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In Matthew 28:19-20, the Lord calls the church his disciples to “Go”; meaning, leave from the comfort zone and safety to explore other opportunities to Proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

The Lord Jesus Christ has Graced us through these 2 years+ with His plan of action for His Church to transition us from brick and mortar to functioning outside the four walls of the church. Thanks to Partners like you, who made the move and transition with us, to ensure that ministry could still be effective within our local community. Your generous giving allowed us to service our local community through our Outreach efforts, as we continued the work that the Lord has given us to do.

Serving our community is our God given assignment and mandate of our church. During these trying times the work had to continue. We are thankful and blessed for our volunteers, who weathered the pandemic in-spite of the conditions, to serve while under the risk of the infection. however, God sustained each of us safely.

As we enter this New Year and Season, we will continue to navigate through these times. We are certain that God will give us innovative ways to maintain our reach and service to our community. We will continue to rebuild relationships with businesses, organizations, school partnerships and developing new relations that are vital to the success of our Outreach and Missional reach. Please know that your volunteerism and sacrifice to serve your church is the key to the success of all that we are spiritually, physically, socially, and financially able to achieve because of your generosity.

In closing, *thank you* for your support in the upcoming year and know that you are valued and appreciated.

Listed below, please view Outreach Activities and Mission Projects from the year 2021:

MAY 2021

School Faculty/ Donuts and Water

Name of Schools	Number of Faculty	Number of Volunteers
Sallye B. Mathis	75	4
Henry F. Kite	40	2
Ribault Senior High	120	4
Gregory Drive Elementary	45	3
Highlands Elementary School	60	2
Highlands Middle School	70	2
Jacksonville Heights Elementary School	60	4
Ed White Senior High School	150	5
Bridge -to-Success High School	38	2
Venetia Elementary School	45	4
TOTALS	703	32

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JUNE 2021

Serving Homeless population in the homeless Camp

Through the generous donations from the St. Paul Partners, we donated 300+ Hygiene Care package Kits and over 100 cases of water to the Temporary Shelter on Beaver Street housed by City Rescue Missions.

EMERGENCY DONATIONS FOR THE HOMELESS POPULATION-(June-July)

Donation Agency	Location	Donations	Volunteers
City Rescue Missions	Temporary Shelter @ Beaver Street and Julia	300 + Hygiene Packages plus 100 cases of Water	15-to deliver and pass out the donations

Back-to-School Give-Away-College Blast Off (March/August 2021)

Number of College Students	Care Packs for Students Away @ College	Volunteers
30	17(Box of Food and Hygiene Products)	7

Back-to-School Give-Away and Blessing Oil (August 2021)

	Total Prepared School Supplies Packaged	1 Bottle of Oil per Supply Bag	Volunteers
Elementary Students	150	100	
Middle School Students	100	100	
High School Students	100	100	
		Total- 300 bottles of Oil	Total - 12

Bags: 350 Annual Thanksgiving Food Give-Away/Partnership with Kappa Alpha Psi (November 2021)

Recipients	Number of Households	Number of Peoples	Volunteers
Community Members	40		30
Sick-n-Shut-in	30		7

DECEMBER 2021

Christmas Toy Give-Away/Partner with Kappa Alpha Psi and the children Christmas Party of Jacksonville for toys. Games, footballs, dolls, soft toys and wagons for infants /toddlers. St. Paul purchased bicycles/scooters for the children.

Number of Families	Number of Children	Volunteers
10	30	10

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Empowering Learning Center-Families	Number of Children Served
3	17

(2nd Mondays-11:30am-1:00pm)

Monthly Food Distribution- Drive by Pick-ups only (January through September we only captured the count of Households served) through Farm Share Organization.

Month	Recipients	Household	Adults	Seniors	Children	Disabled	Veterans	Volunteer	Food Per Pound Monthly
January		80						8	3703
February		80						8	2428
March		80						8	2250
April		80						10	1404
May		80						10	811
June		80						10	1671
July		80						10	1,505
August		80						12	1612
September		80						15	3,030
October		76						13	1,326
November	224	80	69	83	36	36	74	14	5,316
December	Cancelled								No Food Available
Total									25056

*Not required to breakdown the count during this time period.