2026 Fall Newsletter

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A MESSAGE FROM OUR CEO



Lately, the Lord has placed two thoughts on my heart: everything has a season, and good can be the enemy of great. GraceWay Village is in a season of growth. Our neighbors' needs are increasing, and we must be willing to overcome challenges and pivot with them.

As CEO, I feel a tremendous responsibility to prepare GraceWay Village for the work God is calling us to next. I'm excited to introduce Erin Green, our Chief Operating Officer, whose experience in housing and operations will help build the capacity we need for what lies ahead.

But we cannot enter this next season without you. The need is greater, and so are the resources required to meet it. Every meal served, child clothed, family supported, and new door we open is possible because people like you choose to give.

Restoring HOPE
Renewing LIVES

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"To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven."
Ecclesiastes 3:1

We're Breaking Ground!

We hope you'll join us on Thursday, November 5, 2:00 PM, as we officially break ground on our Family Shelter! If you have driven by recently, you may have noticed site work has already begun.

I received a newspaper article showing members of First Presbyterian Church and Mr. Hartman breaking ground on this property in 1986, exactly 40 years ago. In Scripture, 40 often represents a season of testing, preparation, and new beginnings. How fitting that 40 years later, we are preparing a place where families can begin again.

We are making history together, and there is still much to provide. I pray the Lord puts it on your heart to be part of this next chapter through your prayers, generosity, and support!



Breaking ground, reaching out

The members of the First Presbyterian Church dug a furrow for the foundation of their new Outreach Center, during ground-breaking services July 20.

The Rev. Jack High led the short ceremony at the center grounds, pointing out that the church was "breaking up new and fallow ground for the word of God."

Dale Cassens, clerk of the session, gave a short history on the center. Hartman Road, site of the center, is named for Eugene Hartman. In 1914 Hartman, as a trustee, signed the Articles of Incorporation for the First Presbyterian Church.

The members present were asked to man the ropes, pulling a wooden plow, provided by Bob Drum, across the foundation site. A time of fellowship followed the ground-breaking ceremony.

Left, members of the First Presbyterian Church pulled a wooden plow to dig a furrow for the foundation of the new Outreach Center.

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By the Numbers...

In the 3rd quarter of 2026, GraceWay Village served more than...

- **25,883** • Meals
- **910** • Children received clothing and essentials
- **81** • Life Skills Workshops were held in English, Spanish & Creole
- **1,160** • Volunteers who offer acts of compassion, encouragement, and hope

Every number represents a life touched and a family supported.

Thank you!



Delicious Meal



Daughters of the King



Girl Scouts



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GROUNDBREAKING *Ceremony*



Join GraceWay Village as we break ground on the FIRST and ONLY Family Shelter in Saint Lucie County

Thursday
November 5, 2026
2:00 p.m.

1780 Hartman Road
Fort Pierce, FL 34947
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Ready to get involved?

Making a difference doesn't happen alone. There are many ways to be part of our mission: volunteer, host a donation drive, deliver a meal, become a monthly donor, sponsor an event, give toward a special project, or give right from your phone! Scan the QR code to find the Amazon wish list and join us in Restoring Hope & Renewing Lives!

Food Drive



- Jelly
- Pasta
- Spam
- Cereal
- Crackers
- Granola Bars
- Pasta Sauce
- Canned Beans
- Canned Fruit
- Canned Veggies
- Canned Tuna
- Canned Pasta with Meat
- Canned Chicken
- Box/Microwave Mac & Cheese
- Peanut Butter
- Snack Applesauce

Seats & Feet

Underwear & Sock Drive



Visit our Amazon Wish List

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Thank you

Whether you volunteer, donate, sponsor an event, attend a workshop, or simply share our mission with others, you are helping restore hope and renew lives.

As we enter this season, thank you for being part of the GraceWay Village family. We look forward to all that God has in store in the months ahead.







"Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up." - Galatians 6:9