The Heartbeat

Living Hope Pregnancy Support Services
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Dear Partner in Ministry,

As I sit at my desk composing this newsletter on a glorious Easter afternoon, I can look out my window and see springtime splendor - flowers blooming, trees budding, birds and squirrels hopping around on the deck eating the birdseed and corn that has been put out for them. Signs of new life abound, reminding me of the new life we have through faith in Jesus Christ and the precious lives we are able to touch at Living Hope.

A major means of influencing lives is our Earn While you Learn program for expectant mothers. Our volunteer advocates work with the EWYL clients, keeping in close contact with them by email, texts and phone calls. Guided by her advocate, each client completes 10 hours of BrightCourse online lessons. So far in 2021, we have had 15 graduates!

Each graduate selects either a car seat or a Pack 'n Play, along with clothing and supplies for her baby - a total of approximately $300 worth of incentives. Our BrightCourse subscription amounts to nearly $1500 annually. Paying these expenses is challenging for a small ministry such as Living Hope, but we consider them investments which will yield external dividends as we equip women to be good and godly mothers.

You can be an investor in the Earn While You learn program by encouraging your church to take part in our Blessings in a Bottle project. Simply decide how many baby bottles you would like to pass out to your congregation (one bottle/family). Contact us by phone, email, or facebook messenger to reserve your bottles. (by April 22nd if you plan to pass them out on Mothers Day) You can distribute the bottles any time that is convenient for you. When most of the bottles have been returned to you, contact us to arrange a time for delivery back to Living Hope. We will take care of processing the money and will report the total to your congregation.

We also offer the convenient option of a Blessings *Without* a Bottle program. Go to www.friendsoflivinghope.com and click on the Blessings Without a Bottle tab. You will find an abundance of resources to share with your congregation.

In His service,
Janet E. McPherson, Executive Director

January - March Ministry

We saw 38 new clients and had 149 return visits, including 121 EWYL lessons and 15 graduates. We performed 24 pregnancy tests. The gospel was presented 12 times and one client made a first-time profession of faith.

Thank you!

Many thanks to the ladies of Lake Waccamaw First Baptist Church for donating socks and home-made quilts and to the First Baptist Church Bladenboro for a generous "shower" of baby supplies.

WHAT WE REALLY NEED:

Your prayers
Gently-used spring/summer clothing in sizes preemie - 2T (especially 12 mo, 18 mo, and 2T boy/girl clothing)
Gently-used maternity clothes (especially large and extra large tops)

Would You Be Willing to Pray?

Prayer is the spiritual lifeline of this ministry. Our clients sometimes have urgent needs. If you would be willing to receive occasional email prayer requests, please contact Janet McPherson at janetmac119@gmail.com.

Supporter Website:
www.friendsoflivinghope.com

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Office Hours

Monday 3 - 6 pm
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