mercy House has a new Kroger rewards number - RI585. This helps our clients, so please sign up today.

Thrivent Financial customers - remember you can designate Choice Dollars for Mercy House!

Just a reminder that donations can also be made to Mercy House through Paypal.

Our mothers and babies thank you!

Year Review

So far in 2020:

- **638:** Total number of times we have helped people
- **63:** the number of new clients
- **22:** the number of births among our clients

Praise Jesus for all these beautiful lives we get to be a part of!

Updates

Mercy House will resume normal business hours starting on Friday, May 1. As a reminder, our hours are Monday, Tuesday, and Friday from 10AM-3PM, Wednesday from 10AM-2PM, and Monday and Thursday evenings from 7-8:30PM. During our open hours, we will continue our car-side service outdoors. Please stay in your car and honk and we will come out to you.

Mommy and Me Sensory Play and Under His Wings Bible Study are cancelled until further notice. However, sensory items are available for clients to take home. Thank you to Deadre Shipman for donating them for clients!

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