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For 35 years, with your support, we have been "taking church to the people," "one life at a time." Thank you!

I am always so pleased to write to give you a little summary of the opportunities God continues to give us.

I often think it would be so much fun for you to walk into one of the homes and see the furniture you provided - where there had been none; or for you to see the people as they are getting jobs, wearing their new clothes - which came from you.

One day I watched as a lady was taking a very large, framed, and beautiful picture. I helped her carry it. As we were walking together, I asked her why she liked the picture and she said, "When I was a little girl this picture was in my room." She was almost in tears as she spoke, so thank you for giving.

Mission Arlington[®] continues to be faithful with your gifts and to represent your love to others as we give away what you have given.

Bless you my friends. We are grateful for you!

Tillie Burgin

COLLECTING SCHOOL SUPPLIES



Can you help us collect school supplies for the students in our community? As students return to school, we anticipate that the need will be strong.

Ways to Help

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1. Bring school supplies to us;
2. Use our Amazon WishList;
3. Donate through our website;
4. Help to organize supplies anytime in July.

Find these resources at missionarlington.org. You can impact the life of a student.

MISSION ARLINGTON[®] TURNS 35



On August 1st, Mission Arlington[®] turns 35-years old. We have been so blessed by, and we are so grateful for, the constant support of this community. The way you provide for people in need is simply extraordinary.

Today, we share God's love through weekly Bible studies in 350+ locations across our community. Because you give, hundreds of people receive help and hope every day. We are excited about the days ahead!

THOUSANDS ATTEND RAINBOW EXPRESS®

Since Spring Break, nearly **4 thousand children** have attended Rainbow Express®, led by student groups from 5 different states and 13 Texas cities. Your support matters. Thank you!



FLYING OFF THE SHELF



For most of us, it's not a crisis if our pantries at home are empty. It just means we haven't had time to go to the store. But it isn't that way for a host of hard-working families in our own community.

From January through early June, because of your generosity, **47,273 people** have received a multiple day supply of food from us. The food really is "flying off the shelf."

KEEPING COSTS LOW

Our most recent audit documents that our administrative overhead is only **1.48 percent**. This means that 98.5 cents of every dollar you give gets where you want it to go - to help people in need!



200 CHILDREN A WEEK TURNED OUT FOR FUN DAYS IN MAY

Mission Arlington® sponsored what we called "Fun Days" in May. Every Saturday, from 9:00 a.m. to Noon, the children were able to play baseball, basketball, soccer, tug of war, indoor board games, and so much more. Every Saturday, we also shared a story from the Bible with the kids. Over four Saturdays, one thousand children (1,000) attended these fun-filled events.

