

Grace Center Inc.'s mission is: providing nutritious food and promoting social interaction with commitment and grace to our rural community.

The Grace Gazette

AUGUST 2010



Grace Center

701 W. Popcorn Rd.


Harrodsburg, Indiana

812-824-5595

PANTRY HOURS

Pantry Hours: 
Tuesdays
10:00 am-12:00 pm
 (Located in back of Community Hardware)
Serving Clear Creek, Indian Creek, and Polk Townships

WISH LIST GOAL:

Catsup, Sugar,
 Canned Milk
 "Cream of" Soups
 Dish Soap,
 Laundry detergent!
 Toilet paper

CAN YOU HELP?

Kroger Gift Card Reload Update

We met our goal again!
 Kroger sent Grace Center a check for **\$158.29!** Keep reloading those cards. Use your card to buy **groceries and gas!** A great way to help Grace Center without spending any extra money!



How Grace Center helped the Community in June

- 116 Adults served
- 48 Children helped
- 78 Families helped
- 362 Bags of Food given
- 3 New Families Helped

Who can come to the Community Dinners?

EVERYONE

Board Members:
 Tina Baugh, President
 Margaret Simmerman, Vice President
 Steve Fichtner, Treasurer

IMPORTANT NEED TO KNOW NUMBERS

The best time to prepare for an emergency is *before* it happens. Make sure your family knows emergency phone numbers and that your children know how to place a call for help.

Need-to-Know Numbers

During an emergency, it's easy to become disoriented and upset, so you need to have all important phone numbers readily available ahead of time. Write each phone number clearly so that it will be easy for your children to read, make sure it includes these numbers, and keep your emergency list next to all phones:

- Emergency Medical Services: 911
- Poison Control Center: 1-800-222-1222
- Hospital Emergency Room
- Your child's doctor's office
- Parent's cell phone number and work phone number
- Phone number of neighbors and/or relatives



VOTER REGISTRATION A CONTINUING SUCCESS

The Voter Registration held last month was considered to be very successful. When Grace Center decided to set up a Voter Registration table for the community inside Community Hardware, we did not know how many people local people would be interested. Our volunteer, Teri, set up at the computer and table and was prepared to register people to vote and to answer questions about voting and the new Indiana ID law. Eight people registered to vote! Questions were answered about registration and the new ID law. Isn't that wonderful? Teri will return on the last Tuesday of every month **until October**. Stop by and register to vote or check and see if you are already registered to vote! Bring your Drivers License or the last 4 digits of your Social Security Number.





SMITHVILLE Farmers' Market

SATURDAYS

For Info, please Contact Kevin Pope at kpop@bluebarble.net or 824-6949

8am to noon

Local and Amish grown produce and products available. Each week during the growing season, come join us at the Shelter House in Smithville Park on Strain Ridge Road. Buyers, vendors, and musicians always welcome.




THE POPCORN ROAD RIDE



Saturday, September 4, 2010 at 9 am

Touring Bicycle Ride, 28,34,36 mile routes.

Ride one, two, or all three routes.

Start/Finish will be at Harrodsburg Community Center, 1001 W. Popcorn Rd



Lunch will be served at Harrodsburg Community Center

Register at: energy2action.com/popcornregistration.html

For details, go to: energy2action.com/popcorninformation.html



Proceeds benefit your very own Grace Center Food Pantry and the Harrodsburg Community Center



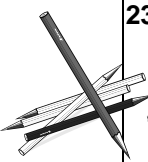



Community Center Activity Calendar

www.gracecenterindiana.org

AUGUST

email: gracecenterinc@gmail.com

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
1 	2	3 Food Pantry 10:00am-12:00pm Grace Center Board Meeting at Community Hardware 6:00pm	4	5 Harrodsburg Lions Club 6:30pm	6	7	
8	9	10 Food Pantry 10:00am-12:00pm Euchre 12:30-2:30	11	12	13	14	
15	16 Ladies Craft Night Smithville Com. Center, 6:30 Contact Patty, 824-2611	17 Food Pantry 10:00am-12:00pm WIC Nutrition Services and Monroe Co. Health Dept. Quit Smoking resources 10-noon (inside Community Hardware)	18 Classes begin for MCCSC Students	19 	20	21	
22 	23 	24 Food Pantry 10:00am-12:00pm	25 Indian Creek Lions Club 7pm Contact Lloyd at 824-9771 for location	26 Valley Mission Church of the Nazarene Free Lunch Noon- 1pm	27	28	
29	30  IU Classes begin	31 Food Pantry 10:00am-12:00pm ★Voter Registration 10am-Noon Euchre 12:30-2:30pm Community Dinner 5:30-7pm	Remember, all events are held at the Community Center unless otherwise noted.			Smithville Farmers' Market-Every Saturday 8 am to Noon Shelter House in Smithville Park, next to Redman Hall on Strain Ridge Rd.	

DO YOU NEED HELP??

Do you have unpaid medical bills?
Is unemployment gone?
Do you have little food in the kitchen?
Are you unable to find a job?
Do you have no health insurance?
Does your job not pay enough?
GRACE FOOD PANTRY CAN HELP!!
COME SEE US!
We are helping lot of folks just like you.

GRACE CENTER SENDS SPECIAL THANKS TO:

- 🌸 Smithville Farmers Market for all the wonderful fresh produce.
- 🌸 Harrodsburg United Methodist Church for continued generous donations (262.5 lbs this month)!
- 🌸 Cheryl Munson for 4 dozen fresh eggs from her freely giving chickens.
- 🌸 Riley Chaney for steadfastly transporting bread and bakery items donated from Kroger each week.
- 🌸 Harrodsburg Assembly of God for their continuous support.
- 🌸 Walkers Chapel for their continued compassionate giving.
- 🌸 All of our charitable anonymous donors (300 eggs and 45 lbs. of can goods).
- 🌸 A special thank you to all people who include Grace Center in their daily prayers.
- 🌸 Renee Chambers, Jim & Barb Stainbrook, Dwight & Donna Cochran, John & Martha Bastin, Jim & Tina Baugh for their financial support.
- 🌸 Others who we may have failed to mention, please forgive....we never intend to leave someone out!

CAN YOU FIND THE FOLLOWING ITEMS IN THE GRACE GAZETTE NEWSLETTER?

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| Sun | 2 Rooster Heads | Grace Center's email |
| Pencils | Telephone | "Vote" Button |
| School bus | Bag of Groceries | 2 Bowls of Popcorn |
| Carrots | 4 Hands | Apple |
| 3 Bicycles | Daisy | IU Logo |
| Box of Crayons | Star | Pink Smiley Face |



How Grace Center has helped in 2010

	Individuals Served	Children Served	Households Served	Bags of Groceries Given	New Families
Jan	191	51	82	339	1
Feb	144	38	65	307	4
Mar	261	72	113	465	3
Apr	209	49	68	318	4
May	138	48	67	322	1
June	116	48	78	362	3
TOTALS	1059	306	473	2113	16

ADDRESS LABEL

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Harrodsburg, IN 47434
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