

WRIGHT'S HOUSE OF HOPE, INC.

Where Healing and Opportunities Happen

How your kindness and generosity has made a difference

THE DR. WALTER MCALHANEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS FOR 2019

We are excited to announce the recipients of Dr. Walter McAlhaney College Scholarship for academic excellence, created in memory of research biochemist Dr. Walter McAlhaney, the devoted husband of WHOH's Board Chair, Kathleen McAlhaney. The 2019 winners are:

Alexis Rodrigues: USC - College of Pharmaceutical Sciences
Laurryn Thomas: USC - Journalism
Darrell Thompson II: Roanoke University - Business Administration
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We believe education is a vital key to success. The present award is \$1000 per year, and depending upon donations, our board would like to increase the award to \$2000 per year.

JUVENILE JAIL MINISTRY

Wright's House of Hope (WHOH) continues to minister at the Greenville County Juvenile Detention Facility (GCJDF) in Greenville, SC and the Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ) in Columbia, SC.

Greenville County Juvenile Detention Facility



Willow Lane - DJJ Columbia



WHOH received the following thanks from Dr. Lovely N. Poitier, Manager of Chaplaincy Services—South Carolina Department of Juvenile Justice:

"These backpacks were compiled with love and we are eternally grateful to each donor. One of the youth had been released and a few weeks later was back. I was so shocked to see this familiar face. "Chaplain, I got in trouble for stealing a bar of soap," the youth explained. From then, I made a commitment to always send our young people away with some type of "starter kit," inclusive of hygiene products, a Bible, other enrichment literature and clothing if needed. That is exactly what these backpacks are—starter kits for kids who need a fresh start. These backpacks serve as such a rich testimony for staff members to see how volunteers extend constant expressions of love through gifts like this. Ultimately, we thank God for your generosity and your commitment to help us empower young lives for the future."

UPCOMING EVENTS

Christmas luncheon at Columbia DJJ-Willow Lane on December 7th and Christmas morning breakfast at the Greenville County Juvenile Detention Center on December 25th.

WAYS TO HELP...

Keep us covered with your prayers!

Donate directly to WHOH.

- Donate gifts in kind, like snacks, clothing, craft supplies, and hygiene items,
- Make your Amazon.com purchases using our Amazon Smile account: smile.amazon.com/ch/26-1379394.
- Designate your United Way donations to Wright's House of Hope (Tax ID# 26-1379394)

"Thank you for your prayers and generosity"

Beverly Caligaris and the WHOH Board of Directors

If you have questions or would like to make a donation, please contact
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