

the REVEALER

Easter 2022

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ROBERT IS *celebrating new life* THIS EASTER!

Thank you for touching
his life with hope.



**Don't
Miss...**

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"Now I have hope to see
me through."3

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Easter needs4

When Robert's elderly mother fell ill, he gave up his career and became her full-time, live-in caregiver. It was a labor of love. "I know God called me to take care of her," he says.

For the next four years, he looked out for her every need and the two grew closer than ever. Then she passed away unexpectedly and Robert was overwhelmed with grief. "I fell into a deep depression and couldn't even look for work."

He began numbing his pain with drugs and eventually wound up homeless, out on the streets in freezing weather. It was then he came to your Evansville Rescue Mission, where he found a warm bed, nutritious meals, and the opportunity for a fresh start.

"I came here because it was a very cold night, but I decided to stay because I wanted a better life."

Robert entered a track of our P.A.C.E.S. program (Purpose, Accountability, Christ, Education, Service), where his faith has grown strong through chapel services and Bible studies. **"I've learned to be still and know that the Lord is always going to be there for me,"** he says. "I have hope to see me through."

Christian counseling and life skills classes have helped Robert process his grief and develop healthy coping skills. "The Mission has given me tools to stay on the right track and stay focused on my sobriety. I've been clean for 22 months now," he says proudly.

“ I know God loves me and will never turn His back on me. ”

He's now looking forward to finding a job and saving money for a place of his own. "Everything is falling into place," he says. "My future looks bright."

Your generous support has filled Robert's life with love, encouragement, and, most of all, hope this Easter season. "I was lost, but the Mission helped me get my life back together spiritually and emotionally. Now I know where I'm going."

“Now I have hope to see me through.”



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ANNUAL CAMPAIGN

You can help transform
hearts and lives!



18,298 meals

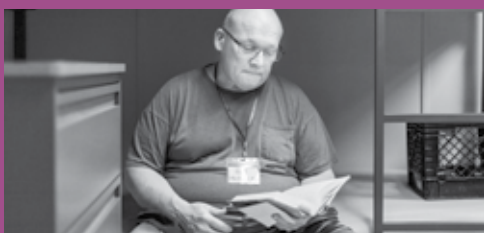
\$2.93 for a meal!



6,317 nights of shelter



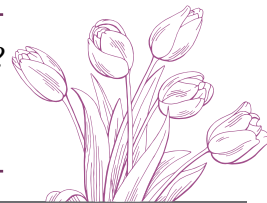
**35 individuals in our discipleship
programs (on average)**



**400 annual hours of
education & counseling**

*Thank you for sharing
hope & joy this Easter!*

*"Why do you look for the living among the dead?
He is not here; he has risen!" – Luke 24:5-6, NIV*



A Message from TRACY L. GORMAN



The everlasting hope **OF EASTER**

As we celebrate the joy of Easter morning, we must also remember the pain and sorrow of Calvary. The agony Jesus faced and the fear His friends and followers felt when they thought all hope was lost.

Many of the people who come through our doors also feel like hope is lost. They look back on their lives and feel nothing but brokenness, regret, and shame.

But this Easter, they can experience the heart-pounding joy and love that comes through new life in Christ! Your support helps us share that message of hope all year long, but most especially during the miraculous Easter season.

The Bible tells us, *"And God is able to bless you abundantly..."* (2 Cor. 9:8 NIV). Through your

gifts to your Mission, you pass on those blessings to those who come through our doors

Thanks to caring friends like you, this Easter will be a time of rejoicing for those who have found abundant life in the arms of our Risen Savior... and a time to welcome anyone in need of everlasting hope.

I pray that you, too, will be filled with blessings and peace this Easter!

Tracy L. Gorman
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President/CEO



CELEBRATE EASTER BY CARING FOR OUR HURTING NEIGHBORS!

Hurting people turn to your Mission each day... longing for a second chance in life. Today, you can help make their new beginning possible with help like:

♥ **A hot meal for \$2.93 – often the first step to a new life in Christ**

♥ An overnight stay in our safe shelter

♥ Christ-centered care & healing in our life-changing programs

By giving generously now, our community's less fortunate will be welcomed with food, shelter, and care this Easter season!

✉ Give now using the enclosed reply card and envelope.

✱ Give online anytime at **[EvansvilleRescueMission.org](https://www.EvansvilleRescueMission.org)**.

Thank you for your support of your Mission guests. Have a blessed Easter!



Help meet our EASTER NEEDS

**Sunday, April 17:
Our Easter Celebration from
12 p.m. to 3 p.m.!**

You have a BIG heart for those in need – and this Easter, we have a great way to show how much you care! Between now and Easter Sunday, we're preparing to serve **thousands of hot meals** and provide our guests with **basic necessities like safe shelter, clean clothing, and Christ-centered care.**

Our hurting neighbors are turning here... and we're counting on YOU to help them!

Drop off donations at your Mission at 500 East Walnut Street in Evansville.

No time to shop? Donate now!

☎ (812) 421-3800 ✨ EvansvilleRescueMission.org

URGENTLY NEEDED ITEMS!

Drop off any of these items **by Friday, April 15:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SPIRAL SLICED HAMS | <input type="checkbox"/> POWDERED MILK |
| <input type="checkbox"/> INSTANT MASHED POTATOES | <input type="checkbox"/> DESSERTS (homemade or store-bought) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> BUTTER | <input type="checkbox"/> COFFEE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CANNED VEGETABLES | <input type="checkbox"/> CREAMER |

Play Golf & Help Change Lives

19TH ANNUAL GOLF SCRAMBLE

It's that time of year again. Your opportunity to join with other compassionate golfers to help send impoverished children from the Tri-State area to our Camp Reveal Free Summer Program.

It's our 19th Annual Golf Scramble!

The day will be filled with delicious food and fun on the links, all in the company of other friends of your Mission.



Individuals golf for **\$125**, teams of four for **\$500**, and sponsorships start at **\$100**. And whether you golf, volunteer, or sponsor a golfer, you'll be helping raise funds to give children from low-income families an experience they'll always cherish – a summer of exploring, making friends, and trying new things in a beautiful rural setting.

For more information, contact Taylor Humphrey at ☎ (812) 421-3800, ext 1205 or ✉ taylor.humphrey@ermstaff.org.

Thank you!

What: 19th Annual Golf Scramble

When: Monday, May 2, 2022
Complimentary Lunch: 10:30 a.m.
Golf Scramble: 12:00 p.m.

Where: Rolling Hills Country Club