

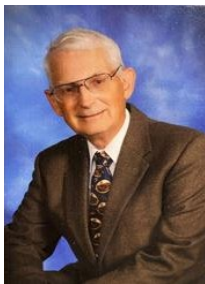


Let your Light shine Matthew 5:16

Freedom Center Ministries Inc.

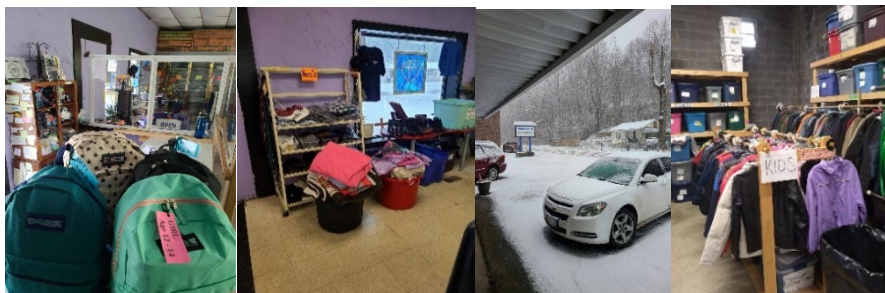
January - February - March 2022 news

Greetings to our beloved Family and Friends,



In memory, Brother Wallace Ralph was a huge blessing to Freedom Center Ministries, bringing donations several times a year for more than 18 years. Along with his friends from First Baptist Church Goodlettsville, TN; they drove 10 hours round trips. His last trip was in October 2021, at age 86. He was a friend and a faithful servant of Lord Jesus.

It was a very cold snowy winter. FCM gave the folks free coats, gloves, toboggans, and blankets to shield off the wintry weather. The boys and girls received backpacks from a northern Kentucky church; that included food with pop-top lids, blankets, toys, gloves, socks, coloring books/crayons. Some were given to an after-school ministry for children in need.



FCM serves folks in 3 counties, on this certain day we traveled to adjacent county to Robin's doctor. While we were over there, a woman called with a physical need. She was cold and needed a load of coal to heat the house. She said it cost \$170.00 per ton, which would get her through the winter. So, Robin and I met Connie* and started searching for coal. We traveled the roads for 2 hours in search and found no coal. As we drove around, we prayed for the Lord's favor. At one place we looked across and saw a convenience store, we decided to go look on the bulletin board. While George pumped the gas, Robin went inside to check. She spotted several coal miners and asked them where we could buy some coal. A lady behind the counter gave her a name and phone number.

So, Connie* called, and the man said I have coal come down a certain road to the end of the holler. Well, the conversation sounded suspicious. But we knew to be careful. However, we followed the man's directions down the holler and saw no coal. Over a hill and around a curve we found coal, a mountain of black coal. Wow, the Lord gave us favor with a coal mine!! Not just a small pile, but a coal mine. Hallelujah, God is good, so amazing. We praised Him, along with the coal miner in the huge tractor. The miner with a big smile and a chuckle said, there is no charge, it is free. The Lord told me to do this. And if you need more just come back. Please just pray for my friend, Troy is in hospital.



Father God is at work, watch and see!

At FCM the Word of God was shared with love as folks shopped for physical needs. Several men came in that wore wet floppy sole boots. It was a pleasure as we served them with new boots. Annie* is a homeless woman that comes into the Center to warm her body and to get some winter items. She stays awhile and as she warms; Robin will encourage, counsel, and pray with her. The last time she got a blanket, sleeping bag, and clothes. She stays under a bridge if there is no other place. There is much more to her story.

Another woman came in with her friends that needed much help. Freda* lost all her belongings. Through FCM the Lord blessed her with kitchen stuff, pots, set of dishes, silverware, utensils, toiletries, blanket, coat, shoes, and clothes. names changed*

We served with the Hightower Baptist Association of Georgia at the monthly giveaway. Their food and clothes bank assisted 1200 folks with physical needs and HBA pastors prayed and gave counsel to most of them. We have a new sister in Jesus Christ. It was a blessing to work with Harmony Grove BC Cumming, GA the host church, and all the other faithful volunteers. Also, it was an encouragement to see so many of the younger generation in God's service.



It is always a blessing to have fellowship with "Women on Mission" WOM! Freedom Center gave God the glory for all He has started, and for all His continued work. The WOM of FBC Blairsville, GA filled our van with children's clothes. We love our God Family.



The mission team from First Baptist Church Salisbury, NC blessed Eastern Kentucky. They help three school Family Resource Centers with: food, school supplies, Easter Hope Boxes. The women painted at FCM shop, Agape House, and the men did the mission house. That included carpentry, stonework/ masonry, and painted wall. The team was a huge help in the warehouse with summer clothes bins and stocked the shop.



Missionary Teams on the 2022 Calendar

February 25th Phil Burris day trip Cumming, GA

March 25th - 26th Daviess – McLean BA Owensboro, KY (vision tour)

March 27th - 31st FBC Salisbury, NC

April 17th - 20th Joe and Darlene Schlichte Summerville, SC

April 20th - 24th The Bridge Ch. Goldsboro, NC

April 24th - May 7th Riverland Hills BC Irmo, SC

June 5th - 11th Harmony Grove BC Cumming, GA

June 12th - 16th Union BC Iva, SC

July 18th - 22nd Back to School Mission Week: Buck Creek BC, Longs, SC, Ben Avon BC, Spartanburg, SC, Wampee BC, Longs, SC, Indian Lake BC, Northport, AL, Memorial BC, Frankfort, KY

August through December open dates

Open Dates are available, as God leads contact FCM. If your church/group are planning to come and serve with Freedom Center Ministries, please contact us. Thank you!

Agape House Lynch, KY is a place where missionaries stay when they GO/come to serve.



PRAISE OUR LORD FOR:

- Holy Spirit's faithfulness in every detail of life & ministry
- Our health, families, medical personnel, public workers
- Financial and physical resources that have been donated
- 569 friends served at FC
- Faithful partners in ministry and prayers
- The volunteers helping with this ministry giving of their time, talents, and resources to build relationships with our local people.

PRAY TO THE ALL SUFFICIENT ONE FOR:

- Mercy and strength for Ukraine and Russia folks
- America, Gov. leaders, and medical personnel
- FCM folks on prayer list: salvation, jobs, healing
- Missionary couple for long term service with FCM (request has been sent to North American Mission Board)
- Unbelievers around the World

Prayer Warriors, we cherish your prayers!! Thank Ya'll on behalf of our people group in The Appalachians; may God's blessings continue to flow to His people. Robin and I are humbled to be "Serving our Father by serving His People" in the Southeastern Kentucky Mountains. Thank you for your PRAYERS and support! May God receive the glory and honor in our works.

FCM SHOP NEEDS AT THIS TIME:

- Winter clothes (especially boys, girls, and toddlers)
- T-Shirts for all genders, ages, and sizes
- Men blue jeans
- Women's current style blue jeans, bras
- All sizes sheet sets (especially queen and king)



In the Vine, John 15 ... Servants for Jesus Christ!

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