When: Sunday, September 18th, 7:45 am
Where: Start at 1226 Washington
(Mission Waco’s Meyer Center)

Join us for a two mile walk to advocate and learn more about the issues facing those on the streets. There are incredible resources in our city, and you'll get to hear from some amazing people who sacrificially serve this vulnerable population. If you're reading this and the event has already passed, you can still help provide shoes! We take individuals to Academy and let THEM pick out the shoes THEY want. If you’d like to help contribute to this, please send us a check, or give online by designating “Shoes for the Homeless” in the comments section.
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**CHAMPIONS OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE BREAKFAST**

*When: Tuesday, October 18th, 6:45-8 am*

*Where: Waco Convention Center, Brazos Room*

Every year we gather to celebrate the unsung heroes of faith who give their time, talent, and treasure, to serve the poor and marginalized. Come and help us honor those serving in different organizations. Our featured speaker this year is an incredible man of faith and professional angler, Alton Jones, Sr. Scan the QR code to register or to sponsor the event. If you have any questions, please email jbrammer@missionwaco.org.

**Partnership Levels:**

- **Platinum Partner:** $2,500
- **Gold Partner:** $1,500
- **Silver Partner:** $1,000
- **Individual Table:** $400

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**CHRISTMAS TOY DRIVE & BIKER RUN**

One of our favorite events of the year is when we drive around to pick up hundreds of toys from local churches. It’s loud and fun! This year, the “Riders of the Son (CMA)” is partnering with us on November 27th to make the Toy Run possible. Because of our empowerment model, we do not just give away these toys, but allow families to purchase them at a mere 20% of their retail value. Thus, affirming dignity and helping people have the joy of providing for their own kids. While we do collect quite a few toys, we still must purchase around $40k worth of toys. We would love to have you partner with us by designating a financial gift or by collecting toys on our behalf!

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**HAITI CHILD SPONSORSHIP**

Our school sponsorship program helps empower children and families in Haiti, the poorest country in the Western Hemisphere. It also helps provide additional holistic programs and microloans designed to equip and help meet needs. A $338 annual sponsorship pays for uniforms, books, shoes, healthy meals, tuition, and medical care. Partner with us to help empower families by designating your support to this incredible opportunity.
POVERTY SIMULATION
Upcoming Dates: September 2-4; September 23-25; October 7-9; November 4-6

In 1986, Jimmy and Janet Dorrell created the Poverty Simulation for a youth group whose youth pastor wanted to give them practical experience along with scriptural knowledge they could apply to their lives. Thirty-five years later, the Poverty Simulation weekend continues to challenge adults, families, and students to see the world through a different lens. Scripture and doctrine become real and alive for both students and leaders who participate in the program.

JUBILEE FOOD MARKET HEALTH FAIR
When: November 20th, 10 am - 2 pm
Where: JFM Parking Lot

Live Well. Eat Well. That’s our motto at the grocery store. This annual event brings together community members, health providers, and other org’s to help provide resources to empower healthier living. Want to sponsor or participate? Email mcruzarredondo@missionwaco.org to learn more!

CARING CUP CLASSIC GOLF TOURNAMENT
When: Thursday, September 8th, 8 am
Where: Cottonwood Creek

Come join us for a great time on the golf course! Do you want to sponsor, play, or register a team? Email jbrammer@missionwaco.org.

STREET SWEEP EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM

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IMPACT ON THE INDIVIDUALS

- **18 Employees Hired**
- **80% Have Transitioned into Full-Time Employment**
- **100% Have Moved Out of Our Shelter**

IMPACT ON THE COMMUNITY

- **1,596 Bags of Trash Collected**
- **21,511 Estimated Pounds of Trash Collected**
- **72.4% Of Trash Is Now Being Recycled in Various Ways**

Want to contribute and help continue our impact in the community?

https://missionwaco.org/donate/

Have questions about Street Sweep or want to learn more about the program?

streetsswp@missionwaco.org
THANKSGIVING AT THE MEYER CENTER

On Thanksgiving Day, we gather to worship, eat, and fellowship with individuals and families. Countless volunteers cook turkeys, plan fun activities, and enjoy the time spent with one another. Interested in helping financially or volunteering? Email volunteers@missionwaco.org.

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World Cup Cafe
FALL MENU

- Breakfast -

PUMPKIN PANCAKES
Our delicious sweet cream pancakes with a pumpkin twist! Add chocolate chips or walnuts for an even sweeter treat.

PECAN PRALINE FRENCH TOAST
Our classic French toast topped with whipped cream and candied pecan pralines.

- Lunch -

HOT HAM & SWISS SANDWICH
Warm ham on toasted wheat berry bread with melted Swiss cheese, grilled tomato, Italian seasoning, bacon and chipotle mayo.

SOUP OF THE DAY
MONDAY & TUESDAY
Pumpkin Roasted Red Pepper

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY
Southwest Chicken Tortilla

FRIDAY
Loaded Baked Potato