Message from our CEO, Chrystal Netherton

Summer 2025



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What an incredible season of growth and impact we've experienced at GraceWay Village! I am thrilled to share with you some exciting updates that reflect the heart of our mission and the power of your continued support.

This summer, our GraceWay Café Program has grown by 37% and our Clothing Boutique by 10% compared to this time last year! These numbers represent lives touched, families fed, and children clothed with dignity and care.

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It is with overwhelming gratitude and joy that I share, Phase One of our Family Shelter will soon break ground! Since our founding in 2009, the vision of opening a shelter to support families experiencing homelessness has been a core part of our calling. I am humbled to see this dream moving into reality and to be sharing this milestone with you. This is an historic moment for GraceWay Village.



While we celebrate this incredible progress, I must be candid: please stay committed, we need you! Your faithful monthly contributions are the foundation of all we do. Your generosity fuels our mission and allows us to move forward with confidence and compassion.

Let us praise the Lord together for the vision He has given and for how He has provided the resources to make this vision come to life. We are now one step closer to providing families in our community with a pathway to stability, self-sufficiency, and lasting hope.









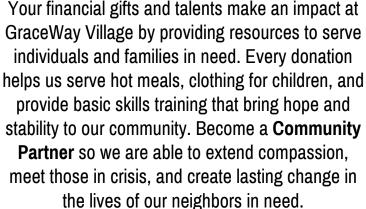


The Impact of Your Support and Donations at GraceWay Village

Thanks to your generosity, the first half of 2025 has been a powerful season of service and hope at GraceWay Village. Through our Café program, we served 57,262 FREE hot meals to individuals and families experiencing food insecurity in St. Lucie County. Meanwhile, our Clothing Boutique provided 28,932 clothing items to 1,469 children from 561 households, ensuring they have access to clean, comfortable clothing. This vital work is only possible because of our donors, volunteers, and supporters who share our mission.



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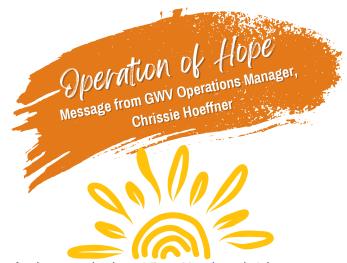
GraceWay Village's 2025 Eummer Interns



GraceWay Village was honored to partner with the Boys & Girls Clubs of St. Lucie County, the Treasure Coast Center for Economic and Educational Development (TCEED), and St. Lucie Public Schools to host the Pilot Summer Internship Program. Through this exciting opportunity, our interns gained firsthand experience in nonprofit leadership and developed essential workplace skills that will serve them for years to come.

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As the sun shines brighter, so do our volunteers! Each of them has been hard at work, ensuring that our neighbors in need are fed and that children are clothed.



Our Clothing Boutique has been bustling with families gearing up for the new school year! From May through July, the Clothing Boutique served over 800 children representing 306 families, and provided over 16,000 clothing items. The impact on these families is immeasurable.



Thank you to Melissa Weaver and her team from Starbucks, and to David McCrea and his team from Chase Bank, for serving at GraceWay Village even through the summer heat! Our Cafe served 31,434 meals and 9,954 households from May through July. We appreciate the dedication of these incredible teams and all of our faithful volunteers!

Thank you, Discovery Church, for including GraceWay Village in your amazing "Love Week" once again! This group tackled yard work, prepped and served meals, organized a food drive for our food pantry, and so much more! We're thankful for your continued commitment to our mission and community! Did I mention they did yard work?



TC3 Church's Kids Camp did an outstanding job bringing the heart of missions home to children! We are so grateful that you chose GraceWay Village as the recipient of your efforts to teach kids about serving others. Thanks to your amazing campers, we received two full carloads of children's clothing for our clothing boutique and over 750 pounds of non-perishable food for our pantry!



"For I was hungry & you gave me something to eat...I needed clothes & you clothed me..." Matt 25:35a & 36a



Blessings,
Chrissie Hoeffner