

FaithWorks - By The Numbers 2019 - Results thru 3rd Quarter



Feeding the Hungry

- Served every month on average 449 families, including 784 adults, 745 children and 151 adults over 65 years, who could not otherwise afford basic food and personal hygiene supplies.
- Provided 296 families with temporary cash assistance to meet emergent needs such as utility payments and medication expenses. Total assistance equaled \$116 per family or \$34,461 in total financial support.
- Received and distributed 69,669 donated food items from drives at local schools, churches and grocery stores. Total received food items valued at more than \$87,409.

Serving the Homeless and Marginalized

- Open 365 days to offer men and women who are homeless day-time hospitality with access to showers and laundry services. On average, 80 homeless guests each day are offered opportunities to restore their lives through access to social and medical services as well as other safety-net provisions.
- FaithWorks' resource team completed 127 interviews and 212 follow-up meetings to connect guests of The Well with housing opportunities, medical (physical and mental) care, medicines, food and clothing.
- Assisted 129 guests with securing identifications or birth certificates - a critical first step in finding employment and applying for government assistance.
- Secured permanent work positions and temporary day work assignments for guests at The Well.
- Restored three homes since January 2019. Guests at the Well contributed to the work on the homes giving them the opportunity to learn new home repair and construction skills.

Comforting the Sick

- Visited on average every more than 170 patients and 430 family members of patients in the hospital, providing pastoral care, prayer and comfort.
- Provided more than 78 patients with rides to medical appointments, delivery of medicines and transportation to support groups.
- Through the Norwich Street Outreach, FaithWorks volunteers visited the homes of more than 100 neighbors who are not able to leave their homes due to physical limitations.

Living our Faith in Service

Supported the work of 167 active volunteers performing 6,597 hours in works of mercy through FaithWorks' ministries. These hourly contributions represented \$170,071 in wages that otherwise would have been paid to achieve a comparable level of support for our community programs.

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