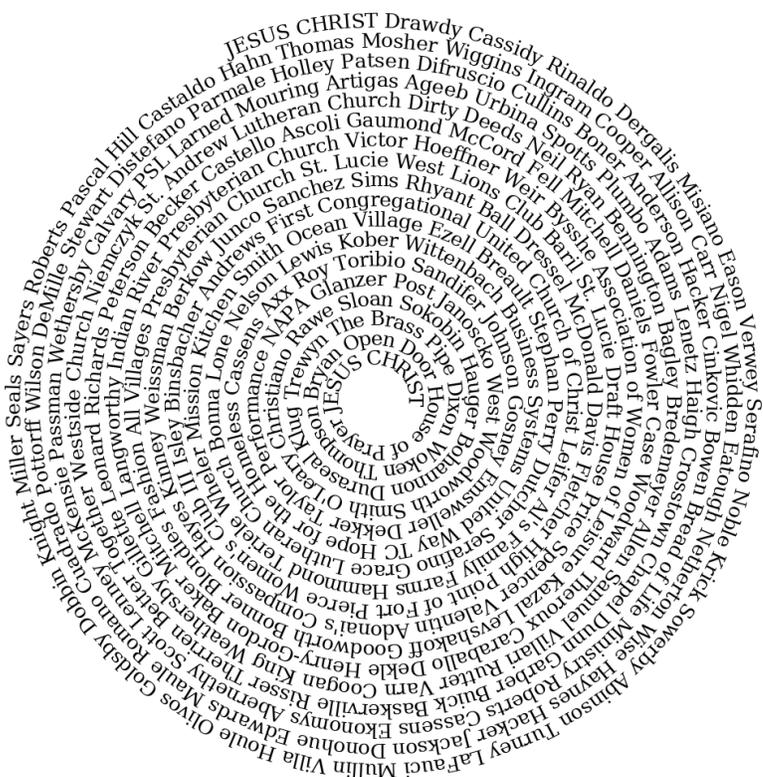




Where grace leads...helping others in need. Winter 2022

Thankful for Donors & Volunteers!



Since 2009, thousands of people have provided hot meals to neighbors in need of food, as well as clothing for children in crisis. Each person involved through volunteering and financial support has an **eternal impact** on each person helped. One person's smile should never be underestimated in its value to the one receiving it. How much more when this help is added to our smiles of welcome! This graphic is an incomplete representation of our community's support for GraceWay Village's work.

Results of kindness are unending, as would this spiral be if all who have participated in support were to be listed.

Exciting things lie ahead in 2023, and you have a front-row seat! Our Chief Operations Officer, **Chrystal Netherton**, has been with us for ten years in various positions. Stepping in as Chief Operations Officer in April 2020, she had her "metal" refined by fire, demonstrating a passionate heart for those in need, a solid commitment to excellence for the team, and an abundant joy shared freely with all. Privileged to have served as Chief Executive Officer since the fall of 2014, I will retire on May 1, 2023. Working closely with me until that time, Chrystal will step into the role with intelligence, passion, and enthusiasm that will lift GraceWay Village to the next level in helping our community.

Ending with an "I'm not done yet," **you are wished a genuinely remarkable holiday season** that exemplifies a quote by William Carey, "Expect great things from God. Attempt great things for God."

Privileged to serve together,
Cathie Mouring
Chief Executive Officer

Bringing Hope to the Community



State Representative, **Dana Trabulsy**, and Representative, **Toby Overdorf**, gathered supplies for the west coast hurricane relief and GraceWay Village! Their efforts will provide more than meeting the physical needs; these supplies will **spark hope** in what may be a desperate situation for our neighbors in need, **bringing smiles to both the faces of our clients and ours!**

This year the Clothing Boutique has provided over 6,000 new socks and underwear to children in our community. The **Fort Pierce Rotary Club** held a Seats & Feets Drive in support of our mission to faithfully serve our neighbors in need. Thank you!

Midport Seventh Day Adventist Pathfinder Club teens took part in the **United Way Day of Caring** at GraceWay Village.

Accomplishment was the theme of the day! So many needed tasks were able to get checked off the list. An important one being the Clothing Boutique was restocked with the help of a **teen's perspective**.



Thank you to **White Glove Moving & Storage** (Anna Valencia Tillery), **Truly Title - Port St. Lucie** (Krystal Kaminsky), **Florida Mortgage and Loan** (Andrea Anicito), and **NextHome Treasure Coast** (Yali and Kristi Herndon) for hosting a fantastic food drive in support of GraceWay Village! We are so appreciative of your continuous generosity.



The gratitude expressed by those we serve provided much encouragement as **Chef Maria Sanchez** prepared a delicious Thanksgiving meal. This is a quote from our faithful volunteers who share their enthusiasm for our community:

Appreciation is not necessary. Our thanks is seeing the wonderful work you do.

-Alex & Marla Dergalis

Blessings,
Chrystal Netherton
Chief Operations Officer

Community Care Partner
Sponsorship Program
Stronger Together



Since 2009, our neighbors in need have been able to receive much-needed hot meals, as well as clothing for their children and teens.

The economic crisis for the middle to low income St. Lucie County residents has shown the commitment level of care from the heart of all who partner in service and support with GraceWay Village.

St. Lucie County greatly benefits from the work done through the programs.

- **The GWV Café** expects to provide over 65,000 hot meals free to local neighbors in need.
- **Over 1,500** hot meals are provided each week to individuals and families with children.
- **The Children/Teens Clothing Boutique** expects to clothe over 2,300 children in 2022.

Monthly Sponsorship provides a secure base for these 2 programs

\$50 feeds 12 people once a month or clothes 6 children each month

\$75 feeds 19 people once a month or clothes 9 children each month

\$100 feeds 25 people once a month or clothes 12 children each month

Other amounts are welcome, large or small.

Please consider becoming a Community Care Partner!

Monthly sponsorships provide a secure base of expected income, enabling programing decisions to move forward with confidence. This confidence provides a foundation to reach more neighbors in need, as well as increase the potential to help in additional areas.

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Thanksgiving for Our Neighbors



We served 471 Thanksgiving meals to our neighbors in need! Thank you to our volunteers and donors who made this possible. You are the reason we are able to help our neighbors in this community.



*Merry Christmas and Happy New Year
from our hearts to yours!*

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