

BENEVOLENCE APPRECIATION SUNDAY JANUARY 31, 2021

BECAUSE OF YOU we were able to provide the following grants for our core non-profit organizations in 2020:

Caring Children, Clothing Children (4C'S)

Walmart Shoe Vouchers

Christian Community Dental Center

Dental clinic- lab fees/dental equipment

Dunbar Elementary Learning Center

Teaching certifications/education

Family Promise

Case Worker/swing set day center

Fun Friday/MS Chapel

Nurse salary

Mary's Home

Resident career development

Food/Pond aerators/career assistance

mechanical equipment

Partners: We introduced The Refuge Ranch to House of Hope who has been providing them with food since May at no cost.

Partners: Family Promise did not know that (4C'S) has a mobile van. (4C'S) is now visiting the homeless children at Family Promise and bringing them shoe vouchers (see above), new underwear, new socks and clothing.

Partners: We introduced The Refuge Ranch residents to House of Hope's Learning Center. Rob Ranieri, Exec Director of HOH, is providing career counseling and job training for the residents at no cost.

Partners: Family Promise is sending their homeless families to Christian Community Dental Center for dental care.

BECAUSE OF YOU, Emmanuel and Audri, 17 year old temporary residents at Family Promise received a bike and clothing from White Dove funds. See Emmanuel's smiling face on our bulletin board.

BECAUSE OF YOU, our support of The Refuge Ranch changed one woman's life forever. Jackie Sue received our grant to reduce her working hours and increase her class load at Indian River State College; her goal is to be a social worker. As a child, Jackie Sue was rarely taken to school and faced abuse. She left home at age 14 and led a life of substance abuse for fifteen years. Since arriving at The Refuge Ranch, Jackie Sue obtained her GED; cramming what most children learn in elementary, middle and high school in two years and enrolled in Indian State College. Jackie Sue wrote us: "Without your support, I would not be able to take on this many classes. Thank you for believing in me. It means a lot to me."

For a full roster of Partnerships please see the Poster by Pam Timony and Jill Mayer at the entrance.

Judith Carlson

For the Benevolence Committee of Mariner Sands Chapel