SERVING THE COMMUNITY:

#### WHO WE ARE

Fayetteville Area Operation Inasmuch (FAOIAM) is a Christian-based 501(c)(3) nonprofit that serves the homeless and the struggling community throughout the Greater Fayetteville Area, North Carolina.

We personally aim to create a safe and welcoming place by modeling the love, grace, and compassion of Jesus Christ. We want to give people the opportunity to build a better life.

#### SERVING WITH US:

In Luke 6:20-21, Jesus proclaims blessings for the poor, hungry, and weeping.

"Blessings" is our 6-month fundraising effort to increase our donor base by 200 individuals, churches and businesses, and to raise \$100,000 by Thanksgiving.

# BE A BLESSING

With your gifts and prayers, you can help us serve and provide God's Blessings to those who are poor, hungry, and filled with sadness.

SERVING THE HUNGRY:

### BREAKING BREAD

Each weekday morning, starting at 7:30am, 80-100 of our homeless "family" come for a hot, nutritious breakfast in the sanctuary of our dining room. Along with the physical nourishment, they are also fed spiritually by hearing a short devotional and prayer. We are the only nonprofit in the region that offers a breakfast to this marginalized population; and in our fourteen years of operation, we have proudly served more than 250,000 breakfasts.

We believe in the dignity of the individual; there are no food lines and our breakfasts are served restaurant-style by our volunteer teams.

At FAOIAM we want to know the names of those we serve and how we can pray for them. It costs \$250 to serve each day, while also allowing them to hear and receive the words from The Bread of Life.

We invite you to share in our joy by choosing a day to serve breakfast with your church or business.

GOAL: \$20,000

# FAMILY SERVICES

We want our family members to have the best care physically and spiritually. The resources and services we offer are medical triage, hygiene kits, showers, laundry, haircuts, case management, mail call, homeless IDs, and life skill classes.

With your support we can provide these services to give the poor the care they need and deserve.

GOAL: \$20,000

SERVING THE WEEPING:

## ABLE LIFE PROGRAM

Can you imagine what it's like to sleep under a bridge, to wonder where your next meal will come from, or if all your possessions will get stolen during the night? Such a situation can inevitably lead to overwhelming sadness and weeping.

Weeping is the Bible's typical description of life in a dark valley; and those that want to come out of the valley can do so with our guidance. Able Life is a 4-phase process for homeless men who want to change their lives through the power of Christ. Each man commits to realistic financial, social, and spiritual goals: developing life skills, getting a job, creating a budget, and treating others with dignity and respect.

Phases 1-3 occur in The Lodge, a building that can house about forty men. As a man learns and grows in responsibility, he becomes eligible for our final phase, living in one of our residential homes on Frink Street.



Since its inception in 2017, more than 250 men have completed the Able Life Program; journeying from homelessness to responsible living. By creating a safe and secure environment, each man can focus on his treatment and training so he can become a productive citizen in society. In so doing, we pray he no longer "weeps", but indeed "laughs" with a newfound joy for lifelit by The Light of the world.

GOAL: \$60,000

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For the past 14 years, we have been able to serve our community with your trust, funds, and prayers. Help us continue to do so and prayerfully consider donating to meet the Blessings goal of \$100,000 by 60% Able Life rogram Thanksgiving. Donation YESI I would like to be a part of receiving the Lord's blessing by contributing to "Blessings:



# We believe

All are created in the image of God.

All deserve dignity and respect.

Jesus demonstrated His love by serving us, so we strive to follow His example.

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"Inasmuch as you did it for the least of these, you did it for me."--Jesus

# BLESSINGS

"And [Jesus] lifted up His eyes on His disciples, and said,

'Blessed are you poor, for yours is the kingdom of God.

Blessed are you who hunger now, for you shall be filled.

Blessed are you who weep now, for you shall laugh."

