



Jesus is the **LIGHT** John 9:4-5

**Freedom Center Ministries, Inc.**

**September 2016**

Greetings family and friends,

Grace and peace be yours in abundance through the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord. He is so good as our provider and good at all things! He tells His children to go and do not worry about things of this world.

God created us to have a relationship with Him, and when we accept His salvation and begin a relationship with Him, it becomes our mission to serve others and point them toward Christ.

There are so many opportunities around us to serve others...and to fulfill the purpose for which we were all created. Even God himself came to serve and not to be served.

As physical opportunities arise, we also have opportunity to share our spiritual story. This month a man came in with holes in his boots and another man came in saying these tennis shoes I got from here 4 years ago are wore out. It is such a blessing to provide and serve others. This is a big need: Men's work boots and tennis shoes sizes 9 - 14.

This week we received some new tennis shoes and 25 folks left with a pair of shoes and knew the Lord provider and blessed them. Thanks for Riverland Hills assistance.

Also, Riverland Hills BC Irmo, SC missionaries blessed the FC folks through the Love of Jesus the Word, in fellowship...with laughs, food, song, and God stories. It was a wonderful week with Christian brothers and sisters. We thank them for prayers and support!

As opportunity crosses our paths we seek how God is at work. The Freedom Center has Bible fellowship on open days...one day a man and wife attended with their baby. They told us that little baby George needs surgery for an illness. After Bible time we prayed for folks needs and little George. Later, a mother came in with baby Alice

with a serious illness and we continued our prayers to Father God. We trust and know the Great Physician and Provider is at work!

Another opportunity to share our God stories was with Hope BC, Columbia, SC missionaries as they served on their 1st journey to Eastern Kentucky. Robin took the women to stock the FC shop with Fall items... George and the men work on a neighbor's deck.

This is in memory of my friend and Christian Brother Larry Otterback that is now with Jesus our best friend.

### A Call to Serve

"For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do." - Ephesians 2:10

### 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
- Larry Otterback's Heaven arrival

### PRAY TO THE ALL SUFFICIENT ONE FOR:

- FCM folk's prayer list- salvation, local jobs, sickness, healing
- Family of Larry Otterback
- Baby George and baby Alice
- Townville, SC community
- 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:

- XL - 5X Men and XL -5X women clothes (**not accepting other sizes**)
- 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 and bath 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:

October 3<sup>rd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Oakdale BC, Townville, SC

October 9<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> Union BC, Griffin, GA

October 14<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> Cornerstone, Bluffton, SC

October 19<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup> FBC, Salem, SC

October 21<sup>st</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> 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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