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TILLIE BURGIN

I walked out back today and saw a small family huddled around the toys. The children were excited and playing with everything they could reach. I asked if I could help them. The mom looked up and said,

"Oh, yes. My children have no toys. We just moved to Arlington, and we have nothing."

Mission Arlington[®] goes into overdrive when we hear statements like that. Before they left *the Mission*, they were well-equipped with what they needed for the kitchen (including food, and pots/pans) and the children's rooms. Then, we went over to the furniture dispatch, and we loaded a truck with furniture. We went to their apartment - where they had nothing.

When everything was properly placed inside, everyone circled up to pray. We **thanked God for you** and for the provisions of that day. One of the children said, "I want to pray." What a beautiful moment.

You are the reason all of this can happen for families in our community who have special needs. You are so important to us. Thank you so much for your support.

Tillie Burgin

FALL FESTIVAL FUN



Fall Festival 2019

Our annual "Fall Festival" opens on **Saturday, October 31st**, (from Noon to 4:00) behind the campus of Grace Street Fellowship (SE Corner of Fielder & Park Row, across from Kroger). **Volunteers and Candy are needed!**

Call 817-277-6620 for more information.

The socially-distanced version of this popular event will include familiar features, from hay rides, carnival games, and bouncy houses, to free admission, free food, and candy. This is a great event for the whole family. Come join us!

VOLUNTEERS DELIVER

Volunteer Hours are from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday - Saturday



Delivering furniture to families in need is **meaningful, and so much fun**. We have families waiting for beds, couches, tables, and more. **Can you help?** Volunteer times are anytime you are available from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday to Saturday.

HELPING IN THE HOLIDAYS

- 1. Thanksgiving** - Volunteer with us in October and November to help us get ready for 8:00 a.m. Thanksgiving Day deliveries;
- 2. Christmas Store** - December 12th-22nd, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., excluding Sundays.



Sorting Thanksgiving Food

CARING FOR OUR COMMUNITY THROUGH THE FALL

FREE FLU SHOTS & MEDICAL CARE



Volunteer doctors, nurses, and medical personnel from **9 different disciplines** donate their time and skill to care for families with a variety of medical needs - from diabetes, to hypertension to the common cold. Because of the generosity of our community, we were able to provide **200 flu shots** this month. Thank you!

TENDER CARE FOR CHILDREN

Because of a delayed school start, provision of **school supplies** has been a little different this year. In fact, it is still **ongoing**. To date, with your generous support, we've provided supplies to **6,000+ students**.



This month, we received a gift asking us to purchase **100 "Happy Meals"** to distribute to children. You can see the results above. Wow! You are making a difference in the children of our community. Thank you!

PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE

"We can do so much more together"



DENTURE DAY @ THE SAXE CLINIC

Baylor, UTD Students, Dental Assistants & Dentists



100 people each year receive free dentures here.

DAILY BREAD

The increase in need for food this year has been **substantial**. Your gifts of soups, vegetables, meats, and so much more continue to bless families in need. **Thank you!**



Food Pantry Team