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2023 IMPACT REPORT



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WELCOME MESSAGE



Christian Caring Center

Madelyn Sutton

Director



Dear Esteemed Members and Supporters,

It is with great pleasure and gratitude that we extend a warm welcome to each of you as we present the Christian Caring Center's 2023 Impact Report. As we reflect upon the past year, we are filled with a profound sense of accomplishment and appreciation for the unwavering dedication and support that has propelled our mission forward.

Nestled in the heart of Browns Mills, New Jersey, the Christian Caring Center stands as a beacon of hope and compassion for the vulnerable populations of Burlington County. Through our multifaceted approach encompassing emergency food distribution, clothing provisions, shelter assistance, as well as comprehensive case management and job training programs, we have remained steadfast in our commitment to uplift and empower those in need.

In the pages of this report, you will find a testament to the transformative impact of our collective efforts. Through the generosity of our donors, the dedication of our volunteers, and the resilience of the individuals we serve, we have achieved significant milestones and touched countless lives throughout the community.

As we embark on the journey ahead, we invite you to join us in celebrating the achievements of the past year and embracing the opportunities that lie ahead. Together, we can continue to make a meaningful difference in the lives of those facing adversity, embodying the spirit of compassion and unity that defines the Christian Caring Center.

Thank you for your unwavering support, and we look forward to embarking on this journey of impact and empowerment together.

Abiding in Him,

Madelyn Sutton
Director
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ABOUT US



Situated within Browns Mills, New Jersey, the Christian Caring Center offers a comprehensive array of services including emergency provisions of food, clothing, shelter, as well as case management and vocational training programs tailored to meet the needs of the low-income and homeless populations within Burlington County. As a registered 501(c)(3) non-profit entity, the Center sustains its vital operations through the procurement of grants, donations, and collaborative support from a diverse spectrum of stakeholders, encompassing local organizations, religious institutions, corporate entities, and individual benefactors both within Burlington County and across broader geographical regions.



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VISION



Empowered by Christian compassion and guided by unwavering faith, the Christian Caring Center envisions a community where love, hope, and support flourish abundantly. Our mission is to serve as a beacon of Christ's light, extending a hand of care and provision to those in need. Through innovative programs, steadfast dedication, and a spirit of unity, we aspire to transform lives, uplift spirits, and foster lasting change. Grounded in the principles of love and service, we

envision a future where every individual experiences the embrace of God's grace and finds a pathway to a brighter tomorrow. Together, we strive to build a world where compassion knows no bounds and where all are embraced as cherished members of God's family.



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MILESTONES



Since the inception in 1983,
the Christian Caring Center
has....

2,055,401 The Christian Caring Centers Community Lunch Program has successfully provided **2,055,401** meals to those in need. Through this initiative, individuals facing food insecurity have received nourishment and support from their community. This program reflects the dedication of the Christian Caring Centers to address hunger and promote well-being among vulnerable populations.

818,361 In a commendable effort to address immediate needs, We have provided emergency food and clothing to **818,361** individuals. This vital support has offered crucial relief to those facing hardship, ensuring they have access to basic necessities during challenging times.

3,288,475 Amidst growing need, we have distributed an impressive **3,288,475** emergency food boxes. This substantial effort has played a crucial role in ensuring that individuals and families facing hardship have access to essential nutrition during challenging times.

37,912 In response to the pressing need for shelter during extreme weather conditions, our Code Blue Shelter has provided refuge to **37,912** individuals. Through this vital initiative, we have offered a safe and warm environment for those facing homelessness, ensuring they have protection from harsh elements. Our commitment to providing compassionate care and support has made a tangible difference in the lives of many, embodying our mission to serve the community with dignity and respect.

6,725 Our organization has provided crucial assistance to **6,725** individuals by offering support with rent and utilities. By addressing these essential needs, we've helped families and individuals maintain stable housing and access to vital services.

OVER 15,000 Overjoyed to witness a powerful spiritual awakening, our community celebrates as over **15,000** individuals have made the profound decision to give their lives to Jesus. This incredible outpouring of faith signifies a transformative journey for each individual, inspiring hope and renewal within our hearts.

2023 IMPACT



Jesus said, "What you do for the least of these, you do for me"

Community Lunch

Provided 11,066 Meals (2023) vs. 8,478 (2022)- **30.52% Increase**

Emergency Food Boxes

Provided 203,770 Food Boxes (2023) vs. 107,091 (2022)- **90.27% Increase**

Individuals Served

Served 12,724 Individuals (2023) vs. 8,095 (2022) - **57.18% Increase**

Households Served

Served 4,734 Households (2023) vs. 3,398 (2022)- **39.31% Increase**

Rent, Mortgage & Utility

Assisted 258 Persons (2023) vs. 133 (2022)- **93.98% Increase**

Holiday Baskets & School Supplies

Provided 978 Families (2023) vs. 874 (2022)- **11.89% Increase**

Code Blue Shelter

Provided 5467/77 Nights/Unduplicated Individuals (2023) vs. 3698/43 (2022)- **47.83% Increase**

We cannot do this without YOU!

Donors provide essential funding to support these services, and volunteers and staff devote countless hours to carry out this critically needed ministry in Burlington County. Thank you for your help and support! Please contact us if you would like to do something more.

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OUR SERVICES



Pop-Up Drive Thru Pantry

With the start of the pandemic in 2020, we were able to create a Pop-Up Pantry. A drive thru contactless pantry to fulfill the increased need for food for our clients. We have since been able to hold this drive thru pantry multiple days during the week.

Shelters

Our shelters, including Code Blue Shelters, Marion's House (family shelter), Holman House, and Jack Stelle's Men's Shelter, provide vital refuge and support to individuals and families experiencing homelessness. With a commitment to compassion and dignity, we offer safe havens where individuals can find respite from harsh conditions and rebuild their lives. Whether it's providing warmth during extreme weather, offering a supportive environment for families, or offering shelter and resources to men in need, each of our shelters plays a crucial role in our mission to serve and uplift our community.

Street Mission

Every Wednesday and Friday, our dedicated team hits the streets and woods to extend a helping hand to those in need. With compassion as our compass, we deliver 50 lunches and provide outreach to homeless individuals, including those battling addiction and facing various challenges. Our efforts also extend to two area motels, ensuring that no one is overlooked or forgotten. Through these acts of kindness and outreach, we strive to provide support, nourishment, and a sense of hope to those who need it most.

Back to School • Holiday Blessings Baskets

Our Back to School and Holiday Blessing Baskets programs are dedicated to ensuring that families in need have the essential tools and nourishment during critical times of the year. With Back to School, we equip students with the necessary supplies to start the academic year confidently. During the holidays, our Blessing Baskets provide not only food but also joy and warmth to families, creating memorable moments during the festive season. Through these initiatives, we aim to alleviate financial burdens and spread positivity within our community, ensuring that every child and family has the resources they need to thrive.

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Bridge of Hope at the Christian Caring Center

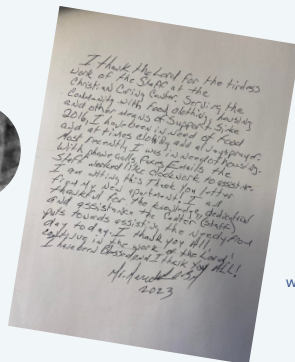
Bridge of Hope is a transformative 12-24 month program crafted to support families confronting homelessness, primarily single mothers with children under 18. Our mission is clear: to guide families toward stability through safe, sustainable housing, resilient family dynamics, and nurturing relationships with Neighboring Volunteers. We provide comprehensive assistance, empowering families to overcome obstacles and build a brighter future. With our dedicated support network, families can navigate challenges with confidence, ultimately achieving lasting stability and hope.

Presentations

We are passionate about sharing our love for helping others, and one way we do this is by giving presentations to various groups and organizations. Through these engaging talks, we share insights, stories, and information about our mission and the impact of our work. By connecting with diverse audiences, we inspire others to join us in making a difference in our community. Together, we can spread compassion, foster understanding, and create positive change that benefits us all.

Rent and Utility Assistance

We understand the importance of stable housing and access to essential utilities. That's why we offer assistance programs aimed at helping individuals and families with rent and utility payments. By providing support during times of financial strain, we strive to prevent homelessness and ensure that basic needs are met. Our goal is to offer a helping hand to those facing hardship, promoting stability and well-being within our community.



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OUR PARTNERS



Our mission at the Christian Caring Center is made possible through the invaluable support of our community partners and churches. Together, we unite in service to fulfill God's work of compassion and care. These partnerships are essential pillars in our efforts to provide assistance, support, and hope to those in need. Through collaboration and shared dedication, we extend our reach and impact, touching the lives of countless individuals and families. It is through the generosity, commitment, and love of our partners and churches that we are able to carry out our mission and make a meaningful difference in our community every day.

VOLUNTEERS



The volunteers at the Christian Caring Center are the heart and soul of the organization, embodying the spirit of compassion and service. They selflessly dedicate their time and efforts to support those in need within the community, offering a range of services from providing food and clothing to offering emotional support and guidance. Their commitment and generosity make a profound difference in the lives of individuals and families facing various challenges, creating a nurturing environment where everyone feels valued and cared for. Through their tireless dedication, the volunteers at the Christian Caring Center exemplify the principles of kindness and solidarity, enriching the lives of others and spreading hope and positivity within the community.



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