



Jesus is the LIGHT John 9:4-5

Freedom Center Ministries, Inc.

August 2016

Greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ,

May grace and peace be with you all!

We appreciate volunteer missionaries as they "GO" on their journeys to serve the Lord and His people. FCM & Agape House has open dates available if you want to get away and come serve in the mountains for a few days.

This month was a day by day having time with the Lord...to seek God and watch to see who or what would cross our paths. There are so many needy and hurting folks: as we listen to them it seems like there is no hope, so many negative thoughts...they do not know where to turn. Over the last 12 years hearing God's word some just do not get it! Others turn to God in times for a need such as: to get money for a bill, food for the family, or prayer for sick family members. There is something in this world that some hold on too. We say Jesus is the answer; He will give you peace that the world cannot give...but with tears running down the face they say not now!

We keep praying, sharing, and loving...and request God's prayer warriors to keep praying for our folks in Eastern Kentucky. To be truthful we do have folks that come faithfully to Freedom Center for Bible fellowship. They praise, sing, share testimonies...witness to others in the shop. They go to different churches throughout the county on Sunday. And they are excited to tell what God did when they come back the next week.

The Bible fellowship times builds relationships and trust...the folks know we care and love them. They know we believe God answers prayer...the folks have seen their prayers answered: healings, salvation, and other concerns. We are glad to be here for our friends!

Through Freedom Center benevolence God's \$372.00 helped 5 families this month with power bills. Families that have a minimal income and food stamps. Just today a man left his wife and 4 children with no power...he said, I have had enough! I know

this happens around the world. It is just so concentrated in our small area. Through all circumstances we must trust the Lord...God is good.

The Lord has blessed FCM by our faithful Tennessee brothers as they bring donations about every month. The women serve as they: collect, wash, and put together sets of bed sheets. Our Highview BC, Kentucky sisters helped us inspect and stock the shop with donations. Prayers and Bible fellowship was shared with local folks.

Freedom Center Christmas project this year is to get men's tennis shoes or funds to buy some. Sizes 9 1/2 - 14

PRAISE OUR LORD FOR:

- Holy Spirit's presence in every detail of our lives and ministry
- Answered prayers for Freedom Center folks
- All the volunteer missionaries who serve in Appalachia Region
- Financial and physical needs that have been donated
- He is on time and He cares
- Changed lives and salvations
- Linda Alford

PRAY TO THE ALL SUFFICIENT ONE FOR:

- FCM folk's prayer list- salvation, local jobs, sickness, healing
- Jim "Muggins" Bennett
- Local pastors
- Victory in spiritual warfare in Harlan Co.
- Peace with God/forgive others
- Salvation for Virgil, Ellen, Sue
- Local first responders
- USA government - darkness in US
- Opportunities to make disciples

FC Shop Needs:

- 1X - 5X Men and 1X -5X women clothes (**not accepting men & women winter clothing in sizes small - XL**)
- Baby & Toddler 2T - 5T summer & winter clothes
- Children 6 - 20 summer & winter clothes
- Men's blue jeans
- Men and women white socks and underwear
- Men's work boots and tennis shoes sizes 9 1/2 - 14
- Winter bed comforters and blankets
- Bed pillows
- Kitchen towels

Agape House needs:

- Metal roof/remove chimney
- 2 hotel HVAC units for upstairs or other ideas
- Vinyl siding bottom half

Agape House is a place where missionaries stay when they GO to serve

Missionary Teams on the 2016 Calendar:

September 16th - 18th Hope BC, Columbia, SC

September 25th - 30th Riverland Hills BC, Irmo, SC

October 3rd - 8th Oak Dale BC, Townville, SC

October 9th - 14th Union BC, Griffin, GA

October 14th - 16th Cornerstone, Bluffton, SC

October 21st - 23rd FBC, Salisbury, NC

November - December open dates

If your church/group is planning to come and serve with Freedom Center Ministries and you are not listed, please contact us. Thank you!

Serving Him until we see Him, **Servants for Christ!**

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