



Monthly news, updates, events and more from The Lord's Place! November 29th, 2016

Everyone has a story.

Help us write the *holiday story* for our clients

Dear friends,

It is easy to forget that every person we see has their own story. Often their stories are similar to yours or mine, although they may end very differently. At The Lord's Place, we have learned to listen to the chapters of our clients' lives that resulted in homelessness, so we can add brighter chapters to their future.

This holiday season, we are asking you to help us write brighter chapters into our clients' lives with a [generous donation](#). Additionally, please see below for other ways to support us during the holidays!

Our Wish List

1. Give a gift in honor of a friend or family.

They say that you make a living on what you get, but you make a life on what you give. When you give a gift in honor of a friend or relative, we notify them and put the donation in their name. Will you make giving a part of your holidays?

2. Take home a piggy bank and teach the next generation to give

The Lord's Place is teaming up with Bank of America to distribute piggy banks for our younger generation. These piggy banks can be passed around among family and friends to collect funds that will, when returned, go directly to The Lord's Place life-changing programs. There is no better way to teach your children the importance (and fun) of giving!



3. Other donations

Every year we collect gifts for our clients. We need donations of toys, movie tickets, food (clients have specifically requested pizza) and clothing!



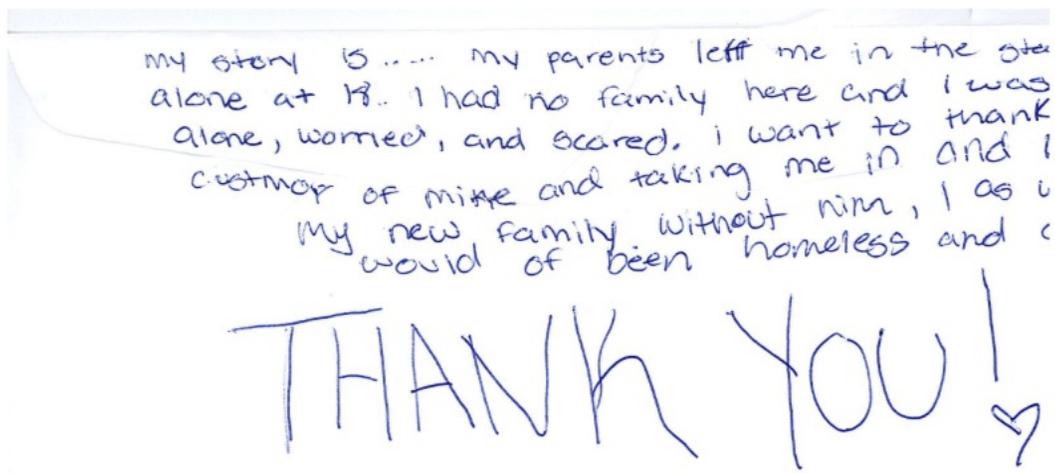
If you are able to contribute to our wish list,
please call us at 561-578-4928



Ending Homelessness Breakfast attended by 600+

This year's Ending Homelessness Breakfast was a huge success thanks to you! With over 600 attendees and many moving presenters, we couldn't be happier. Every year, this breakfast gives us the opportunity to share our stories with Palm Beach County, and give more people the chance to take part in our life-changing work. If you missed it this year, don't worry—you can see pictures from the event on [Facebook](#) and [donate here](#).

Some of our attendees were thankful too! Here is just one of the many wonderful notes we received on our donation forms:



"My story is...my parents left me in the state alone at 18...I had no family here and I was alone, worried, and scared. I want to thank a customer of mine [for] taking me in and becoming my new family. Without him, I as well would have been homeless and alone. THANK YOU!"

Halle Place dedicated as a transformational housing program

for women leaving prison.

Last Friday, November 18th, The Lord's Place held the Halle Place Building Dedication to celebrate the opening of a new chapter in this organization's life. Halle Place will house up to 14 women leaving the prison system, giving them the resources and opportunities necessary to reintegrate back to normal life. We are so happy to dedicate this building to Mr. and Mrs. Halle, who made the whole project possible!



Client Spotlight

Burckle Women visit Horses That Help



As just one of many opportunities that we offer to the women of Burckle Place, yesterday they visited Horses That Help, a Loxahatchee-based nonprofit that uses horses to help children with special needs.

The women volunteered their time by walking and grooming the horses, and prepared to return on

December 3rd, for a Christmas party where they (and the horses) will serve 40-50 special needs children.

It is said that when we heal others, we also heal ourselves. We are so happy to incorporate giving back as a part of our programs and services here at The Lord's Place!



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