



Halo Outreach

December 2019

SERVING THE HOMELESS IN OUR COMMUNITY SINCE 2007

Christmas BLESSINGS

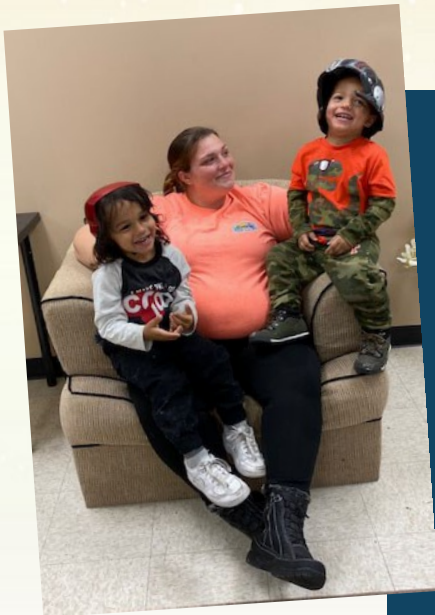
Throughout the year and especially during the holidays, you help bring joy to those we serve.

Your prayers and gifts go along way in helping relieve the burden our homeless neighbors carry and it fills their hearts with **HOPE**.

Thank you for being a blessing during this holiday season and all year long.



We provide 3 meals a day to our guests and anyone in the community who is homeless and hungry.



Every day our shelters are open to men, women and children in the tri-county area. Our shelters are a safe place for our guests to sleep and let some of the weight of the world fall off their shoulders.



Life skill and Bible classes are offered to our guests to help them begin to rebuild their lives.

Thanks be to God for His indescribable gift! 2 Corinthians 9:15

Dear Friends,

Gifts - Blessings - Blessings - Gifts! They all become ONE when used in God's work. Your generous contributions are not only a blessing, but a multiplied blessing.

You see, when we receive a gift from you, we call it a blessing because we are able to provide that warm bed, nutritious meal, shower and clean clothes to our guests. It helps us fulfill the most basic needs of our guests. The blessings continue because we can make available Life Skill classes, Life Foundation classes, Tot-Time for our little ones, mentoring for our children and so much more. We don't forget, with these blessings, the added blessing of the time that our volunteers give to provide hope to our guests.

The greatest gift we have received is the gift of God's Son, Jesus. Because of that gift, we are able to offer the message of God's love and grace, which can transform lives for eternity.

*For unto us
a Child is born,
unto us a Son is given...
and His name will be called
Wonderful, Counselor,
Mighty God,
Everlasting Father,
Prince of Peace.*

Isaiah 9:6



Hope And Life Outreach

Bargain Center & Donation Center

701 Snow Hill Road
Salisbury, MD 21804
410-341-4256

HALO Center of Hope

119 South Blvd.
Salisbury, MD 21804
410-742-9356

- Cafe
- Eagle Wings Youth & Children Program
- Resource & Respite
- Women & Children's Shelter
- Men's Shelter
- Journey of Hope
- Standing in the Gap



Throughout this issue of HALO's Outreach, you will read about the blessing we receive from the gifts that you give us. You will see the impact your gifts have had on our guests, not only at Christmas, but everyday of the year.

None of our ministries would be possible without your gifts to HALO. I am very grateful for your selfless giving that brings so much joy to the precious guests that call HALO their home for a little while.

In His Love,

Celeste Savage

Celeste Savage,
Executive Director



As we enter the Christmas season, we celebrate the Birth of Jesus.

One of our newest

Christmas Blessings

at HALO, this precious little bundle, reminds us of that night long ago when a Son was born and they called His name Jesus.

Jesus came to bring hope to the world.

As we enter into the new year, our desire at HALO is to Love'em like Jesus. Love our guests, serve our guest and bring
"hope to the hopeless"

From our HALO family to yours, may you have a very Joyful Christmas and a Blessed New Year.

Be sure to check us out
on our new website

HALOministry.org



26,283 VOLUNTEER HOURS



Eagle Wings volunteers help our children excel in school, learn crafts and just have fun being kids!



We offer a mail service for our guests so they have an address to receive important mail!

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Without our volunteers serving in the R & R, we would not be able to provide a hand up to our guests!



When donating to HALO, our volunteers are there to help you with your donations!

IMPACT AT A GLANCE

January 2019 thru November 10, 2019

7,515 bed nights for women and children

8,297 bed nights for men

80 kids in our Eagle Wing Children & Youth Program

669 guests helped in our R & R Center

69,083 meals served in the HALO Café

LOVE IN ACTION

GIVE HOPE . . . CHANGE LIVES THROUGH YEAR END GIVING

We are so blessed and thankful that together we are a part of God's big work through HALO.

When you provide a one-time or a recurring monetary gift to HALO, you are helping to Change Lives. **As we near the end of 2019, we rely on fourth quarter giving to sustain us.**

Your gift of any size will help us continue making a difference right here in our own back yard.

- \$21.00 will feed 10 guests
- \$103.00 will purchase a mattress for a child to sleep on
- \$250.00 will cover the cost of a mom and 2 children to stay in the women's shelter, have 3 meals a day and receive service we provide for 1 week.



How to receive a Year-End donation Statement

To be the best possible stewards of your gifts, we send year end statements to only those who call in and request one.

To request a statement, please contact Lisa, our Finance Coordinator @ 410-742-9356 or email: landerson@HALOministry.org



Hebron Savings Bank Donation Drive

A special **Thank You** to all the businesses, organizations, groups, schools and individuals who graciously sponsored donation drives this year.

Your donations touched the lives of our guests at HALO!

HALO's Thrift Store

Cleaning out after the holidays?

REMEMBER HALO!


Please bring those gently used items that have been replaced with shiny new ones to the **HALO BARGAIN CENTER.**

MONDAY - SATURDAY
9:00AM - 5:00PM

ALL PROCEEDS FROM OUR BARGAIN CENTER GO DIRECTLY BACK INTO HALO TO HELP US PROVIDE SERVICES TO OUR GUESTS.

Tax Credit: Be sure to ask for a "gift-in-kind" receipt.

FINDING JOY IN GIVING BACK



Larry has been in and out of our shelter, but this time he wanted Life Change.

He joined our Journey of Hope program and you can't help but have joy when he gives away his contagious smile and willingness to help others.

If you are looking for ways to give back to your community, meet extraordinary people and share God's message of love with those who need it most, then HALO's volunteer team is the place for you!!!

For more information on our Volunteer Opportunities, contact the HALO Office 410-742-9356 or email: volunteer@HALOministry.org