

NEW LIFE NEWS

“FOR WITH GOD NOTHING WILL BE IMPOSSIBLE.” LUKE 1:37



RECORD-BREAKING OUTING FOR THE MINISTRIES

Blue skies and beautiful weather helped us enjoy our best golf outing to date!

The 11th Annual 4-Man Golf Scramble for New Life Ministries was held on Saturday, August 19 at Clear Creek Golf Course in Huntington, Indiana, and welcomed a record number of 21 teams made up of over 80 people who golfed to support the ministries.

This event and our ministries were also supported by multiple individuals, businesses, and organizations who sponsored the golf outing. There were 18 hole sponsors and four event sponsors. We want to give a special thank you to Allpro Towing, Bob Burnsworth of Coldwell Banker, Columbia City Iron & Metal, and Joel Scheer of Ruoff Mortgage for being our event sponsors and believing in the mission of New Life Ministries.

Outside of golfing, six individuals went home with a raffle drawing prize, three individuals won contests on the course, one team of four won the tournament and received free golf passes, and one lucky winner won our record-breaking 50/50 drawing! We want to give a special thank you to the individual who won this 50/50 drawing and chose to donate their portion back to New Life Ministries, it is greatly appreciated.

The record-breaking does not end there. We also raised a record-breaking amount! Because of everyone who participated and sponsored this event, we raised over \$15,000. This money will support just over two weeks of serving those in need of food, shelter, and a purpose-filled life. This means over two weeks of serving free meals at the Meal Ministry and over two weeks of housing, educating, and changing the lives of men and women in our Life House programs.

AN INSPIRING AND ENCOURAGING DONATION



In early August, we had the opportunity to meet a few wonderful kids in the community who already have a heart for helping others in the community of Huntington.

Every summer, Joshua, Lydia, and Joshua have a lemonade stand to raise money for organizations doing good in the community. We received a call from the grandparents of two of these children who shared that the kids wanted to support us this year. We could not have been more excited and grateful.

These kids held their lemonade stand on July 31 to support the Children's Life House opening in 2023. Not only did they sell lemonade and baked goods, but they also shared more about the Children's Life House with those who visited their stand.

Then, on August 7, we had the opportunity to meet them. They were excited to share with us how much money they had raised and see where their money was going. We showed them the home and shared with them how this gift was going to help many kids their age.

Not only is their donation a blessing, but these kids have been an inspiration and have encouraged us.

QUICK UPDATES WITH MINISTRY PROGRAM DIRECTORS

Our ministry work can keep us busy, but we took a moment to check in with the directors of our ministry programs to see what has been happening in the ministries that make up New Life Ministries.

When speaking with our Meal Ministry Director, Bob Burnsworth, we heard updates on the meals being served at our Meal Ministry. "The lunch program is starting to run smoothly, and we are serving an average of 25 lunches a day. During dinner, we are serving about 45 meals a night." He went on to explain the current needs of the Meal Ministry. "We are still looking for some volunteers for our lunch hours. We are also in need of disposable products like 12 oz. cups, Styrofoam plates, napkins, and paper towels." If you would like to volunteer or donate products, please contact our offices or Bob (260-519-3637).

Our Life House Director, Carla Staton, shared that things in the Women's Life Houses and Men's Life House are going well. "The current residents are doing good and are making progress in the program. Our teachers and staff are also doing a great job helping serve the current residents." If you know someone in need of help, Carla went on to say, "At the moment, we do have beds open in all homes to help men and women who may be in need and anticipate filling those beds soon."

We ask that you continue to pray for our ministry programs, staff, and those we serve, and look forward to continuing to share about the good work being done.