MISSION MINUTE

November 2024



Avenues for Hope
Housing Challenge

It's almost here - and we're excited to see what God does this year!

This year, the event will run from December 9th until December 31st at midnight.

There will be multiple opportunities to earn extra prize money throughout the entire event. From $500 to upwards of $3000 in additional prize money for most raised in the region to donations from multiple states and so much more. We will post challenges on our Facebook and Valley Mission pages throughout the event so be sure to check those out. We'll also utilize email and post on X often.

This event is more than just raising dollars. We truly hope to raise awareness in the state for what Valley Mission will bring to the community - and how that can impact beyond our boundaries.

We hope you'll join with us this year!



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Street Reach - Fall Reboot

With fall comes change. New colors, new opportunities, new events - and more people in need of help.
We are seeing a surge in people living in vehicles, along the river, even students struggling to stay in their homes and living either in thier cars or couch surfing.

With the colder temperatures and challenges that brings to accessing our neighbors, we will take some time in November to do some much needed training.
The goal is to create a minimum of 2 teams that will go out weekly to meet these neighbors, bring supplies, direct them to resources, and offer them hope.

This is not a ministry that just anyone can do. It is physcially demanding, is of high-risk as we encounter people on their turf, and at times can be emotionally challenging.
We will be selective in who will be placed on the teams, but there are other ways to be involved. We will cover all of the opportunities at the training.

We will gather at First Baptist Church on Wednesday, November 20th at 6 pm in the Worship Center.

I was hungry and you gave me food, thirsty and you gave me drink, a stranger and you took me in.

MATTHEW 25:35



grateful

Purpose Center - Craig Yadon

In case you haven't been downtown to the Purpose Building on Main Street lately, you are missing out on a great place that not only serves amazing teas, but they have done a great job bringing the building back to life!

Craig and his staff have been supporting Valley Mission with drink specials, the proceeds from certain drinks coming directly to Valley Mission! His partnership with us to put our name out there, to be able to tell our story and cast vision so more people can join us has been a simple yet effective way to market.

We encourage you to check out what they are doing at the Purpose building, what they have to offer in the way of events and venues, and so much more.

See them at 224 N Main Street, Pocatello



Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give...for God loves a cheerful giver.

2 CORINTHIANS 9:7



volunteer

Volunteer Highlight

This month, we are thrilled to celebrate a pair of volunteers who never seem to quit -
Kelton and McLane

Kelton comes from American Falls every Wednesday and is quick to get to work setting rollers, helping on the line, sorting and so much more.

McLane is a big help on the trailer as it rolls up and is on point if Darrel isn't on site to assist with temperatures and knows the categories for our rescue food program.

Both of these young men are ready and available to assist whenever and wherever we need them.

So grateful to have you serving alongside us.

THANK YOU BOTH!

If anyone serves Me, let him follow Me;
and where I am, there My servant will be also.
If anyone serves Me, him My Father will honor.

JOHN 12:26

