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DIRECTOR'S NOTES

Marching on With Your Help

Psalms 37:25 - I have been young, and now am old; yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread.

Dear Supporters and Friends,

I never thought I'd live to testify to the truth of this verse. Since beginning in 1989, countless men, women & children have turned to the Albany Rescue Mission for help, some for housing, clothing, hygiene bags, fresh meals, and some for all of the above. Because of our strong Christian stance this ministry has been able to continue without receiving any government funding and has solely depended on God's Provisions through private donations.

Your continued support of our labor in providing for the least, the last and the lost, has helped provide the care and love that so many seek. Over the years countless men and women have had the opportunity to get their lives right with God through the gospel of Jesus Christ, and have reentered society clean, and with a new outlook on life. I'd like to remind you that of the people who have trusted the Lord through the years here, each of you have played a part in their salvation by ensuring that the mission continues to remain a beacon of hope in our community.

Today our feeding program is very extensive, serving more than 7,000 meals plus lots of fruits and snacks each month. Because of your gifts 1,000s of clothing items are given to the homeless, along with hygiene supplies and other provisions. Most importantly the gospel is still being preached and lives are being changed and that's our top priority. We also publish books, CD's and DVD's to help spread the word of God, along with our website we are able to share the good news of our savior on a global level and again this is all made possible because of your generosity and your obedience to God.

Psalms 37:26 - He is ever merciful, and lendeth; and his seed is blessed.

And with that I say Amen. Thank You all for your Prayers & Support to the mission and to myself, for my health issues and recovery. May God bless you and your family.

Saved to serve,

Larry Hample

Founder/ Director of Albany Rescue Mission

REACHING THE LEAST, THE LAST, THE LOST

VERSE OF THE MONTH



The grass withereth, the flower fadeth: but the word of our God shall stand for ever.

Isaiah 40:8

~ Five Things God Wants You To Know ~

1. We are all sinners.

Romans 3:23 - For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;

Isaiah 53:6 - All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and the Lord hath laid on him the iniquity of us all.

2. We all owe a sin debt.

Romans 6:23 - For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Revelation 20:14 - And death and hell were cast into the lake of fire. This is the second death.

3. We cannot save ourselves.

Ephesians 2:8-9 - For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast.

4. Jesus has already paid our debt.

Romans 5:8 - But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.

5. We all must repent and trust Jesus as our personal Savior.

Luke 13:5 - I tell you, Nay: but, except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish.

John 14:6 - Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.

Romans 10:9 - That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved.

Romans 10:13 - For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.

He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life: and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of God abideth on him. **John 3:36**

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. **John 3:16**

* DONATION RECEIPTS UPDATE *

Dear friends, We plan to mail receipts for your gifts dated in January & February 2026 by the end of March. Thank you for your generosity and for your patience!



You can find ARM on the Internet @ www.AlbanyRescueMission.org

Please visit our website . . . You can send us an e-mail, watch videos, listen to music, make a donation online using PayPal, and learn more about the ministry.

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REACHING THE LEAST, THE LAST, THE LOST



God So Loved Us!



As we exit the “Love Month”, we have felt the love of the community! Through the holidays you all showed up and showed out! You cannot outgive God! He loved us so much he sent His only begotten Son to die for us!! That is a lot of love!! If we confess with our sins, repent and believe He will save us!! What a wonderful God we serve!!

We are totally full right now, but with your help we can take in at least ten more men in need of housing. We are trying to complete the task of remodeling the men’s dorms. Dorm B needs about 40k to fully remodel it, the ceiling and bathroom need to be replaced. The floor has slipped and needs to be jacked up and secured. We have an outside bid, but if you know of any handymen that could assist, we would be glad for their help. We have 57 windows (estimated at 200 each) that need to be replaced as well. These dorms are over 100 years old. Upstairs is where our graduates stay, and we have 2 bathrooms, a side room, and a laundry room that needs to be remodeled. We are trying to see if we can get sponsors to help us. You can dedicate a dorm for a loved one, in loving memory. For more information, call 229-435-7615 to ask for Mrs. Amanda Lamb. We know God is faithful and will provide! For all of you that support via PayPal, thank you so much! Here is a list of some of the things your donations go to to help support:

1. Vehicle Maintenance (Oil Changes, Repairs, Gas).
2. Supplies from Sam’s Club.
3. Medical needs of the men and women (OTC meds, prescriptions etc.)
4. Clothing, Diapers and any other immediate needs our residents might need.
5. Feeding The Valley (we distribute about 10,000lbs of food a week)

We thank you so much and may God bless you!

Saved to Serve,
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MISSION MOMENTS

* Mission Needs *

* **Prayer:** . . . *The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availed much. James 5:16b*

* **Food & Supplies:** We spend more than \$5,250.00 a month purchasing groceries (especially meats, such as chicken and ground beef) and cleaning supplies.

~ **Food:** We would be grateful if you could donate *MEAL* (i.e., Butter, eggs bacon, grits, sugar, cheese, sandwich meats, cooking oil etc.) items to help us “round out” the meals. Also can goods, cereal, jelly, 1lb bags of rice, crackers, oatmeal, canned soup and canned fruit.



~ **Supplies:** We need *PERSONAL SUPPLIES* and *HOUSEKEEPING SUPPLIES* for our residents, for the dormitories, kitchen and our community neighbors. Some of our needed items include: disposable razors, bath soap, wash cloths, towels, alcohol-free after shave, alcohol-free mouthwash, spray deodorant, shampoo, twin sheets, toothbrushes, toothpaste, bath tissue, nail clippers, laundry detergent, dishwashing soap, and feminine products..

* **Monthly financial support:** We have bills much like you do! For example . . .

* **Food & Utilities:** In addition to the \$5,250.00 a month “food & supplies” bill mentioned above, we also have utility bills that run around \$5,500.00 a month.

* **Gas:** We run one van for the Women’s Mission, as well as four trucks, which include one for our maintenance department and two for our Thrift Store / Men’s Mission and one for picking up food and supplies for the mission’s daily function. We spend more than \$3,300.00 a month on average for gas. (This does not include maintenance to vehicles which can get very expensive when they break down.)

* **Insurance:** We also have yearly insurance costs – the building insurance for all of our locations is about \$16,000 a year, with liability insurance being \$4,000 a year, and our auto insurance is about \$7,000 a year.

Where does the money go every month?

Food & Supplies: \$5,250.00

Utilities: \$5,500.00

Your faithful support helps to meet the needs of those who come to us for help.

Donations should be directed to our Ministry office at: 604 N. Monroe St., Albany, GA, 31701.

You can also donate online using PayPal – please visit our website at www.AlbanyRescueMission.org.

MISSION OUTREACH RESULTS FOR FEBRUARY 2026

Individual Cases

Emergency Aid **136**
Emergency Food Bags **300**
Misc. Donations **143**

Professions of Faith in Christ

Mid-Day Chapel Service **8**
Men’s Program Division **3**
Women’s Program Division **4**
Mission Outreach **7**

Free Clothing: Hundreds of individual pieces. Over 7,000 meals served.

LEADING THE LOST TO THE LORD