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More than five years ago the Board of MCM set out to glorify God by displaying His goodness and graciousness to all; to advance the Christian faith through representation and recommendation; to minister to Jesus by serving His people; and to be in a position of being blessed by God by being a blessing to others. With this in mind, we set a goal under the direction of the Holy Spirit to break the strongholds of the curse and remove barriers to the blessing of God by serving as a “paraclete” to those in need of a Barnabas through symbolic, strategic, and specific acts of good done in Jesus’ Name and for His glory.

The Barnabas Project seeks out forgotten people and communities in the South Florida area and targets them for blessing, a little lift up, a little encouragement, to give them hope. The Barnabas Project has gone everywhere from Belle Glade, Florida, to Homestead, Florida, and many places in between. It began with a handful of people and one small truck and has grown and grown into major distributions.



Our last distribution June 21st took us to Parkway United Methodist Church under Rev. Julia Mayo-Quinlan. We want to thank everyone involved, including those who participated from MCM: Deborah Nyce, Steve Craig, Gladys Steinmetz, David & Betty Patten, Dale Steinmetz, Kroy Ellis, Ani Ortiz, Ana Beauchamp, Rev. Jim Craig, and myself, Dr. Mary Craig. Thanks, too, to Scott, who helped others and not just himself.



Rev. Julia and Pastor Quinlan busy helping folks at the weekly food distribution ministry. They were gracious to serve us lunch; a welcome respite for sure.



Rev. Jim Craig & Dale helping.



Steve, very busy as usual; and just part of the crowd who came surprised and left loaded with blessings.





Ani, Deborah, Kroy, and Ana pitching in to make the day a success.



Betty & David Patten, the Director of the Barnabas Project, supervising.

The children of the family who received the “Barnabas Box.” This box holds items that are symbolic, things like water, bread, a Bible, the Constitution of the United States, olive oil, a stuffed animal to remember to be kind to animals, Christian literature, etc.



We want to thank all of you who gave so generously to this distribution. Your gifts of “stuff” and money to pay for the truck rental, gasoline, new clothes for kids, and school supplies resulted in many happy faces.



(Karen!)

As a wonderful surprise, Karen Moran of the Lighthouse Chapter of Child Evangelism Fellowship, came down from West Palm Beach to provide Christian literature for the children and the churches. MCM supports this exciting ministry of Bible clubs in public elementary schools with a portion of its tithe. You can go to www.cefonline.com for more.

We call them MCM weekends, and some of you are so faithful; we just want you to know how much Pastor Jim and I appreciate you. Besides our Barnabas Distribution, we all enjoyed a well-deserved evening of food, fellowship, and fun June 28th. Our schedule hasn't slackened; in fact, it increased for the summer.



Sundays, Celebrate Grace with Rev. Jim Craig. 4:30 p.m. Worship Service. Communion is served the first Sunday of every month.



The Monday Night Thing at Craighouse® 7:30 – 8:45 p.m. is growing. We are doing a strictly Bible-based approach to dealing with bondages and addictions. No one here is anonymous (because God knows your name) and we are not ashamed of the gospel of Jesus Christ. We proclaim the highest power and have a motto: don't let anyone take your crown! Join us if you are serious about breaking bondages in your life. And remember, a bondage doesn't have to be limited to alcohol and drugs; a bondage can be anything that controls your life, a life-dominating thing. Come, and be set free.

Wednesday nights from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. join Dr. Mary Craig for two more weeks of “Evangelism & the Sovereignty of God.” Want to know why we evangelize if God is sovereign (and He is)? Come and find out why.



July 16th, Wednesdays from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. Dr. Mary Craig will lead “Training in Spiritual Warfare.” This is the first time this class is being offered free of charge. Normally, the spiritual warfare training is an eight-week intensive, but we will slow things down as we delve into the spiritual battles facing believers. MCM is a spiritual warfare ministry called to the nations. Go to www.marycraig.org world missions outreach for more. Avail yourself of this opportunity to learn how to do battle in the Name of the Lord.



Friday nights, 7:30 – 10:30 p.m. “The Tabernacle: How to Enter the Holy of Holies and Establish God’s Presence in Your Life.” This study continues and the Holy Spirit is moving powerfully in our midst. Come and see! People are being healed of back trouble, leg pain, addictions, and more. Get in the anointing. See what it is to live “within the veil; without the camp.”



Sunday, July 20th, MCM Board Meets
1:30 p.m. before the worship service at Craighouse®



Saturday, July 26th, Fellowship Dinner for Members & Friends : 6:00 p.m. Craighouse
Join us as MCM Celebrates 15 years of ministry!

Pastors:
 Rev. Jim Craig
 Dr. Mary Craig



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 In His Name, for His Glory, by His Grace