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Our Normal Hours of Operation are 9:00 to 3:00 Wednesdays & Saturdays

Due to the Coronavirus, we will NOT be taking donations at this time. Please check back with us when things get back to normal. THANKS!!

Shipment #5 for OGT, Wichita Branch

On Wednesday, March 18th, our branch was blessed with yet another shipment. This time we sent goods to (APDWIT) The Association of Persons with Disabilities, Women, & IDP’s (individuals with developmental problems) in Tsalenjikha, Republic of Georgia. The shipment included over 1600 boxes and individual pieces, including clothes, shoes, bedding, disaster kits, bedside tables, wheel chairs, walkers, baby beds, and many other misc. items. Thanks to everyone who helped.
Next time you are shopping, please consider donating some school supplies for the backpacks we send to needy school children. We can also use gently used backpacks even if they have names on them. Items needed are: Crayons (24 CT), Washable Markers (8 or 10 CT), Glue Sticks, Rulers, Spiral Notebooks, and Blunt Point Scissors.

We are thankful for the support we received at our fundraiser held at Risen Savior on February 2nd. We had over 120 people in attendance and had an opportunity to share information about our ministry. In addition to a great luncheon of pulled pork, potato salad, pork and beans, and cookies for dessert; we held a silent auction of beautiful quilts (donated by those listed below), and sold gift baskets prepared by some of our volunteers. Due to some very generous contributions, our total receipts exceeded $8000 for the day. **WOW!!** A sincere “Thank-You” to all who contributed their time, energy, and financial support to make this event such a success and making it possible for us to respond to circumstances of need with the love of Jesus.

**SPECIAL THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING FOR THEIR LOVELY QUILTS/BLANKETS:**
- Karen Pickett, Auburn, Kansas
- Immanuel Lutheran LWML, Wichita
- Faith Lutheran Quilters, Ottawa, Kansas
- Calvary Lutheran LWML, Wellington, Kansas
- Daryl Lorenz, St. Paul’s Lutheran, Cheney, Kansas

**SERVICE PROJECT**

On Saturday, March 14th, youth from Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Wichita came down to help sort clothes. Some worked in our sorting room on regular inventory while others helped us sort a special donation of school uniforms. The uniforms were donated to OGT from a store in Leavenworth that had closed its business. It was a very productive day.

Thanks to all who participated.

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