



SILOAM MISSIONARY HOMES

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"providing temporary missionary housing, permanently"

MAR/APR 1994

"DAY OF CELEBRATION"

MAY 21, 1994
3 P.M. - 7 P.M.

Come help us celebrate and dedicate the first duplex of Siloam Missionary Homes!

"Old Fashioned Pig Pick'n and Gospel Sing"
special guest speakers
mission board representatives

Make plans now to attend.
Please RSVP.



instruments and organs. Praise him upon the loud cymbals; praise him upon the high sounding cymbals. Let everything that hath breath praise the Lord. Praise ye the Lord.

greatness. Praise him with the sound of the trumpet; praise him with the psaltery and harp. Praise him with the timbrel and dance. Praise him with the stringed

PRAISE ye the Lord. Praise God in his sanctuary, praise him in the firmament of his power. Praise him for his mighty acts. Praise him according to his excellent

From the Director's Desk.....

Dear Friends,

This morning I was reading in my Bible Acts 5:1-11 the story of Ananias and Sapphira. It told of how they lied about the amount of money that they sold their land for, so that they could keep back a certain part for themselves, and how God dealt with them.

It made me think of how materialistic we have become as Americans - always wanting more "things." We go into a store for a pair of shoes, and come out with a complete outfit. There's nothing wrong with things, but when things give us "tunnel vision", where we only live for now, not concerned with the needs of others, it is sin.

Yesterday, I received a letter from some missionaries we know from Papua New Guinea. Again it brought back to me the burden the Lord has given us and the urgent need of building these homes for missionaries. We thank God for His provision as we see Phase I nearing completion.

Please continue to pray for this ministry here at Siloam, that we will be able to meet the housing needs of missionary families.

COFFEE ANYONE?

Our Coffee Club family

Larry & Joyce George
Wilbur & Dorothy Abbey
Scott & Sara Briggs
Todd & Tina Martin
David & Cindy Jackson
Chip & Brenda Coble
William & Martha Dacus
Marietta Stevens
Harold & Ann George
Carl & Amelia Loman
Mike & Jane DeGuglielmo
Ruth Stanton
Pat & Debi Williams
Gordon & Norma Timmer
John & Rebecca Hawkins
Jerry & Ilene Milbourne
Tim & Mary Ann McGee
Rick & Molinda Hern
Danny & Kathy Lynch
Steve & Christy Allen
Dreama Stout
Donna Fearnside
Frank & Jeannette Martin
Mabel Burden
Chris & Janice Hancock
Hank & Gloria Rader
David & Julie George
Russ & Norma Briggs

HEBREWS 11:1 - "Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen..."

This verse is so real to us as we continue to step out on faith and move ahead.

85% of the income of Siloam Missionary Homes comes from our Coffee Club members, ranging from \$10 to \$100 per month - people like yourselves, giving by faith to uphold this ministry before the Lord.

Our 1994 budget for the mission will average \$1600 per month, which goes toward the building debt of \$120,000. We are doing everything possible to keep our expenses to a minimum. In order for us to provide missionary housing at a minimal charge to the missionaries (they will pay an average of \$10 per day for utilities), we need your help. For 50¢ per day, a cup of coffee, your family can help meet this need. Remember, no salaries are paid to anyone. We are all giving our time and talents to the Lord.

Would you join our Coffee Club Family?

Our Coffee Club Family

Paul & Faye Dickey
Jack & Lisa Culbertson
Grady & Caroline Workman
Joey & Diane Frazier
Gary & Ann Henckel
Kenneth & Sherrill McGee
Leonard & Evelyn Cross
Denny, Alice & Lynnette Cross
Ben & Mary Aysla
Paul Williamson
Dave & Jan McKeith
Jack & Gloria Vanderhenst
Apple's Chapel Christian Church
CIA Sunday School Class
Sunshine Sunday School Class
Busy Bees Sunday School Class
Young Married's Sunday School Class
Helping Hands Sunday School Class
Couples For Christ Sunday School Class
Dynamic Disciples Sunday School Class
Jerry & Mary Porter
Chris & Joanne Plummer
Jim & Shirley Hotelling
Jim & Tammy Speicher
Doug Ball
Geoffrey Burke
Melinda Deans
Bill & Janet Avery

Missionary Spotlight

...."Nevertheless, when the son of man cometh, shall he find faith on the earth"?. Lk. 18:8

Read Hebrews 11-12:3; Rev. 5. The Great Hall of Faith. What faithful men and women these are listed in this great chapter of Hebrews! Great witnesses have truly gone before us. Men and women whom we have found to be faithful. Even more so, men and women whom God has found to be faithful.

But now, let us turn our attention to the first verse of Hebrews 12. Here we find that the "Word" is speaking to present and future hearers. This, of course, includes us. Notice the Word says for us to lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us. We have now entered the race, and must now faithfully carry the gospel message which our forefathers have passed on to us. We did not choose to enter the race ourselves, but we were chosen by the Captain of our Faith to enter and to run faithfully. John 15:16, "Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you, and ordained you, that ye should go and bring forth much fruit, and that your fruit should remain; that whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my name he may give it you." Romans 3:11, "There is none that understandeth, there is none that seeketh after God."

If you are a child of God, then you have been chosen by God to be a co-laborer with Him. You will understand the great responsibility which you and I have. For if this truly is the generation which will witness the rapture of the church, then what a privilege has been bestowed upon us to be co-laborers with Christ. But what great responsibility we have to be found faithful.

written by Joel Isley,
Missionary to Romania

SUPPORTING CHURCHES

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH
FACTORYVILLE BIBLE CHURCH
IRONS UNION CHURCH
VICKSBURG BIBLE CHURCH
APPLE'S CHAPEL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
TABERNACLE BAPTIST CHURCH

FROM THE MAILBAG.....

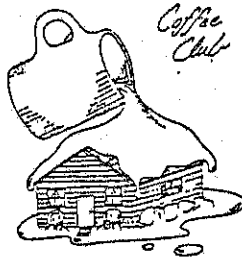
"We wish you all success in this endeavor. Keep us informed there at P.O.Q. of what's happening at SMH. Maybe one letter would do for the whole base, we could post it up on the bulletin board for all to read. We appreciate so much you thinking of those who may need housing." Phil & Cindy Ketcham, missionaries to Brazil with New Tribes Mission

"We do pray God will enable this project to move quickly and that he will bless your efforts for His glory. We received your Jan/Feb newsletter which we found of interest. We do praise God for His faithfulness." Martin & Doris Barker

"We have our Coffee Mug on the kitchen window ledge - a reminder to pray. The missionaries home on furlough need a place of quiet rest and we believe Siloam Missionary Homes is that place."

Mr. & Mrs. Snow

*"I loved your letter and what you've been led to do. God will bless you and Larry as you seek out the realization of your heart's desire to serve God by meeting missionaries' needs! I think it's wonderful what you're doing!" Margie Smallman
(former missionary kid)*



Dear Coffee Club members,

Rachel and Abbey are beginning soccer season, practices and games. They are excited about getting out into the warmer weather and the challenge of the games! We are all looking forward to their spring break coming up in just a week.

We had the opportunity to go to the beach a couple of weeks ago with some special friends who had invited us. We were so thankful for the chance to get away and relax. We enjoy the ocean so much!

Also, the girls and I and my parents went to Tennessee last weekend to see my nephew get married. While we were there, my dad ended up in the hospital due to respiratory arrest. We were pretty scared for a while, but the Lord was good and he is doing fine. He will be home tonight. Some of you heard of it, and prayed for him. Thank you so much!

Think with me about this situation: A missionary wife is battling with cancer, and needs additional treatments. There is an excellent hospital which can offer treatments for her, but there is no place for that missionary couple to stay during the 3 months treatment. A Christian real estate agent has tried to find them a place, but no place can be found for such a short period of time. What will this couple do?

This sounds like a serious situation, if it were a real story. Unfortunately, it is a real story. We received a call from the Christian real estate agent yesterday evening, asking if it would be possible for Siloam Missionary Homes to house this couple so the wife can be treated at Duke University Hospital,

which is not far from SMH. We are so close to having this first duplex finished, and have told them that we would be able to house them after May 1st.

The reason I have told you this is to reiterate the importance of what we are doing. It is a real and serious need to provide homes for missionaries. We are thankful for those of you who have been so faithful to help us provide this first duplex. Please continue to pray for us, that we can finish the house by May 1st. There is still a lot of work to be done, but we know that the Lord can provide the laborers to help us.

Also, please read prayerfully the article "Coffee Anyone?" that Larry has written, and ask God how you can help meet this need?

We welcome some new coffee club members:

- DOUG BALL
- GEOFFREY BURKE
- MELINDA DEANS
- BILL & JANET AVERY

Thanks again for all your prayers and support. May the Lord richly bless each of you!

Your "Coffeemate,"

******Jayce******

I would like to make a one time donation, which is enclosed.

I would like to make a one time donation for Phase I building at \$50 per block in Honor / Memory of (circle one):

I would like to help provide temporary housing for missionaries by joining the Coffee Club. Each month I will help support SMH with a pledge of:

- \$15.00
- \$25.00
- \$50.00
- \$ other

NAME _____
ADDRESS _____

LADIES' TEA

On February 6th, ladies from several area churches met in SMH duplex for a Sunday afternoon tea. The floors were plywood, the walls just studs, no electricity or heat (except what was provided by an extension cord run from the outside power), no running water....I think maybe you get the picture. But, why were these ladies holding a tea in such an odd environment?

The reason is really very simple, but very important. They were meeting to discuss the interior decorations for the duplex. Wallpaper, tile and carpet samples, were looked at. The ladies were enthusiastic about helping put up wallpaper, paint, and do what they can to make the duplex a homey place for our missionaries to stay.



Lynn Allen was put in charge of coordinating the decorating. It has been a tremendous help to us to have her help in this way.

Everyone had a great time of fellowship around the refreshments provided by Dara Pernel and Joyce Auman. We appreciated so much their help! We look forward to seeing how everything will look once these ladies get through with the decorating. I know it will be great!

LYNN ALLEN for helping coordinate the decorating and wallpaping.

TAMMY & JIM SPEICHER for the country curtains.

DARA PERNELL & JOYCE AUMAN for preparing the refreshments for the Ladies Tea.

DAVID & LYNN ALLEN for the comforter and pillow shams for the master bedroom.

JOYCE AUMAN & DONNA BUCHNER for providing bedding for the group from Michigan.

THANKS!

ANN & JIM HAMBY for the curtains, bedspreads, pillows, vacuum & lamps.

LARRY & KAREN MULDER for all the duplex doors.

DOLLY GUNNELL for all your help with the light fixtures.

SUSAN MOORE for helping me prepare lunch for the men shingling the roof.

APPLE'S CHAPEL CHRISTIAN CHURCH, BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH, WESTSIDE CHAPEL for your help in shingling the roof.

DON & KAREN DAUGHERTY for helping several times with cutting wood, and cleaning up the construction site.

FACTORYVILLE BIBLE CHURCH for your part in sending the group to help put up the structure.

TAMMY & RONNIE ISLEY for the sofa.

LARRY & DREAMA STOUT for the washer & dryer.

BOB BENNETTE for coming out on a Saturday to help clean up the duplex.

BILL & JANET AVERY for the popcorn supplied for SMH.

THINGS WE NEED!!

**DO YOU HAVE AN EXTRA ONE OF THESE?
OR ONE YOU WOULD LIKE TO DONATE?**

LIVING ROOM CHAIRS	COFFEE TABLES
RECLINER	TV SET
VCR	STEREO
LAMPS	BOOK SHELVES
BUNK BEDS	DRESSERS
CHILD'S DESKS	CRIB
PLAYPEN	HIGH CHAIR
STOVE	REFRIGERATOR
TELEPHONES	
DINING ROOM TABLE & CHAIRS (for 6 people)	
MASTER BEDROOM SUITE	
OTHER HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE	



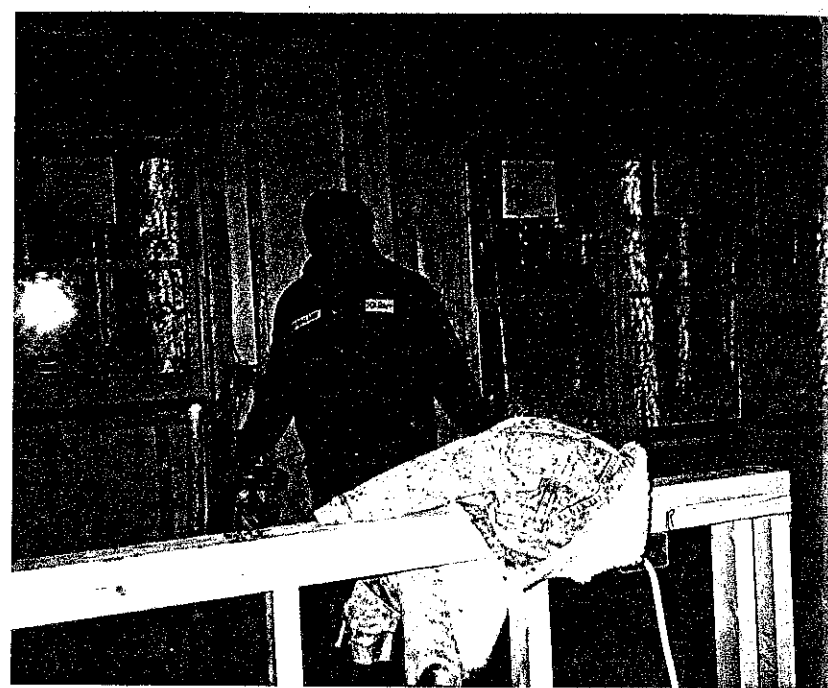
IBLE CHURCH
URING JANUARY.

BETHEL BAPTIST
UMN FOOTERS



GROUP FROM APPLE'S CHAPEL, BETHEL BAPTIST &
WESTSIDE CHAPEL SHINGLED THE ROOF

WE FED THEM A GOOD HOT MEAL OF HOMEMADE
VEGETABLE SOUP & CORNBREAD.



BOB BENNETTE CAME OUT ONE SATURDAY AND HELPED
CLEAN UP INSIDE THE DUPLEX DURING CONSTRUCTION.

THERE'S ALWAYS PLENTY OF CLEARING TO BE DONE.
FATHER & SON FROM BETHEL BURNING BRUSH.

