#### LIVING OUT YOUR FAITH.....

Love In
Jesus Name

CHURCHES BLESSING OTHERS WITH THE LOVE OF JESUS Jesus Name

## THE ROAD AHEAD!

Greetings current and former supporters: We are no longer affiliated with the national Love In the Name of Christ organization, so we had to change our name. We are "Love In Jesus Name", the name changed but our mission remains the same, *mobilizing the local churches* to reach out into the community. These are uncertain times we are living in today. People staying home from church, cut backs in funding and programs will add to the burden of helping families and individuals in need. To know the direction ahead for Love **I**n **J**esus **N**ame can drbe a daunting task for the ministry. Yet, we at Love IJN stand firm that Jesus never changes, and the ministry "In the Name of Jesus" will hold on to that promise. It is a faith walk each day to meet the needs of the ministy and those of the people who call for help. There is hardly a family that contacts the Love IJN Clearinghouse that has not been touched in some way by the economic crisis.



Uncertain times call for clarity and courage in leading this milstry. **CLARITY** reveals the direction to move forward. **COURAGE** is the willingness to pay the price to get there. Listen churches, donors and friends: The *road ahead* will need to be traveled together Christians and Churches need to reach out to combine resurces to help others. The need is to put *charity* back into the hands of compassionate believers who follow the example of Christ. Hebrews 12:1-2 tells us "... *let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us. Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfector of our faith.* "NIV Going forward, it is the prayer of Love IJN to run a race with others in clarity and courage. It will take the body of believers running a race that requires us to encourage others to join the race. Myself and the Board hope that all of our supporters and volunteers will join us on the *road ahead* that leads to the love of Jesus.



"I just started training for a job, and when I got home my electric was off. Thanks to Celina, and a Love participating church I was able to get it back on the same day".



Love my birthday flowers.....extra special blessings... **Celina**..

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San, had an appt. for eye surgery. Upon arriving at the eye center, the procedure was cancelled because she was not aware that she had to have someone sit with her after the procedure. Thanks to Marlin of Stow Alliance Fellowship, who volunteered to sit with her after the procedure.

#### LOVE IN ACTION



For over 18 years, Redeemer Lutheran Church members have blessed Summit county families with appliances, furniture, and numerous household items..... "living out their faith"

"Greetings in Jesus Name. I came to serve as Senior Pastor of Redeemer Lutheran Church in 2017. I am committed to the study of God's Word, not solely for study but to be built up in a life of discipleship so that all people may join Jesus on the mission He has for Cuyahoga Falls and the surrounding communities. While it is important to know what God's Word says, it is equally important to put the faith the Holy Spirit grows and forms in us into practice. Our God is a *sending God*, and He sends His people into the community so that they may meet Jesus in us as we reflect His love to others. "Pastor Paul

#### Pastor Paul Frerichs Redeemer Lutheran

Redeemer Lutheran Furniture ministry Outreach!!!









FURNISHED WITH "LOVE" Redeemer Lutheran Church ... serving needy families over 20 years with Love IJN

#### LOVE FOR CHILDREN MINISTRY... MARCIA'S KIDS READ....















The late Mrs. Sinclair...resting in the arms of the Lord....



Timothy 5:10



"Gracias for helping my family"

### Random acts of kindness!



This man came in to get help with forms. A client needed money for formula, we put our money in, he donated \$20... 3 cans of formula



birthday. "
Fornice Herring.

She is such a hard worker, look at her serving people at her party.....

"Thanks for all the \$91 donations in honor of my 91st

Jo Clair (in red) retired volunteer, helping families in need .Please considering following in Jo's footsteps!

Love with open hands

#### SAVE THE DATE, May 1,

2025 National Day of Prayer

"Prayer is not just a day but a daily discipline..."

Quote from the late, Sam Pillow,

NDP Coordinator



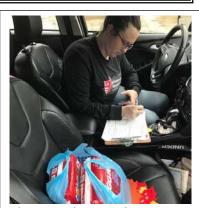
Donation were received in memory of:

Rev. John Eiwen Evelyn Jones Nikki Bober



I want to express my deepest gratitude for those who have supported this ministry. Whether it's through prayer, sharing of your time, product donations or financial investments, we are only successful in this mission because of your generosity in Jesus Name. You are the reason that we are able to do what we love each day.

. Celína Flunoy, Dírector (330-762-1221)



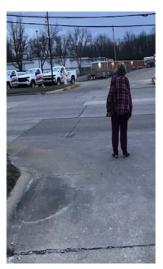
Client, on her way home from work stops by the Love IJN office to pick up diapers.....

# Volunteer Opportunities

Answer phones (Mon-Thurs) 9 am-1 pm Fund-raising\*\*\*\*\*

Community outreach opportunities Represent your church on the Board Pick up/deliver furniture....as needed Money management classes for clients Serve on a Planning Committee Contact person for your church

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Sandy, the road ahead is ripe for church outreach......
Sandy, Chapel volunteer

When you give, you have more room to "get"

Please consider your contribution at this time. I/we would like to help with a **monthly** pledge of: \$\mathcal{D}\$ \$30 \$\mathcal{D}\$ \$50 \$\mathcal{D}\$ \$500 \$\mathcal{D}\$ Other \$\mathcal{D}\$.

TYES, I will \$pray\$ for this ministry .

\(\mathcal{I}\) Like to volunteer and get my church involved.

NAME

ADDRESS

CITY/STATE/ZIP

CHURCH NAME/ORGANIZATION/BUSINESS

Your donation is **TAX DEDUCTIBLE**.

Make check payable to: Love In Jesus Name
LOVE IJN (In Jesus Name) is a 501 c(3) non-profit

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So grateful for hove in JN!

Given because Jesus is everything

Kim

Shopping/delivering cleaning supplies, soap, deodorant & food...

JANUARY - AUGUST 2024 STATISTICS

Independent Sector: volunteers = \$33.49/hr.,

\$50,000 --- 9 volunteers Furniture, household items

pickup/delivery, shopping for diapers,

