

September 2022 Newsletter

IT is well with me.....



Worthy Women Recovery Home, Inc. is a **Christian** ministry that offers housing and education to women suffering from criminal thinking and/or substance abuse.

1 Peter 1:7



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From Sonshine's Heart,

I am pretty sure that some, if not many of you, are wondering what happened to the last two newsletters?! Well, they were not written. If you are like several other donors that I have seen in public, you might be wondering why?? I will tell you. I would love to tell you that everything is just great, and honestly it always is, most often for 2-3 weeks. AND THEN, a new lady comes or so an older one begins working, or someone is having a family crisis, or someone can't do what they want, and IT starts all over.

What is the "IT" you might be asking yourself? IT, is the buried trauma our ladies haven't dealt with. IT, is a new resident who comes in excited to have help, then hears one who just started working complaining how "I should be able to work all the hours I want." IT, is the resident who won't stop lying yet says she's tired of being treated like a five-year-old. Honestly, she is not being detained against her will. IT, is the gossiping about one another that these ladies seem to be addicted to. However, my IT is, that God is in control, that satan isn't happy, and that these ladies don't all make good choices. All choose to come to Worthy Women, some become comfortable in their own wisdom, and then putting IT 1st and God 2nd or 3rd, as their top priority.

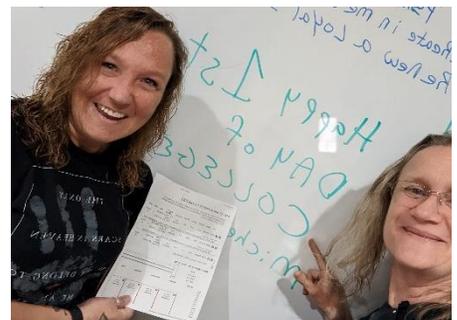
But, IT IS WELL WITH ME!! We have four that want to be here. Those four are my focus!! I have worked and volunteered in all types of addiction settings, so nothing fazes me, I will tolerate whatever it takes, and simply say to each one, "If you want to honor God, stay! If you want to honor yourself, examine yourself too." Because for me, IT is rather difficult to come to work and hear the difficulties, and to see the burden for our residents in the eyes of my staff, staff that have come from this home and from the hand of God. So I say, IT IS WELL WITH ME!!



PRAISES to GOD:

My Team is resilient and we PRAY, OFTEN! I have been waiting and praying for these three ladies for a long time (since 2008). Amanda Golob is a very kind Pre-K Teacher, so she is a perfect fit as support staff. Michelle and Misty are doing great in the aftercare program, they both have their own space, are very kind to the residents and are learning this ministry well. God has blessed me with an amazing Team to help me navigate the trauma and healing.

Michelle started at Ivy Tech College in August for Human Services, and she too is in love with Jesus. She is solid, fiercely loyal, incredibly mature, and always so positive. AND she is not afraid to tell me to go home and do some me time. She happens to be my favorite Veteran, which is very likely because she is so forthright and mature. She is my right hand and I hope I can continue to guide her well, train her efficiently and raise the money we need to keep her here for a very long time (forever)!! She is staying here in the aftercare program and now lives in my old room.



Misty graduated the main Worthy Women Recovery Home Program on August 22. She will stay here to continue the aftercare program as she learns to live independently before finding her own home. Among the accomplishments she mentioned below, she obtained a job at McDonalds after ten years of NOT working, she has reinstated her license, bought a car, paid over \$700 in court fees, learned to budget, learned to love herself, and learned to forgive and be forgiven! She also has an amazing mentor, and a bunch of new friends!!



From Misty Stotler:

As my journey comes to an end at W.W.R. H. as a resident, I dwell in awe of the wonders and blessings of the healing of my mind, body and spirit and soul the lord so abundantly has poured out upon me. What a wonderful opportunity Sonshine and all @ W.W.R.H provided me. I was able to complete Moral Reconation Therapy, P.A.C.E, Parenting and Family Values, Coping with Anger, The Story of HOPE, Staying Quit and a few others. I have taken my pretests for my G.E.D, that I will continue to work on in my aftercare program at W.W.R.H. I have been reunited with my family with wonderful strong bond between my sister and son Seth. I continue to grieve my oldest son Matthew just not on my knees with my head down feeling defeated with a heavy heart, but with the gifts from the Lord like peace and the strength to keep standing strong in life's storm. My words will never express the gratitude I have almost a year later. I had an opportunity of a lifetime which was a real chance at life. I took it.

My future includes JESUS and working full time at W.W.R.H. I have a desire to help as many people as possible with my testimony. I have experienced so much grace and mercy, and the unfailing love of Jesus Christ is the absolute truest full feeling of love that I have been searching for all my life. I now stand radiating the light even on my darkest day. I am the light shining bright for others to see JESUS. I am redeemed. I'm blessed. I am God's child. Hallelujah!

THANK YOU TO OUR GENEROUS FRIENDS!

THANK YOU to those who helped with our unexpected expenses of the Van Air Conditioner, drug tests and Laundry Maintenance. THANK YOU to the La Porte Missionary Church for \$800 towards our Van expenses. (Aside from the \$1,348, it then cost \$500 for the rear AC lines.) THANK YOU to Adrian Greer who cleaned out our three dryers for free, so we can have our washer drums cleaned out. THANK YOU to Liberty Bible Church, who contacted us to ask us what we needed money for. I said, "To hire Misty full-time and/or to fix our windows". Darrell came with a check for \$5,000 from the Liberty Church Benevolence Fund. We are privately funded, and God knows we need Him to show up when we need Him to move in generous friends, and He is FAITHFUL!



WORTHY GATHERINGS

September 30, 2022 - Please join us on from 2-6pm for our WORTHY PORT A PIT. Look on the back >>>

December 3, 2022 – The 12th Annual Worthy Women Banquet at the SILVER PALACE in La Porte from 6 - 8:30pm. Three entrée buffet, vegetables, potatoes and rice, sodas, tea, coffee. No alcohol, no auctions, no raffles (well maybe one), just good food, great speeches, LOTS of HOPE and only \$40 per seat, or \$75 per couple.

WORTHY NEEDS

We must replace the glass block windows with vent windows in our basement. There is no air circulation in the meeting room, due to an absent air return. Replacing the two glass block windows is almost \$8,200. The material around the 2-Story Bay window is damp and rotting and repairing it will cost between \$7,500 -\$14,300 depending on the damage underneath. Our rails and porch ceiling and lentils need to be painted, costing an additional \$5,200 due to the sanding and special outdoor paint. Our total for all repairs will cost between \$21,000 - \$28,000.

Our incredibly, generous Secret Cupid will match the first \$8,000 that we raise. I know these economic times are a struggle, so I am asking only if you can help. **Worthy Recovery Inc. dba Worthy Women Recovery Home is a tax-exempt 501c3; donations are deductible as allowed by law. *We have \$11,000 in Neighborhood Assistance Program (NAP) State Credits available, however, PLEASE CALL me at 219-405-7006 or email me at info@worthyrecovery.org to make sure we have the NAP Credits, as they do go fast.**



Thank you again for giving, helping, praying, and sharing our mission. Please call for a tour or *NAP questions.

D. E. "Sunshine" Troche

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YES! I want to help to offset the unexpected costs of Worthy Women Recovery Home

WRI, PO Box 116, LaPorte, IN 46352

(Please Print)

Name: _____ Date _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

One time gift: \$ _____ Monthly partner: \$ _____ Online @ www.worthyrecovery.net \$ _____

Please send a receipt: _____ Year End _____ Immediately

Please use my gift for: _____ General Fund _____ Resident Fund _____ Windows Repair Project

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PORT-A-PIT CHICKEN

SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

2pm - 6pm

ALL STAR AUTO

1403 E. Lincolnway, La Porte



A WORTHY WOMEN RECOVERY HOME FUNDRAISER



MISSION: Worthy Recovery, Inc. (dba Worthy Women Recovery Home) is a Christian ministry that offers housing and education to women suffering from criminal thinking and/or substance abuse.



To pre-order please mail your slip with payment and the information on the payment slip, Or call 219-405-7006 or email info@worthyrecovery.org Prepaid orders held until 5:30pm

YES! I am **pre-ordering** Port-A-Pit to bless the **Worthy Women Recovery Home**

Please mail to: **WWRH, PO Box 116, LaPorte, IN 46352**

(Please Print)

Name: _____ Date _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

1/2 Chicken @ \$8 each: # _____ = \$ _____ 'Tator Tubs @ \$5 each: # _____ = \$ _____

Total paid = \$ _____ Cash ___ or Check # _____ I'll pay cash on 9-30-22 and pick up by 5:30pm: _____ YES

I will call 219-405-7006 or email info@worthyrecovery.org to pre-order with a credit card. _____ YES

Please use my donation to offset the 600 chickens that WRI must purchase to hold this event: _____ YES