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The CARING PLACE

Provide Over 250,000 Meals
this Fall to
People in Need



*Hope Begins
with a Meal!*



MIAMI RESCUE MISSION
& BROWARD OUTREACH CENTERS

Serving the Homeless since 1922

October 2020

No One is Homeless

our vision our mission

**Thank You for
Changing Lives!**

Transform the lives of homeless men, women, and children through comprehensive residential programs to effect lasting change and empower them to be productive members of society. We provide food, clothing, shelter, substance abuse treatment, education, computer literacy, job placement, healthcare, spiritual development and housing with Christian love, compassion, and encouragement.

Dear Life-Changer,

Summer is drawing to a close and we're now preparing for the fall. Over 250,000 meals will be served to people in need by the end of the year. *Hope often begins with a meal* and often one meal will lead to a transformed life. Help us with our annual **"Pack the Pantry"** food drive campaign. This is a great project for your place of worship, business, school, club or organization. It's so rewarding to see what young people are doing; school kids, college students, and young adults are becoming more involved in helping the homeless at our Centers in Miami and in Broward.

Together, we are serving more than 1,000 men, women, and children each day. Hundreds are enrolled in our residential programs. In fact, last year 700 men and women graduated our programs, found employment, and housing. **YOU make this all possible!** Please send your gift today and help us with our **"Pack the Pantry"** food drive campaign.

All God's best to you and your loved ones,

Ronald Brummitt
Rev. Ronald Brummitt
President



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LIFE CHANGERS

Featuring "Life Style Changes"



Sundays 1:00 PM
on **WIOD** (610 AM on the dial)
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It is Time to Pack the Pantry



- Turkeys, Hams, Hamburgers, Chicken
- Green Beans
- Green Peas, Carrots
- Pies, Cakes and Other Desserts
- Cranberry Sauce
- Instant Potatoes
- Corn & Cooking Oil
- Rice, Stuffing Mix
- Dinner Rolls
- Coffee, Sugar, Creamer
- Eggs, Bacon, Bread
- Salt, Pepper, Other Spices
- Disposable Plastic Utensils
- Large Garbage Bags
- Heavy Duty Aluminium Foil
- Metal Forks, Spoons & Knives
- Disposable Paper Cups & Plates

Pack the Pantry is:

- for you
- your friends
- your business
- place of worship

to get involved and **help us feed**
the hungry and needy.

It's all about seeing changed lives!

www.caringplace.org/pantry

we will send you out old fashioned brown paper bags

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VOLUNTEER

During these uncertain times, how can you help? *all that's missing is U !!!*

- Start a drive to collect much needed items
- Use your social media to raise awareness about homelessness @no1ishomeless
- You shop - Amazon gives. Simply follow these steps:
 1. Ensure you are logged into your Amazon Prime account
 2. Go to smile.Amazon.com and click "get started"
 3. Select "pick your own charitable organization" and type in **"miami rescue mission"**

Volunteer Opportunities: Miami: 305-571-2227 • Broward: 954-620-4017



You're Invited to Join Us

Our Stories!

When: **Saturday,**
October 24th, 2020

Time: 10:00AM - 12:00PM

www.caringplace.org/covergirls

Help Women and Children Victims of
Domestic Violence and Homelessness



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CoverGirls' Virtual Women Conference



Camila Paz
Our Worship Leader



Monica Mondragon
Ordained Minister & Keynote Speaker

“Tea Time With God” — Our First G4G Online Conference!

The **Girlfriends 4 Girlfriends** Conference – “*Tea Time With God*” was held Sept. 12th to raise funds to help empower formerly abused women and children with safe and affordable housing. This conference was held via Zoom and allowed people from many geographical locations to come together during this coronavirus pandemic. A beautiful and inspirational program was shared with

over 100 attendees. Our worship leader was **Camila Paz**, who sang two beautiful songs. Our Keynote Speaker was **Minister Monica Mondragon**. We also had special guests: **Elizabeth (Liz) Espinosa**, *G4G Chairperson*, **Marta Orozco**, *G4G Administrator*, and **Carla Stowe**, *Center for Women and Children Manager*. We were blessed to highlight **Jessenia Martinez** and her testimony as a graduate

from our Center of Women and Children. This event was hosted by **Marilyn Brummitt**, *G4G Advocate*, **Liz Espinosa**, and **Edlyne E. Decady**.

We really appreciate the help of our volunteers that made this possible. Thank you very much!

Visit www.caringplace.org/volunteer to find out how you can volunteer!

Covid continues to affect our services.



In abundance of caution, our Centers continue to pass out masks to residents and unsheltered guests.

Donation of Food and Clothing

Big shout out to Saint John Neumann Catholic Church for their support providing food and clothing for the homeless and the needy of our Community! They are very appreciated.





Cars lined up and once they reached the distribution point, boxes of food and school supplies were placed in their trunks.



Back 2 School Bash:

On August 29th over 250 children were blessed with:

- ◆ 1 case of water
- ◆ 1 case of soup
- ◆ 1 box of produce
- ◆ 1 box of canned food and hygiene
- ◆ Book bags filled with school supplies
- ◆ Prayer and a Bible

All the families appreciated what the Mission did on Saturday and they left very thankful. Our tremendous staff and volunteers made this possible.

Covid has changed the way we help others, but we are still committed to serving our communities.

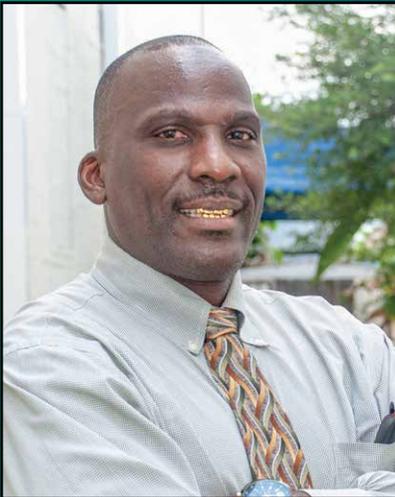
Drive-Thru Donation a Success

This event was sponsored by the **CREW (Christians Ready, Equipped and Willing to put feet on evangelism)**. Over 30 churches participated. Special thanks to our wonderful faith volunteers: **Forward Fellowship Church, Virtues Entertainment Ministries, Zion Church of Pompano and The King's Bride Outreach Ministries**. Faith partners gave new and slightly used clothing and household items. The faith team plans on hosting a drive-thru drive every other month.

To find out how you or your place of worship can help, visit www.caringplace.org/faith.



We Love Our Volunteers



Rodney is Thankful

In high school I started hanging with the wrong crowd leading me to start using drugs at 18. I became disobedient to my parents. I followed the wrong people and I never thought I would be homeless and on drugs. For 5 years I was homeless, because I didn't want to listen to my family or anyone. I survived on the streets by doing the wrong things and as time went on, my life became unmanageable. I remembered an old saying - "It wasn't about my start in life but about how I finished". That stayed in my mind and one day I just grew tired of my path. I called the police on myself. The officer came and said that he had over 100 calls on me, but he wasn't going to take me to jail. He was going to take me to get some help. He said it with such compassion, it was like God was talking through him to me. I ended up in the hospital and I said I had nowhere to go and a lady asked me if I wanted to go to the Miami Rescue Mission. I went for the Good Friday outreach event, and I couldn't believe how people were treating me. God started working with me instantly; it was a dream come true. Ever since I've gotten here I learned more about God and being a better person. In the education program, I have a teacher that brings things out of me that I don't even see in myself. I'm just so thankful to be in the Mission, it really has transformed my life. I now have a license and can vote and I've got options that I didn't have before.

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305-571-2206

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Donation Drop Off in Hollywood:
2056 Scott Street, Hollywood, FL 33020

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