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CALVARY MISSION HOUSE

Message

HIGHLIGHTS:

A year after the purchase of the Calvary Mission House property, there has been no shortage of faithfulness, grace, and blessings from the Lord. The Smegos officially moved into the property in June. Since then, renovations have been underway, both in their apartment and two additional apartments. New kitchens bathrooms, new electrical and plumbing, new flooring and, of course, a few new shiny coats of paint were just a few of the updates. Pictures of one of the updated kitchens and some of the new walls are shown below and to the right. All of these renovations allowed CMH to welcome three new residents. Each of these residents were able to smoothly transition into nearly fully furnished apartments thanks to the donations made to CMH. The Smegos added a baby to their family and witnessed another child be reunited with his parents. The residents have also been digging into their discipleship goals, attending bible studies, and connecting with the church body.









WHAT CMH DISCIPLESHIP LOOKS LIKE:

CMH is a residential discipleship program offering continued spiritual training and practical application of Biblical values to everyday life. For those with a genuine desire to grow closer in a relationship to Jesus Christ, this program is specifically tailored to each individual to bridge the between traditional treatment qap programs, residential ministries, incarceration, etc., and independent living. Upon successful completion of a one-to-four-year commitment, residents will be better equipped to lead productive and fruitful lives, both in the church and in society at large.

Residents have access to both required and optional weekly Bible studies and fellowship times. Staying rooted in verse-by-verse Bible studies and development and maintenance of relationships allow residents to build positive and encouraging relationships that will keep them grounded in a circle of like-minded believers.

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Residents participate in topical seasonal studies such as Financial Peace University, parenting classes, marriage classes, Discipleship 101, and Emotionally Healthy Spirituality/Discipleship/Leadership. Dedicated financial advisors are assigned to each resident to ensure residents can live within their means, build significant safety nets, and learn to be content in the things God has given them.

Throughout their commitment at CMH, residents are required to maintain full-time employment. They are strongly encouraged to seek opportunities for continued education, training, and work experience in fields they feel led to follow. Residents are also encouraged to pursue specific spiritual gifts and service opportunities in and outside of the church to give back to others.

CMH is a family friendly environment and provides a safe and supportive environment for children to live and grow alongside their parents. Oversight and accountability are provided for parents to learn to care for their children's needs.

The CMH structure and accountability are not for everyone. If overseers or residents realize their needs may be better met in a different setting, CMH makes every reasonable effort to assist residents in finding a different place. Discipleship can only work voluntarily and with genuine internal motivation.

CMH desires to create a safe, structured, and ultimately enjoyable place for people to learn to live fruitful lives for Jesus and continue their growth and discipleship. While circumstances and decisions of the past often put people in a place of mere survival, CMH hopes to give the tools, resources, and time to learn to truly thrive. Residents need only to have an open, teachable heart, and a willingness to persevere through the peaks and valleys of life. Those who are committed to personal growth will be equipped as husbands, fathers, wives, mothers, ministry and business leaders, employees, community leaders, and upstanding citizens.



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