

## CREW LOVE NEWS

Neighbors call Love INC seeking assistance for jobs that need a group of people. In turn, we call on groups of Hometown Missionaries to provide some of these services, and they, in turn, come out to do some of the much much-needed work as well as providing the much-needed love.

Many of you reading this are very capable of doing some of the many jobs we are asked-- home repair, painting, cleaning or yard work are a few examples. Love INC is usually able to supply the materials for the projects. Please call if you and your group want to help others. Our phone number for Crew Love opportunities is 559-1234.

*-Dawn Radnitzer*

## CAREGIVING

We have hired some new caregivers for our program and I happy to tell you that we continue to have well qualified, loving and devoted workers that enjoy serving the senior adults. One of our seniors told me she was grateful to have her caregiver and that she didn't want anyone but her taking care of her. The bond these two share is inspiring.

We have received several calls this week from family members telling us how pleased they have been with the quality of care given by our caregivers. I believe that our caregivers truly love these seniors and show it in all they do.

On October 24, we will have a booth at the Senior Lifestyle to share more more about our Caregiving Program and Love in the Name of Christ with our friends in our community. It will be at University Mall from 9:00am-2:00pm. Please come by and see us. *-Dawn Radnitzer*

## FROM THE DIRECTOR

It is an interesting and humbling thing to experience the same things as people written about in the Bible. God often reveals His Master Plan a step at a time. From building an ark to fetching a white donkey, people acted in faith at the beginning to see a fuller revealing of God's purposes later.

Purchasing is a step of faith by our Board of Directors. Not only do they believe that many friends will help raise the needed funds, but they also believe that this is a "next step" in preparing for something bigger than we have known in the past. God seeks, and tests, people before using them in His mighty acts. Our Board of Directors are seventeen people of great faith.

Our gratitude goes out to the members of First Christian Church and all the others who have helped launch this exciting time of finding the help necessary to buy a new building. The theme for their "40 Days of Community" is *We're Better Together...* and so we are... for whatever comes next.

*-Roger Aker*

## PROGRAM NOTES

Our Community Thanksgiving Service is on Monday, November 20 this year... barely a month from now. Preparations are well underway for our Community Thanksgiving Dinner, too. The worship service will be at 6:00 and dinner will follow at 7:00, both at Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

We need 25 volunteers who can deliver meals to elderly, disabled, and shut-ins at 2:00 p.m., BEFORE the service and dinner. Each volunteer will have at least 6 and no more than 10 trays of prepared meals, with designated routes (and maps). We need you, and your car, for about an hour. Please help others at Thanksgiving this year.

Be sure to check the Love INC web site: <http://loveincnac.org> *-Sandra Johnson*



## **LOVE** **IN THE NAME OF CHRIST**

*A PARTNERSHIP OF CHURCHES  
BRINGING TOGETHER PEOPLE IN NEED  
AND PEOPLE WHO CAN HELP*

**October 20, 2006**

### *A LOVE STORY*

One of the most frequent requests people make when they call Love in the Name of Christ is for transportation. Even with a very good local bus system, many elderly and disabled people require extra assistance getting around in our community. They have difficulty boarding and de-boarding the bus, getting around in the stores, and managing their packages if they have made purchases.

Some Hometown Missionaries are moved by these people and by their need. One particular seventy-year-old Missionary picks up four different Neighbors, at different times, and takes them to do shopping or errands or appointments, and visits with them in the process. This "one-by-one love" is very special... to the Neighbors...to the Hometown Missionary herself... and to all of us.

It is special because she takes the time to follow her heart. What she gives to her Neighbors, she is really giving to her Lord, just as He said. (Mt. 25:34-36)

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## REPORT OF DONATIONS

***These friends supported Love in the Name of Christ in September through their kind gifts.***

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### SPECIAL GIFTS

In memory of A. J. Marshall  
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In memory of Lena "Mama" Yeager  
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In memory of Lois Marie Bright  
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In memory of Sgt. Michael D. Rowe  
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In memory of Shae Albin  
Gift from E. T. and Lamerle Culp

In honor of Nevaeh Rowe  
Gift from Ray and Judy Taylor  
In honor of Rev. Gary and Ms. Nancy Hill for 10  
yrs service at Christ Episcopal Church  
Gift from Patricia R. Russell  
In memory of Tannie Gandy  
Gift from David and Frances Shofner

### DONATIONS FROM PARTNER CHURCHES

***These churches are on mission to our community, and their generous September gifts are appreciated.***

Christ Episcopal Church  
First Baptist Church  
First Church of the Nazarene  
First United Methodist Church  
Fredonia Hill Baptist Church  
Grace Bible Church  
Harvest Pointe Community Fellowship  
Jubilee Christian Center  
Lilly Grove Baptist Church  
Nat Baptist Church  
New Faith Baptist Church  
Oak Grove Baptist Church  
PAL's Class  
Simpson Campground UMC  
Unity Church of Christianity  
Westminster Presbyterian Church

### TREASURER'S REPORT

Gifts from our partner churches were \$3,045.34 in September, below plan by \$288.00. Our Love INC friends have given \$3,160.090, which is below plan by \$1,006.68. Expenses were above plan by 732.05. The Love Index (number of months of operating funds in reserve) has fallen to 11.16. Thank you all so much for your gifts.

## **I WANT TO HELP**

Monthly pledge of:

\$25  \$50  \$75  \$100  Other

One-time gift this year of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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Please contact me about helping

Please contact my church

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