

Mission Statement
A Storehouse For Jesus is an independent non-profit Christian ministry helping those in need and reaching people with the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Vision Statement
To make a difference in the lives God sends to us by providing for their spiritual, physical and health needs, and encouraging everyone touched by the ministry to walk closer to our Lord Jesus Christ.

Values Statement
In everything we do, we will conduct ourselves with caring and compassion and in keeping with God's Word.

OBJECTIVES

- To provide opportunities for Christians to witness to those in physical need, and in doing so, invite them to receive Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior
- To serve our Lord Jesus Christ by providing a centralized location for those in need to receive food, clothing and household goods
- To provide the services of Free Medical Ministries, targeting Davie County residents who would otherwise be unable to receive health care
- To provide Thanksgiving and Christmas Programs for Davie County families in need
- To be a Christian resource for churches and area agencies
- To provide opportunities for Christian churches to work together as one body in Christ through helping those in need
- To encourage and mentor other Christian ministries in their outreach work to the needy
- To aid missionaries, at home and abroad, in the needs of their families and those to whom they are ministering
- To encourage and support our affiliate, A Storehouse For Jesus, Ghana with the resources God provides, concentrating on evangelism, distribution of relief items, health and education

STANDARDS OF OPERATION

- This ministry is founded on our Lord's Holy Word and is guided by the Holy Spirit.
- We operate this ministry through faith, believing that God will provide what is needed for His work.
- We give freely to our clients by grace, as the Lord has given to us.
- We are a volunteer agency with no salaried staff.
- Funding is provided primarily by donations from individuals, churches, grants and businesses.
- We are a member of the North Carolina Association of Free Clinics.
- We are governed by a Board of Directors.
- We are incorporated with the State of North Carolina
- We are a 501(c) 3 non-profit independent agency.

STATEMENT OF FAITH

- We believe the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative Word of God.
- We believe that there is one God, eternally existent in three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
- We believe in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His vicarious and atoning death through His shed blood, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father and in His personal return in power and glory.
- We believe that for the salvation of lost and sinful man, regeneration by the Holy Spirit is absolutely essential and that this salvation is received through faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, and not as a result of good works.
- We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit by whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a godly life and to perform good works.
- We believe in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost: they that are saved unto the resurrection of life and they that are lost unto the resurrection of damnation.
- We believe in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ.

SERVICES WE PROVIDE

- Evangelism: Planting seeds, witnessing, sharing the Gospel and praying with clients during interviews; providing tracts in the waiting rooms; interview offices and food orders and the Plan of Salvation in the Client Handbook; Distribution of Bibles to any who do not have a Bible; encouragement through the Word of God; Chapel Services; Children's Ministry; Bible studies and Pastoral Sharing and Caring Program
- Distribution of relief items of food, clothing, dishes, linens, toys, children's books, etc.
- School supplies for Davie County children in August - available to all others September through July
- Birthday Closet for children and teens
- Holiday Programs for Davie County residents: Thanksgiving dinners; Christmas - gifts for children; gifts and Christmas dinners for seniors and special needs adults
- Medical Ministries for Davie County residents: Medical, Chronic Care, Dental, Eye and Diabetes Clinics; Pharmacy
- Consultation and mentoring to existing ministries and to new ministries being established
- Volunteer opportunities for: Churches working together as one body in Christ by helping the needy; Community Service Program through the Judicial System; Schools and youth community service projects; Youth extra-curricular programs (Scouts, 4-H clubs, etc.); home school students
- Outreach Ministries: A Storehouse For Jesus, Ghana; Native American Outreach Ministries; Teddy Bears for Peace; and Camp for Kids

WHO DO WE SERVE?

- Families from Davie County and surrounding counties: Working poor families; families without income; single parent families; families affected by illness; elderly; domestic violence families homeless/transient families
- Davie County residents without medical, dental, or drug insurance, or Medicaid, who are within 200% of the Federal Poverty Level
- Churches, ministries, community agencies, schools, etc.
- Missionaries and ministries, at home and abroad, and to those to whom they minister

5. Outreach ministries and disaster relief efforts in areas without help and in desperate need; particularly our daughter and affiliate ministry, A Storehouse For Jesus, Ghana, our Native American Outreach Ministries and those in the Appalachian Mountain region

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

- Volunteer** - We have an ongoing, critical need for volunteers!
- Donate Food:** Join our **Monthly Food Plan Team; sponsor a food drive** through your church or organization; **donate fresh produce, eggs, etc.**
- Donate** Bibles, clothing, linens/blankets, dishes/cookware, toys, children's books, etc. We have an ongoing need for: men's and women's plus sizes, children's and men's clothes, pots and pans, bath towels and newborn baby items. **Please help our volunteers by donating items only in good condition.**
- Give to our **Birthday Closet** by providing new toys and gifts, as well as cake mixes and frosting, for children and teens' birthdays
- Provide **supper for Medical and Dental Clinic volunteers**
- Help with **construction, building and grounds maintenance**
- Help with **seasonal needs (for Davie County residents): School supplies** for children in August; sponsor families with **Thanksgiving dinners;** sponsor children, special needs adults and seniors with **Christmas gifts;** sponsor seniors and some special needs adults with **Christmas dinners (sponsor sign up begins in September)**
- Talk with your physician about **donating medicine samples** for our Pharmacy
- Pray daily** for the Storehouse and its various ministries
- Donate financially** (see other side of brochure)

HISTORY OF A STOREHOUSE FOR JESUS

A Storehouse For Jesus belongs to God - it came about only through His power and grace!

Storehouse is a completely volunteer ministry - no one has ever received a salary. We have been blessed to grow from a volunteer staff of 1 the first 2 years, to more than 370 volunteers in 2007.

All items are given away at Storehouse - nothing is sold and no one is charged for any service.

All clients have food, clothing and household items available to them, as well as the children's **Birthday Closet**, which provides two new gifts to children and teens for their birthday. Available only to Davie County residents are **Thanksgiving dinners, Christmas gifts for children and seniors, Christmas dinners for senior families, school supplies** in August, and the **Medical Ministries**.

In August 1992, the Lord began to lay a burden on the heart of Marie Collins for the needy to have a place to come for help with food and clothing - a place where the gospel of Jesus Christ would be shared. With God's leading, Marie began **'In His Name - A Storehouse For Those In Need'** on January 12, 1993, at which time the Lord provided a place for Storehouse to operate on Yadkin Valley Road, in Advance, NC.

The name of the ministry changed to **'A Storehouse For Jesus'** in 1994, when the ministry was incorporated. The same year the ministry received its 501(c) 3 status.

The ministry outgrew its Advance location and, in 1995, moved to the old Marlin Hardware Building on Depot Street, in Mocksville, NC. Enough money was donated to pay off the building by 2001.

With the increase of clients through the years and the addition of the medical ministries, Storehouse outgrew its Depot Street location. In 2003, Storehouse purchased 5.74 acres on US Highway 64 East, in Mocksville, to build a larger facility. In 2004, an additional 4.02 acres of land were purchased and the construction of a new 27,500 square foot facility began. The new building was dedicated and an open house held in October 2006.

In 2000, the Storehouse opened a **Medical Clinic and Medication Assistance Program** (MAP) for Davie County residents who are uninsured and unable to receive medical help from any other source. The **Pharmacy** received its license from the N.C. Pharmacy Board in 2001. The **Chronic Care and Dental Clinics** began in 2003. Our first **Eye Clinic** was held in 2006, and the **Diabetes Clinic** began in 2007. (For additional information on our Medical Ministries History and Volunteer Opportunities, please see our Medical Ministries Brochure.)

Weekly chapel services were held from 1996 - 2002, then were temporarily suspended due to the addition of the Medical Clinic and Pharmacy, which were housed where the Chapel was located. Now that we are in our new facility, a **Pastoral Guidance and Sharing Ministry** has begun. A pastor is available to talk to clients in the Chapel on Tuesday afternoons from 1 - 3 pm. A **Children's Lobby Ministry** is held seasonally, when children are not in school. **Chapel Services, Bible Studies and Education Ministries** are planned for 2008.

In 1998, we were asked to extend A Storehouse For Jesus to Ghana, West Africa. This was approved by our Board of Directors, and **A Storehouse For Jesus, Ghana** was born. (If you are interested in our work in Ghana or any of our other Outreach Ministries, please see our Outreach Ministries Brochure.) **Only financial donations specifically designated for outreach ministries are used for this work - absolutely no financial donations are taken from the local ministry to support the Ghana or other outreach ministries.**

Clients are interviewed each time they come for assistance to assess their needs. During the interview seeds are planted and the Gospel of Jesus Christ and prayers are shared. A new Bible is given to each client who does not have a Bible. Gospel tracts are available in each interview office and placed in each food order.

There are no limits on how many times a client may come for help. At times a client simply needs prayer and encouragement. There are limits however, on how many times a client may receive food in a six-month period and clothing in a month and on how many items of dishes and linens may be received in a three-year period.

We are dependent upon God's people to provide financial donations in order to operate this ministry. During 2007, we received donations from 21 states, including 63 (35 NC) towns and cities.

A Storehouse For Jesus is heavily burdened for those who come through our doors, for those who do not know our Lord as Savior, for those who are hurting and alone in their struggles. Your labor, financial donations, donations of food, clothing and household items, your support and prayers, allow us to serve those in need. By all of us working together, we can reach some for Jesus who otherwise might not be reached, sharing the gospel and showing Christ's love.

Please call us at (336) 753-8081 if you would like someone to speak to your organization about our various ministries.

FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS

All donations are tax-deductible. A receipt will be mailed to you. Financial donations may be designated to the following accounts:

General Account

Food Account

Building Account

Clinic Account - used for Davie County residents only

Pharmacy Account - used for Davie County residents only

Special Projects Account - used primarily for Davie County residents (holiday programs, school supplies, children's needs, children's ministries, etc.); however, at times donations are made specifically for our work at the Indian Reservations, hurricane victim relief, etc.

Ghana Accounts

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