

### **Servants of our Lord Ministry**

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### April 2019 Newsletter: Happy Easter!

### Volunteers

What is a volunteer in our ministry? They are a friend, loved one, neighbor,



brother, sister, mother, father, aunt, uncle, cousin, spouse, co-worker, good hearted human being, inmate, teacher, student, church goer and the list goes on. Our volunteers come from all walks of life. In a sense we all come to the altar to our Father's arms who are open wide and ready to accept us no matter what our sins are. During the time of Easter, many of us look to JESUS to

try to discover how we can be more like him. We look inside of ourselves and try to share ourselves in hopes of being more like him. Our volunteers are so appreciated. Without them and their help we would not be able to provide food, clothes and spiritual ministry on a monthly basis. Each volunteer holds a

special place in our hearts. Throughout the year we make many trips to the warehouse and to our partners in Kentucky to bring hope and love to the people of Eastern Kentucky! As volunteers we all join together to do God's work. With so many interruptions in this world, we are so proud of how our faithful volunteers helped us to grow, learn and provide for 37 food pantries. Our ministry has grown so much and we are honored that you



choose to volunteer with our organization! Thank you for what you do. Again, without your help Eastern Appalachia Kentucky would not have received the hundreds of tons of food that we distribute annually.

Please keep in mind, this ministry operates solely on individual donations and the help of volunteers. If you have the time and desire to help with the monthly food distribution, there are a variety of tasks that need volunteers. If interested, please contact us via email at <u>servantsofourlord@live.com</u> or phone (502) 791-6430. If you would like to help with the Ministry's monthly operational costs, please send your tax-deductible donation in the envelope provided or mail to P.O. Box 224 Lexington, IL 61753. Thank you and God Bless.

#### **OUR MISSION**

To serve our Lord, Jesus Christ, by meeting the spiritual and material needs of the many economically deprived individuals living in the Appalachians and surrounding areas.

#### MONTHLY SCRIPTURE

Religion that is pure and undefiled before God the Father is this: to visit orphans and widows in their affliction, and to keep oneself unstained from the world. James 1:27 (ESV)

#### MINISTRY NEEDS

**Prayer Partners**. Please lift up the food pantries and volunteers that make this all possible, and also the families that receive God's abundance! Please pray for the ministry leaders, that they may know the will of God.

**Financial Partners.** Please prayerfully consider ways you can help with a monthly donation. 100% of all donations go to providing food to the Eastern Kentucky region.

# **April Distribution**



We would like to welcome Grace Pointe Church , in Lawrence, Kentucky as a new agency partner. Grace Pointe supplies dozens of families each month with food that will help sustain them all month long. We are pleased to be able to help them with much needed food and supplies.

We pray that this will be a blessing to the Lawrence Kentucky area.

In April we were blessed with good weather for the distribution. On Tuesday, 37 agency partners traveled up to two hours to pickup 180 cases of a great variety of soup, canned vegetables, cereal, almond milk and many other staple items. They returned home to distribute the supplies to thousands of needy families. Thank you to Midwest Food Bank and our other food suppliers for making this possible.





As we continue to grow, we need to have a warehouse space that can grow with us. If you know of available warehouse space in the Stanton, KY area that may work for our ministry, please let us know. Please pray that the Lord will guide us through and help us to continue to provide much needed food and supplies to the Eastern Kentucky region.







## Thank you

God Bless you for all you have done to help the people of Eastern Kentucky! Again this month we have received more applications for new food pantries. As our ministry grows please pray that God will use this ministry to supply the food to all that are hungry in this impoverished region of our country.

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