



HEARTBEAT

January 2021

NEW FACE

Not a "new" face to Toledo Gospel Rescue Mission, but perhaps one you don't know well. Kelly Llanas brings years of experience in urban ministry, especially in the greater Toledo area. She has been involved in TGRM operations as both a volunteer and employee and is uniquely qualified to lead TGRM. Mrs. Llanas has a heart for those in need rooted in her love of Christ. As she puts it, *"At the end of the day, it's less about what we do and more about why we do it. I am proud to represent a ministry that believes that people have value, deserve to be treated with dignity, and can be transformed by the power and hope of the Gospel message."*



I'm thankful to the TGRM Board and to each of you for the opportunity to step into this vital role at the Mission. I firmly believe in the Mission's goal of meeting those in the most desperate of times with tangible help and lasting hope that comes from faith in Jesus Christ! I have full confidence that together with your continued support, TGRM will continue to impact the lives of these hurting men, women, & children with the life-changing message of the Gospel!

Rev. Kelly Llanas
Executive Director

SAME GOAL



RESCUE!!!

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Rebekah's Haven New Facility Opened!

There was laughter, there were tears, but most importantly there is HOPE! After years of work, tears, permits, volunteering, and overwhelming support from donors like you, on December 12, 2020, the long awaited Grand Opening of the new Rebekah's Haven facility happened! Beginning this month, more moms and their small children are now safe and warm because of your faithfulness!

The Facebook LIVE virtual opening allowed us to join with you (even in COVID) and celebrate this monumental occasion in Toledo Gospel Rescue Mission history. You see, in 65 years of ministry, we've never had a grand opening celebration before. What an awesome feeling to know that businesses, churches, and countless individuals care so deeply for those who seek shelter through the ministries of TGRM! Thank you! Please consider teaming up with us as we move into the new building and move forward into 2021 by volunteering! Come and experience first hand the life change that is happening as a result of your faithfulness to those in need!

COMPASSION



For some time now this picture of Jesus was hanging in the Mission Mall. It has been an inspiration of several conversations, as well as, an encouragement to many who've come in discouraged. However, a lady recently came in and told us how much she admired the picture, and we felt led to give it to her. When we did, she

immediately wept and began praising the Lord. You see, her sister had recently passed away and she also loved the picture. She was so excited to be able to have it at the funeral service as a reminder of her sister's hope and faith in Christ. A donor's discarded picture of Christ was used as an item of compassion to a grieving family member. Thank you for continuing to support TGRM Mission Mall, because you never know what God can use to touch someone's heart.



VOLUNTEER ORIENTATION
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20, 2021
6:00PM
TGRM OUTREACH CENTER
 670 PHILLIPS AVENUE
 TOLEDO, OHIO 43612
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
 Call 419-241-6579
 or sign up online at www.tgrm.org

MINISTRY NEEDS LIST

All Areas Need "C.H.U.G.S."

(coats, hats, undies, gloves, & socks)

Men's Shelter

- Masks/face coverings
- Multi-purpose cleaner
- Disinfecting wipes
- Bleach
- Dish soap
- Paper towels & toilet tissue
- Toilet bowl cleaner
- Napkins
- Paper plates
- Paper & styrofoam cups
- Plasticware
- Serving gloves
- Ketchup
- Mustard
- Miracle Whip®
- Salad dressings: Ranch, French, & Italian
- Industrial-sized

- * Aluminum foil
- * Plastic wrap

Rebekah's Haven

- Paper towels & toilet tissue
- Laundry detergent
- Scrubbing Bubbles®
- Tilex - bleach spray®
- All-purpose cleaner
- Bleach
- PineSol®
- S.O.S. Pads®
- Disinfectant wipes
- Hand sanitizer
- Diapers sizes 5 & 6
- Wipes
- Foil
- Sponges
- Peanut butter & jelly
- Crackers

Mission Mall

- Bleach
- Masks
- PineSol®
- Rubber gloves

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