

# MEMORIAL GIFTS

We have been blessed to rejoice over many new beginnings in 2022, but we also grieve over the loss of many close friends of Hope Rescue Mission this year as well. You, our supporters, are more than just donors – you are family. So when we lose one, we've lost a member of our own family. The following are gifts made in memory of these incredible supporters of Hope Rescue Mission this year:

## HOMELESS PERSONS MEMORIAL

The Homeless Persons Memorial took place on December 21st, the longest night of the year. Each year, dozens of men and women experiencing homelessness lose their life. With no place to call home, and little or no family left, these men and women are honored at the homeless persons memorial. The memorial serves to humanize the very real people who are homeless in Missoula and gather together to share memories and grieve their loss.

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# Memorials & Honorariums 2021-2022

## IN HONOR/MEMORY OF...

- Honor of April Seat
- Honor of Crystal Turner
- Honor of Dave and Sandy Maxwell
- Honor of Don Harbaugh
- Honor of Jane and Frank Kisselbach
- Honor of John Anderson
- Honor of John Garner
- Honor of Steve Sullivn
- Honor of Tina
- Honor of Tom and Cathy Anderson
- Honor of Travis Beam
- Memory of Beryl Roberts
- Memory of Brad Berryman
- Memory of Carol Spencer
- Memory of Casey Gunter
- Memory of Deborah Alteneeder
- Memory of Dennis Kimzey
- Memory of DiAnn Seng
- Memory of Donna Walund
- Memory of Duke and Marie Pupich
- Memory of Effie and Ken Bradford
- Memory of Fred Collins
- Memory of Jack Kautz
- Memory of Jack Skinner
- Memory of Jeanne Powers

- Memory of Jim Dunwell
- Memory of Joe Hammond
- Memory of Julian and Courtney Guffin
- Memory of Luella Wilson
- Memory of Marsha Joseph
- Memory of Mike Watson
- Memory of Pat Kauffman

- Memory of Ray Johns
- Memory of Sandy Maxwell
- Memory of Shirley Hayes
- Memory of Stephen Hilburn
- Memory of TJ Dupras
- Memory of William Schwaderer

## GIFT GIVEN BY...

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- Marilyn Schwaderer

# H+PE NEWSLETTER

WINTER 2023



“For everything, there is a season and a time for every manner under heaven...” Solomon's wisdom should be repeated, but more importantly, it must be understood and followed. Solomon continues this passage by illustrating various seasons for consideration. We do not need to be afraid of the rhythms of necessary endings; they are the gateway to new beginnings.

Here at Hope Rescue Mission, because of the seasons of prayer and faithful following, we see these new beginnings.

If we reach only for what we know and what is 'safe', we miss out entirely on the immeasurable things God has in store when we reach out in faith!

The context for this season is being a faith-filled, Spirit-formed follower of Jesus. One of our values here is *Innovative Grit*, where we believe in obedience to Jesus while facing the facts of current realities, yet still moving faithfully forward to serve the poor, our partners, and the community with His grace and truth.

Enjoy this month's newsletter and join us in prayer for these new beginnings. Our God is faithful!

Embracing His Seasons,

*Jim Hicks*  
Jim Hicks  
Hope Rescue Mission

MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

# NEW BEGINNINGS



Two years ago, Hope Rescue Mission stepped out in faith to a call to pilot a new idea - create a 24/7, service-rich outdoor shelter for those experiencing homelessness, where individuals could receive resources, guidance, life skills and accountability as they walked a journey toward finding a home to call their own. Two years later, The Temporary Safe Outdoor Space has been an overwhelming success in helping more than 47 homeless individuals transition off the streets and into housing...and it's because of YOU!

A generous landowner has allowed HRM to use the land at the current TSOS location for the last two years, but the land has limitations. There are no utilities, so operations have been limited and HRM has relied upon generators for electricity, propane heaters for heat, porta potties for bathrooms, canvas tents for shelter, and drinking water is delivered on a weekly basis.



But God is so faithful! TSOS has moved to a NEW, more permanent location near Broadway and Mullan in Missoula. **TSOS 2.0** is connected to all utilities and has a **50% larger capacity** - 30 hard-sided, heated/cooled shelters, running water, sewer and electricity. The expansion means even more lives can receive the transformational development realized through the grace of Jesus Christ.



Outreach Team - Staff and Volunteers

If you are interested in a personal tour of TSOS or to learn more about this program, please contact April at outreach@hopemontana.org.

Another new beginning within Hope Outreach is the merging of 549-HOPE and the Community Drop-In Center into one program. This merge means the reach and function of the 549-HOPE benevolence ministry is more timely in response to the needs of individuals seeking assistance. The program is now able to reach more individuals due to flexibility of the drop-in center for assistance and joins together the staffing needs under one umbrella.

The **Drop-In Center is open to the community Monday - Friday from 9:00a-5:00p. Individuals can also reach staff at the Drop-In-Center at 406-549-HOPE (4673).** The Drop-In-Center (formerly 549-HOPE) now has increased hours of operation, and new life skills classes and recovery resources are being added every month.



Lorena

Lorena has been a long-time client of Hope Rescue Mission and, while difficult at times, continues to receive grace and truth through what is now the Drop-In-Center. Lorena held onto resiliency throughout her journey of homelessness and is now safely housed and looking forward to her new life!

**Are you interested in getting involved with this life changing ministry?** Contact Shelly at volunteer@hopemontana.org.

# HOPE HOLIDAY MEAL



For the first time ever, Hope Rescue Mission collaborated with another local service organization to serve the annual holiday meal to those with no place to call home. More than **180 individuals** gathered together to receive a hot meal, fellowship with others, and receive hope in the midst of darkness. A huge thank you to all the volunteers, staff, and donors that made this happen!

An extra shout out to Daily's Meats for their generous donation of all the hams provided for the meal! What a blessing to have such generous local support.

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Hope Thrift Boutique held their Inaugural Online Silent Auction in December. All proceeds raised from the auction are directly applied right back into Hope Rescue Mission programs to serve, rescue, and transform lives of those in need by the grace of Jesus Christ. We hope you all were able to grab a unique gift and support the Mission!



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