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You are so important to us!

Please know that your care for people here makes such a difference. I am so thankful for the many ways you provide for those who are in crises, or need help of some kind. I often say to people,

"It is flat at the foot of the cross," and "I never met a life yet who is not important. We all stand equal before HIM."

One example I experienced this week: I saw one of our dentists pull in and start running toward the Dental Clinic. I asked him if "something was wrong?" He said, "I am running late to see my patient, and they deserve better than having to wait on me."

As I walked away, I remembered that he doesn't get paid, but what a heart of love to care that much for the "least of these." Thank you all for seeing the people as God would want us to see them.

Tillie Burgin

DALLAS MAVERICKS BUILD NEW COURT TO SUPPORT YOUNG PEOPLE

The Dallas Mavericks Foundation combined forces with Chime, SCHEELS, and Sprite to install a new outdoor basketball court at the site of one of Mission Arlington's congregations in East Arlington, adjacent to Sam Houston High School.

The project included new basketball goals, backboards, concrete repair, and a new SportCourt surface with the exclusive Mavericks' mural, plus a fresh coat of paint for the facility. Restoration XP and Mavs' volunteers also joined in a beautification project around the court.

Mavericks player Josh Green, the Mavericks Street Team and ManiACCS were on hand for the dedication. Afterwards, Green and others led children from the community through the new court's first basketball clinic.

By that evening, children & youth from the community filled the court, enjoying the game. The Mission Arlington® family is grateful for the privilege we have of partnerships that make a difference for the children & youth in our community.



6,825 CHILDREN ENJOY RAINBOW EXPRESS®



Thirty-one (31) student groups from eight (8) states led Rainbow Express® in 84 different locations across our community. Children have fun as they learn about God's love.

FAMILY FUN AT ANNUAL EASTER EGG HUNT

2,933 children (with their families) attended our "World's Largest" Easter Egg Hunt, with hotdogs, bouncy houses, and 120,000 eggs, filled with candy. Everyone had so much fun!



A HOME FOR FURNITURE



Because you continue to give, **6,334 families** received a delivery of furniture to their homes last year, representing **22,579 people**.

EASTER YOUTH SERVICE



300 youth from across the community gathered to worship on Maundy Thursday. Afterwards they enjoyed pizza and fellowship together.

FIELDER SERVE DAY

On Sunday morning, April 14th, hundreds of people from Fielder Church in Arlington, left their own church services to serve with our Bible studies and congregations in over 45 locations.



They led Bible studies, hosted cook-outs, played games with children, and so much more.

WE ARE SO GRATEFUL FOR YOU!