

Northeastern District ALLIANCEWOMEN

District Newsletter, January 2020

What is Required?

By Terri Groh, District Director

Micah 6:8 ~

***He has shown you, O mortal, what is good.
And what does the LORD require of you?
To act justly and to love mercy
and to walk humbly with your God.***

A new year has arrived. I love January because it's a clean slate and a new fresh start. It is the ultimate "do-over." There is the opportunity to set new goals, and to reflect on what you would like to do differently in the coming year.

However, as you set out your goals or resolutions for the New Year, are you praying and asking the Lord what He would want from you? Are you seeking His will for your life? Are you hearing from Him and willing to make changes that He is setting before you?

What is it that the Lord requires from His people? This verse in Micah sums it up nicely.

1. Act Justly - Make sure that you are upright and honest in all your dealings. God is a God of justice. He expects His people to be the same. Treat those around you with dignity and respect. Cheating, lying, dishonest gain, disrespect of others is not something that should be characteristic of God's people.

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Car Needed

Dr. Renee Valach from Bongolo Hospital in Gabon will be in need of a car to use during her home assignment. She will be here from approximately July-October, 2020. If anyone knows of one that can be used, please contact NED Alliance Women's Director, Terri Groh at terrigroh@yahoo.com.

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2. Love Mercy - Are you a merciful person? Do you exact revenge on those who hurt you? Do you run them down with your words? Are you quick to be offended and angry with others? Are you vindictive? We are to be people who forgive. We have been forgiven so much from the Lord. Let's make sure that we too are people who forgive others.

3. Walk Humbly With God - Let's enter the new year with the goal of walking with God in humility. So many people say they love the Lord and have a relationship with Him, yet they never read His word. They never seek Him out before they make a decision. They never worship with His people. They talk a good game, but the Lord requires more than speech. Walking humbly means seeking direction from the Lord. It requires seeking His counsel before you make a decision. Humility is recognizing who is really in control of your life.

Seek out the Lord in the New Year. Ask Him for direction for your life. Make it your goal to walk in His ways in the coming year.

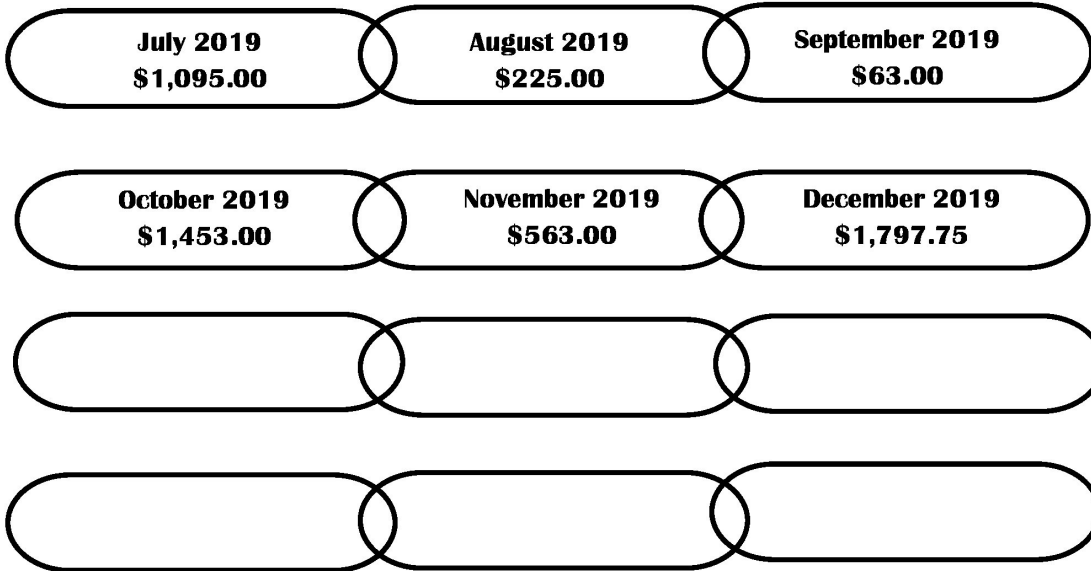
What is God requiring of you this year?



National Goal—\$250,000
 Northeastern District Goal—\$16,000

Year-to-date Amount— \$5,196.95

Help break their chains so they can be SET FREE!



2019-2020 National Project

Bosnia-Herzegovina

Roma people and women coming out of prison to be set free from heroin addiction

Cambodia

Help and a home for those seeking to be set free from drug and alcohol addiction

Paraguay

Reaching youth through camp ministry to be set free to follow Jesus

Uruguay

Encounter retreats for well-educated women in a spiritually-resistant culture to be set free from emptiness

Pray for our International Workers

Eikosts:

- For the hundreds of families with children who received Operation Christmas Child shoebox gifts -- Pray that they would read and respond to the booklet each child received and that many children would participate in the follow-up Bible study.
- For those who do not have enough money to pay for heat -- Pray that the Lord would provide warm places for them and protect them from the cold, especially the elderly.
- For those who have the month "off" -- Pray that Christian workers who take a break after the holidays would truly rest, using the time for refreshment, prayer and to hear from the Lord. We want to start 2020 with strong footing on our firm foundation.

Ellenbergers:

- Money is coming in for our building project at Go Global, our English center.
- We are thankful that our whole family is able to be together for Christmas
- Praise for wonderful speaking opportunities in our New York churches this Fall; thanks to all of you
- Pray for safety for our teammates in our country
- Pray for a fruitful Spring tour in New York again

Zoggs:

- Could you cover us with prayer for our medical outreach to the maximum security prison the first week of January (probably January 8th).

Continue to pray for all our International Workers

Spring Refresh Materials being mailed soon!

Save the Date: April 24-25, 2020

Holiday Inn, Auburn, NY