

ELISHA'S HOME AND MINISTRIES

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As we enter into 2014, we are tremendously grateful for those who have linked arms with us in 2013.

Phase I: As we proceeded in faith, the construction of the tabernacle sanctuary was completed in June debt free. This portion of the building provides an eloquent worship center with ceiling to floor windows that capture the picturesque wooded beauty of Freedom Mountain. Phase I hosts the following contemporary, casual dress, worship services: Sunday Worship -10:00 a.m.; Friday Worship - 7:00 p.m., Ladies Bible Study - Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; and Men's Bible Study - Thursday, 7:00 p.m.

This year we will focus on Phase II; by faith this phase will also be completed debt free. Phase II will include a multi-purpose room, bathrooms, counseling room, and a commercial kitchen. This portion of the building will host the following: Children's Church; youth activities; fellowship socials; and community outreach - pastoral counseling - educational services - emergency clothing and food distribution, etc.

In October, the ministry celebrated our seventeenth anniversary of our calling to serve the community of Montrose, PA. We continue to increase our free outreach services: pastoral counseling; homeschool evaluations/educational consultations; weekly retirement worship service in a center locally; benevolent emergency care; pastoral care for the unchurched - weddings, funerals, and hospital visitation. Many local people know if they are in need to call us; so much so, the electric company and the local assistance office refers clients to us. We have quite the reputation as an outreach church; we are blessed to be able to help those in need.

We continue to assist as helping hands to various agencies in our community. In December 2013, we again assisted *Susquehanna County Interfaith* in providing Christmas for 539 families, which included 794 children and numerous elderly individuals. As the food and toy captains of this project, we assist in organizing the donations of the numerous churches and organizations so that each child receives the gift of their desire and their family has a Christmas meal with food supplements for the children's holiday school vacation break. If you would like to know more about our community outreach, you may enjoy reading the team's memoir published in 2013, **Reflections**. If you are interested in a paper copy, please contact the ministry office or visit our website to obtain an eBook through Amazon.

In March 2014, Pastor Tim will be going to Haiti with a group of American pastors to provide seminars on Spiritual Warfare, and speak into the lives of the Haitian pastors. Pastor Tim would love to take along finances to bless the Haitian pastors and teachers, who must have a second job to survive. Would you consider seeding into the dedicated pastors and teachers of Haiti in addition to helping the Haitian orphans?

Mark your calendars for our annual *Fields of Grace*, September 19 - 21, 2014. You don't want to miss all the fun, food, and fellowship! Also, check our website www.elishashome.com for our weekly sermons, updates, and news.

Many thanks and blessings for all you do for us! Elisha's Home Team.