



Loganville Community Ministry Village

Welcome to Loganville Community Ministry Village. So many people have asked, who are we and what is it that we do? The questions are simple, but the answer is somewhat complex. More than anything, we are an organization that tries to help hurting people. We want to be a voice and an advocate for those who can't help themselves, especially children. We see it as our duty as Christians to help those in need. He instructed us to take care of the widows and orphans. With these directives in mind, we have formed Loganville Community Ministry Village.

Many of the problems that we face today are unique to our time, yet many of the problems have been around

from the beginning. While we realize that we cannot solve all of the problems that people face, we have narrowed our focus to some of the more prevalent issues that we have recognized and feel we can make a difference in. The area that we have chosen to focus on are: supporting foster families in our area, counseling, and mentoring.

We have several programs in each of these areas that we have found effective. As needs change, and they most certainly will, we will change with them and try to implement measures that can make a difference in the lives of the people that we seek to serve.

Not only are we hoping to help people who are down and out, but we also seek to

offer opportunities for the community to get involved through volunteer opportunities. We seek to form partnerships with churches, businesses, and civic organizations to obtain the resources needed to carry out this task. We hope that you will join us on this journey. Together we can make a difference.

Chet Fowler, MA, LAPC

Executive Director



Our new building

A Big Thank You....

We would like to say thank you to Larry Blenk's Sunday School Class. A group of ladies from their class have volunteered in the Kids Clothes Closet several times last month. They have helped sort and hang clothes for fall and winter.

They also provided several storage bins for storing spring and summer clothes. This was a huge help to us. We have provided clothes for approximately 60 children in foster care since beginning the program earlier this year.



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Christmas for Foster Children

Last year was our 1st annual Christmas party for Walton County's foster children. It was a HUGE success and we never could have done it without you. With help from local churches, business owners and individuals, LCMV was able to put together a Christmas party that put a smile on the faces of the 75 children in the Walton County foster system.

Santa made an appearance and shared the *true* Christmas Story with the kids. Each child had their picture taken with Santa and the children's wish list were fulfilled by our many supporters.

LCMV has been blessed with the opportunity to once again host the Christmas

party. There are approximately 80 children currently in care. We will once again partner with local churches, business, civic organizations and individuals to host this year's event. We will provide Christmas dinner for the foster families and gifts for the children.

We need your help! *If you are interested in helping please contact our office at (770) 554-3599*



Foster Children's Christmas Party 2007



Spotlight On ...Hope House Counseling

In Galatians 6:2 Paul writes, "Carry each other's burdens and in this you will fulfill the law of Christ" At the Ministry Village we do this in a number of ways. One way is through Hope House Counseling Center. We have four professional counselors, two with over twenty years experience each, Doug Duke and Marty Plog. They provide Christian Counseling for individuals, couples and families.

Since they are covered by insurance this allows Chet Fowler and other counselors on staff to be able to utilize a sliding fee scale for those who may not have insurance.. Last month we had approximately 75 people who were able to receive Christian counseling here at the Ministry Village.

Hope House is just that, a place where people can find hope in Christ and professional counselors who care about you .

Opportunities to Serve

Life Coaches for Kids

Life Coaches is a mentoring program, where you can build a relationship with a child who may not have both parents in the home and really become an example of Christ's love to a child.

For more information please contact Jesse Barnett at (770) 296-1891 or email jbarnett@lcmv4families.org

Foster Care Support Center

We are always in need of volunteers to work in the Kids Clothes Closet or with the supervised visitation center. These are vital programs that help children and families in crisis to find hope healing.

For more information please contact Kim Smith @ (770) 554-3599 or email ksmith@lcmv4families.org

Constructions of new building

If you are interested in helping with the new building we are in need of volunteer painters and people who are willing to do general cleanup of new construction.

For more information please contact Tracey Bruner @ (770)554-3599 or email tbruner@lcmv4families.org

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at a time.*

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Calendar of Events

December 8, 2008 Foster Children's Christmas Party

Items Needed for Kids Clothes Closet

Coats (any size)

Rubbermaid Storage Bins (medium & large)

Garage type shelving

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