30 DAYS OF PRAYER



FOR THE MINISTRY OF THE RESCUE MISSION





Dear Friend,

Over the course of 67 years of ministry to homeless and hurting men, women, and children across the Treasure Valley, we have heard thousands of testimonies from people who came to Boise Rescue Mission Ministries for help and found more than a meal or a clean, safe place to sleep. They found welcoming staff and kind words. They found

people who were genuinely interested in building a relationship with them; folks who believed in them and were willing to become their extended family. And many found new hope in the message of God's love that they heard and experienced here.

Since the Rescue Mission began, more than 24,736 individuals have shared with a staff member that they made the decision to follow Christ. For some of these people, that decision led them out of addiction and criminal conduct. For many, it meant returning to a family and making amends. For others, it simply meant finding a job and becoming responsible for themselves again. For all of them it meant living for Christ rather than living for self alone.

I want you to know that the prayers and support of people like you for this work of Rescue are responsible for these changed lives. We are so appreciative of your heart for the Rescue Mission and the people we serve. I thank you and I hope, as you join us in prayer and meditation on God's word for the next 30 days, that you will be blessed and encouraged, and will find strength for the challenges you yourself are facing. We've included a place for you to write your own thoughts and prayers.

Please know, as you approach the throne of grace each day on our behalf, that we also are diligently praying for you. God bless and keep you in His perfect peace.

In His service with you,

Rev. Bill Roscoe President/CEO revbill@boiserm.org

BRINGING HOPE TO OUR COMMUNITY

RESTORING FAITH, HOPE, AND FAMILY

Since 1958, Boise Rescue Mission Ministries has been serving people in need across the Treasure Valley. We see homelessness in its entirety. For us, taking care of our homeless friends and neighbors isn't just about addressing their physical needs; it's about meeting their mental, emotional, and spiritual needs as well.

We are reaching out to the community by teaching the Word of God and providing food, shelter, clothing and opportunities to recover from homelessness for the men, women and children who need us the most.

WHAT YOU HAVE HELPED US ACCOMPLISH



7,581,346 Meals Served



2,863,458 Safe Nights of Shelter



1,522,881 Clothing Items Given Away

YOU CAN CONTINUE TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE





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Pray that God would bless the people in our facilities with faith and a hunger to know Him.

My thoughts and prayers:

"For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through Him." - John 3:16,17





Pray for joy for all of our guests, program members, volunteers, and staff.

My thoughts and prayers:

"You have made known to me the paths of life; you will fill me with joy in your presence." - Acts 2:28



Pray that God would bless the Rescue Mission with His provision and abundance, so that guests would be well taken care of.

My thoughts and prayers:

"And my God will meet all your needs according to the riches of his glory in Christ Jesus." - Philippians 4:19



Pray for guidance and wisdom for those who are going through the learning programs at the Rescue Mission.

My thoughts and prayers:

"Let Your work be shown to Your servants, and Your glorious power to their children. Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and establish the work of our hands!" - Psalm 90:17



Pray for wisdom for our leadership, and that they would steward the Rescue Mission well.

My thoughts and prayers:

"Wisdom's instruction is to fear the LORD, and humility comes before honor." - Proverbs 15:33



Pray our guests would experience love, compassion, and understanding from our staff and volunteers.

My thoughts and prayers:

"When He saw the crowds, He had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then He said to His disciples, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into His harvest.'" - Matthew 9:36-38



Pray for patience and guidance for our counselors who help visitors with mental health issues.

My thoughts and prayers:

"Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing." - 1 Thessalonians 5:11



Pray that those we service may encounter the love of God in the meals, shelter, and care we provide.

My thoughts and prayers:

"And may you have the power to understand, as all God's people should, how wide, how long, how high, and how deep His love is. May you experience the love of Christ, though it is too great to understand fully. Then you will be made complete with all the fullness of life and power that comes from God." - Ephesians 3:18-19





Pray for those who come to us in crisis, that God would quiet their hearts and minds.

My thoughts and prayers:

"And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus." - Philippians 4:7



Pray that our staff would be continually sustained by God's Spirit to serve well and with joy.

My thoughts and prayers:

"God is not unjust; he will not forget your work and the love you have shown him as you have helped his people and continue to help them. We want each of you to show this same diligence to the very end, so that what you hope for may be fully realized." - Hebrews 6:10-11



Pray for deliverance for our New Life Program members as they work to escape the bondage of addiction.

My thoughts and prayers:

"For we do not have a high priest who is unable to empathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are—yet He did not sin. Let us then approach God's throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need." - Hebrews 4:15-16



Pray that God would instill a persevering faith in turning their lives around.

My thoughts and prayers:

"Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance. Let perseverance finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything." - James 1:2-4



Pray that, while they are with us, our kids would know joy and laughter and the freedom to just be kids.

My thoughts and prayers:

"Jesus said, 'Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.'" - Matthew 19:14



Pray that, in every moment, whether staff or guests, we would be reminded to trust in God's goodness and not be afraid.

My thoughts and prayers:

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." - Jeremiah 29:11



Pray that God would bless the volunteers who make sacrifices to serve our community and people in need.

My thoughts and prayers:

"Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you." - Luke 6:38



Pray that God would provide for and protect the kids who come through the Rescue Mission facilities every day.

My thoughts and prayers:

"Train up a child in the way he should go: And when he is old, he will not depart from it." - Proverbs 22:6



Pray for focus and diligence for those who are trying to do the necessary work to better their lives.

My thoughts and prayers:

"Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain." - 1 Corinthians 15:58



Pray that our veterans would be given extra strength and courage through the difficult challenges they face.

My thoughts and prayers:

"David also said to Solomon his son, 'Be strong and courageous, and do the work. Do not be afraid or discouraged, for the LORD God, my God, is with you. He will not fail you or forsake you until all the work for the service of the temple of the LORD is finished.'" - 1 Chronicles 28:20



Pray that our teens would embrace what God has to offer and grow up to be all that He has called them to be.

My thoughts and prayers:

"Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—His good, pleasing and perfect will.." - Romans 12:2



Pray that our guests would feel God's presence in their lives and always know that they are never alone.

My thoughts and prayers:

"The Lord your God is with you, the Mighty Warrior who saves. He will take great delight in you; in His love He will no longer rebuke you, but will rejoice over you with singing." - Zephaniah 3:17



Pray that our women, who are struggling, would know strength, dignity, and God's comfort.

My thoughts and prayers:

"But he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me." - 2 Corinthians 12:9





Pray that the relationships in the lives of our visitors would be reconciled by the power of God.

My thoughts and prayers:

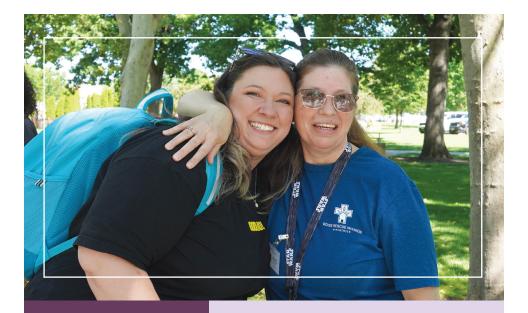
"Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you." - Ephesians 4:32



Pray that God would continue to use us to rescue people from darkness, and would soften hardened hearts to the truth.

My thoughts and prayers:

"For You formed my inward parts; You knitted me together in my mother's womb. I praise You, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are Your works; my soul knows it very well." - Psalm 139:13,14



Pray that our Kids Program staff would continue to shine Christ's light in all they do, and provide a good example of what it means to live well.

My thoughts and prayers:

"But one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus." - Philippians 3:13b,14



Pray that each of the more than 400 people who find safe shelter tonight within our walls would find hope for tomorrow, and that hope would continue throughout their lives.

My thoughts and prayers:

"He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High will abide in the shadow of the Almighty. I will say to the LORD, 'My refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust." - Psalm 91:1,2



Pray that the Fruit of the Spirit would be evident within our walls, and that God's presence would rest upon our facilities.

My thoughts and prayers:

"But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, selfcontrol; against such things there is no law." - Galatians 5:22





Pray that those who come to us would experience the power of God through His Word.

My thoughts and prayers:

"He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds. He determines the number of the stars; He gives to all of them their names. Great is our Lord, and abundant in power; His understanding is beyond measure." - Psalm 147:3-5



Pray that each of the men, women, and children we minister to would know God's peace in every part of their life.

My thoughts and prayers:

"I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world." - John 16:33





Pray for God's provision over our facilities and staff, and that He would meet the needs of our homeless and hungry neighbors.

My thoughts and prayers:

"For You have been my refuge, a strong tower against the enemy. Let me dwell in Your tent forever! Let me take refuge under the shelter of Your wings!" - Psalm 61:3-5



We thank the Lord for all that He has done and has yet to do through the work of Boise Rescue Mission Ministries!

My thoughts and prayers:

"Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon His name; make known His deeds among the peoples! Sing to Him, sing praises to Him; tell of all His wondrous works! Glory in His holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice!" - 1 Chronicles 16:8-10



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