March 2023 Newsletter New Beginnings Mercy House



And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose. Romans 8:28

Prayers to Pray

March is fasting and praying month for all staff and board members at Mercy House. Here are some things we can pray for:

- Pray for a client who has been diagnosed with cancer.
- Pray for all the Mercy House events coming up.
- Praise that the baby born 4 months premature will be going home from the hospital in March!
- Pray for the mother of a client whose kidneys are not working correctly.
- Pray for a client's mother who is homeless.
- That God would touch and heal those who are sick.
- Financial provision for our clients.
- Protection for moms who are escaping abusive situations.
- Peace and patience for these moms as they raise their children.
- That moms in need who do not know about Mercy House can find us.
- Healthy pregnancies without complications for those who are expecting and that the delivery goes well.
- 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.

Bible Study

Mercy House has a new Bible Study on Wednesday mornings at 9:30AM at the Blessing Closet. All our welcome!



Little Brown Jug Fundraiser

Wednesday, March 8 4-8PM Little Brown Jug 7697 Bluebush Rd. Maybee, MI 48159



Please join us for our annual dinner fundraiser! A portion of all purchases will go to Mercy House! We will also be having a bake sale. You are welcome to bring donations for Mercy House, such as diapers, clothing, or other baby items.

MOPS

Monroe City Church has a MOPS+ group for moms and caregivers to connect and have fun! Visit their website for more info and to join:

https://monroecitychurch.churchcenter.com/groups/small-groups/mom-caregiver-group-mops

Ultrasounds

Free ultrasounds are offered at Mercy House on the second Saturday of each month. Call the office to schedule an appointment.



Free Soup Fundraiser



The next fundraiser will be:
Saturday, March 25
Noon – 2PM
Enjoy a variety of soups, cookies and Polish
coffee cake

Donations benefit Mercy House Resurrection Polish National Catholic Church 1835 W. Temperance Rd. Temperance, MI 48182

This is an ongoing fundraiser that will occur on the last Saturday of each month.

We are grateful for the following donors!



Cornerstone Church - Ida * V. Walker Resurrection Polish Nat'l Catholic Church L. Wade * N. Fallace * B. Ciesielski * J. Amell Fieldstone Church * Caring and Sharing M/M Ruehs * Grace Lutheran Church - One Sheep Ministry * M/M Andrews * St. Joseph Church School - Erie and Christy * K. Gray K. Watson * M. Cruz * Family Counseling and Shelter Service * Lisa and Jeff * Lakeside Missionary Baptist Church * M/M Pawlicki E. Filonczuk * J. Foraker * M/M Seibert Erie United Methodist Church * New Faith Chapel * J. Wright * M. Brooks * S. Pickens N. Monroe Street Church * A. P. Taormina S. Whalen * D. Dorn * S. Kennedy * Kroger First Presbyterian Church - Erie * Dundee Baptist Church * East Ida Immanuel Lutheran Church * Ida United Methodist Church And all of our Anonymous donors! Thank you and may God bless you all!

Blessing Closet and Food Pantry Needs

We currently have a need for the following:

- · Children's white socks all sizes
- Peanut butter
- Jelly
- Nutramigen, Enfamil A.R., Gentlease, and Reguline formulas
- Size 5 and 6 diapers
- Winter boys' clothes sizes 3T-6
- Winter girls' clothes sizes 5T and 6
- Tampons
- · Diaper rash cream
- Burp cloths

Please remember that we only take kids' clothing up to size 6.

Donations accepted during all open hours.

Ways to Donate

Please visit www.newbeginningsmh.net where you will find a link to donate via Paypal or

credit/debit card at the bottom of each page of the website. You can choose to give one time or set up a monthly donation.

Please help us by signing up for Community Rewards at Kroger. The rewards number for Mercy House is RI585 (the second character is an 'i'). Sign up online at www.krogercommunityrewards.com or by calling 1-800-KROGERS.

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

Year Review

So far for the year 2023:

- **344**: Total number of times we have helped people
- 12: The number of births among our clients

Praise be to God!

Updates

Amazon has discontinued their Amazon Smile program. Thank you to those of you who participated while you could. We appreciate it!

March 12 is the start of Daylight Savings Time. Remember to Spring forward one hour!

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.

Mercy House closes when Ida or Monroe schools are closed due to inclement weather. It's always best to call first and check before coming out.

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