



NEWSLETTER

LOVE STORIES



Two of our volunteers recently braved a blizzard in order to help one of our participants. Volunteers, Lena and Caroline, traveled more than 200 miles round trip through a winter whiteout while providing transportation to a participant for surgery. They left early in the morning and traveled slowly and carefully, both saying prayers for safety throughout the trip.

Caroline recalls praying, "God, you're the driver and I'm just here to help." After dropping off the participant for her 4 hour surgery, our volunteers headed to breakfast. In the IHOP parking lot, they noticed 6-8 inches of snowpack on the back of the truck. They didn't know whether to put a sad face or a smiley face in the snow. Lena used her gloved hand to draw a smiley face. "God was watching out for us," Lena said. What a joy it was to later talk with these ladies about their experience! Although the trip was challenging, they both expressed such faith in our Father to help them through and so much joy in being able to serve our participant.

Recently, Trish, a Call Center participant, needed a reclining chair due to her 24/7 dependence on oxygen and the necessary support to sit upright. A comfortable chair was delivered to this very grateful lady. Our team was able to pray with her and bless her.



WELCOME

We have been blessed with a new partner church. Yaak Community Church has served the Yaak community for over 35 years. We look forward to serving people In the Name of Christ together! Welcome Yaak Community Church!

Partner Churches

- + Share the vision
- + Support through ministry and volunteer connections
- + Give financially

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Our Mission

To mobilize local churches
to transform lives and
communities in the name of
Christ.

Our Vision

To see the Christian
churches united in purpose
and fully engaged in
actively living out their
faith by lovingly serving
people in need in their
communities.

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Two Opportunities. One Amazing Weekend!



Just over a year ago, a Call Center was opened in South Lincoln County where people can call for help. Our first call was a homeless woman living in her car. Through our Love INC partnership, we helped facilitate housing, food, and built a relationship. I'll never forget her words, "I am no longer invisible." This past year we have endeavored to share God's Redemptive Compassion to over 107 individuals, assisting with over 225 needs. And now, we sense God saying, "Increase." It's time to begin the harvest! (Matthew 9:37-38)

We are taking time to celebrate what God has done on Friday & Saturday, April 12 & 13. The **Inaugural Celebration** is a fundraiser; prepare to enjoy delicious desserts, purchase raffle tickets, and enjoy others who share in your vision. Our keynote speaker is a woman I have grown to admire and respect. **Lois Tupy** will encourage us with Redemptive Compassion on Friday, followed by a 3 hour **Redemptive Compassion Workshop** Saturday morning. Tickets to Friday's **Inaugural Celebration** cost \$25 per person and are limited. Tickets to Saturday's workshop are free, with books available for purchase. We are believing for 200 + people to attend Saturday morning. Redemptive Compassion will help our community find a biblical answer to helping people in need. We are excited, and you will be too!

Visit loveincslc.com today to register for both events.

Lisa Goodman, Executive Director

Partner Churches & Board Members

Bridge of Hope, Rod Delaney

Eagle Valley Fellowship

Libby Assembly of God, Ace Olsen

Libby Baptist Church

Libby Church of God, Pastor Rich Cloyed (Board Chair)

Stillwater Fellowship

Troy Christian Fellowship, Pastor Eric Myers / Sherry Hingley / Allan Phelps

Troy Community Baptist, Maryjo McLean

Yaak Community Church

Staff

Lisa Goodman, Executive Director

Ben Fosgate, Call Center Coordinator



Does your passion align with Love INC's mission?

Monthly pledges and donations keep the Call Center open

- Give on-line @ loveincslc.com
- Send checks to PO Box 164, Troy, MT 59935
- Consider a tax deduction: include stocks, annuities, trusts, etc...
- Gifts In Kind: vehicles, used Christian books, appliances and sellable items
- New mattresses and/or quality used furniture for our Furniture Gap Ministry

Upcoming Opportunities

- Love INC Spaghetti Dinner & Gun Raffle sponsored by Troy Community Baptist. Sunday, March 3 @ 1:00
- Redemptive Compassion Class @ Libby Assembly of God
 - Begins March 10 8:45 - 9:45 am
- Love INC Sunday with Church of God March 17 @10:45
- Volunteer Orientation March 18th & April 16
 - Call 406 334-2016 to register
- Inaugural Celebration & Redemptive Compassion Workshop
 - Special Guest Lois Tupy April 12 & 13
- Transformational Ministries Training April 24 & 25 in Nampa, ID
- Prayer every Friday 9 - 10 am in the Love INC Office
 - 724 Louisiana Ave. 2nd Floor Room 8



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We can listen. We can help.

2023 QUARTER 4 DATA

- 144 Need Requests
- 64 Needs Met/Connections
- Financial Donations:
\$14,601.79
- Quarter 4 Budget: \$20,000

It's okay to ask for help. We all need a hand up from time to time.

Call Love in the Name of Christ this week.

Monday - Wednesday:
10:30 - 12:30
Thursday: 9:00 - 11:00



Love INC volunteers are amazing....all 51!