



In Thanksgiving

As we look towards Holy Week and Christ’s resurrection the word “thanksgiving” comes to mind. We thank God for all of you who help keep Our Lady’s doors open to the many that are served. Our Lady brings women and moms and their children who may need a place to live. She also brings those who have a place to live, but need assistance with food, transportation, bus passes, budgeting, counseling resources, items for personal and family needs, job counseling, and any additional resources they may need. Many are helped one-on-one. They’re invited to have meals with us, be a part of enjoyable activities, to be a part of our community.

The common denominator is when they enter Our Lady’s home they feel that this is a place of peace, love, hope, and God’s presence. Why do they feel that? Because that’s exactly what MHOH is all about. They are welcome to come and pray with us, attend Mass, participate in bible studies, and have private time with Christ as well.

The following letters are from our residents who are very grateful for all of you and the blessings they experience here in Our Blessed Mother’s home.

“I have been living at Mary’s Homes of Hope for two months now. During this time I have grown quite a bit that it feels crazy to me that it has been just a couple of months! I have been blessed with a unique opportunity to connect with myself as well as life around me physically, mentally, and spiritually. Those connections are how I became more aware of my true self, my true needs, and my true purpose in life. As I may not have a full sentence to describe any of them, I know that I see my path clearly. Additionally, I found peace because of this knowledge.

My time at MHOH provided me with a unique experience to work on my unsolved trauma in a safe, growth-oriented environment. I am assured about life more than ever despite the challenges the world and I are facing today. Because today I know that I’m standing on a solid ground, the ground of the unconditional love that I have observed and felt. I am beyond thankful to Lynn Reid for she is holding my hand and my heart so gently through this journey.” Alanoud ♥

“I am very thankful to the Lord Jesus Christ to have a wonderful home, love, and a good job. This has been a very uplifting experience and I am greatly appreciative of the love and support from everyone!

I hope that this year brings much success, love, and happiness in all of our lives. Thank you very much for all the support, love, and prayers that you give to all of us at Mary’s Homes of Hope!”
Vicki



Happy Easter!



Let all creation rejoice!



All-powerful, most holy Almighty and supreme God, Holy and just Father, Lord King of heaven and earth, We thank You for Yourself For through Your holy will and through Your only Son with the Holy Spirit, You have created everything spiritual and corporal and, after making us in Your own image and likeness, You placed us in paradise.

We thank You for as through Your Son You created us, so through Your holy love with which You loved us You brought about His birth as true God and true man by the glorious, ever-virgin, most blessed, holy Mary and You willed to redeem us captives through His cross and blood and death.

We thank You for Your Son Himself will come again in the glory of His majesty, to say to all those who have known You, adored You and served You in penance:

“Come, you blessed of my Father, receive the kingdom prepared for you from the beginning of the world.”

St. Francis of Assisi
Prayer and Thanksgiving

**Thank you for your ongoing prayers and support.
You're in our prayers.**



Some areas of need are:

- ◆ **#1 Volunteer Coordinator**
- ◆ Mentors
- ◆ Transportation providers
- ◆ Professional Counselors

Personal Growth & Development

- ◆ Finance Management
- ◆ Time Management
- ◆ Organizational Skills
- ◆ Job Search
- ◆ Nutrition
- ◆ Educational Guidance
- ◆ Faith Formation
- ◆ Parenting

Other possible areas for ministry and service projects include:

- ◆ Help around MHOH
- ◆ Repair
- ◆ Garden & yard
- ◆ Cleaning help
- ◆ Setup for meetings
- ◆ Help with meals for special events.

Needed:

For grocery needs of MHOH community members.



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