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NEWSLETTER

Build Their Futures, Together

I love this picture so much. It was taken by one of our staff members on a day when our kids were home, just being silly. The pure joy and sense of "togetherness" in this image inspired me and brought to mind the concept of "Build Their Futures, Together." In this photo, you can see one of our houseparents, Meisje, with kids on our campus, some of whom do not live in her cottage. Together, they share life and form a family, feeling comfortable enough with one another to do playful things like create a human box.

If we expand on the theme of "togetherness," it reminds me of how we, as staff, engage in this ministry as a united team. As houseparents, directors, managers, and supervisors, we work together to support these children, showing them that we care for them, love them, and are committed to their protection.

Taking this concept a step further, we work together as a community. We cannot operate as a home for these children without your support through giving, praying, and volunteering. Your prayers are immensely appreciated and vital to our mission. Your volunteer efforts motivate us and keep us going. Your financial contributions are the heart of this ministry, providing the resources needed to continue offering a safe haven for children in need. Together, we create a safe, Christ-centered home where they are nourished, both physically and spiritually. We exist because of you!

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Build Their Futures, Together

Scripture is filled with examples of togetherness. Throughout the Gospels, we see Jesus breaking bread with his disciples, emphasizing their unity with God and with Him through the Spirit. The Apostle Paul speaks of unity within the body of Christ in Ephesians 4 and Romans 12. Acts 2 illustrates how the early church shared their resources, broke bread together, and generously supported those in need. These passages inspire me and remind me that God's people can serve more effectively when we act together.

We invite you to join us in this mission as we Build Their Futures, Together. Consider becoming a monthly donor to support these children. Whether you give \$5 a month or \$500 a month, every contribution lays the foundation for a child in need to experience love, stability, and a hopeful future. At Albuquerque Christian Children's Home, we are blessed to partner with you in this ministry to fulfill the good works that Christ has entrusted to us, collectively caring for these children. With God as our anchor, we come together to minister to and provide for every child in our care, today and in the future. Together, we are building their futures for a brighter tomorrow.

- Alicia O'Rear,
Development Director

ACCH KIDS CORNER

Our families love going to the river in all seasons!



YOU'RE INVITED
TO OUR
**Pancake
Breakfast**

Saturday, March 14, 2026
8am - 11am

Come see
the construction
progress on
Cottage 4!

(It's so close to finished!)



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Adults \$7

Children ages 6-12 \$5

Children under 6 FREE

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Life gets busy, and sometimes it's difficult to find time to give to your favorite organizations. But there are so many wonderful ways to help ACCH by simply running your own errands! Did you know that you can give to ACCH through these amazing programs?

Find out more on our website, www.acch4kids.org/ways-to-help, or scan the QR code here!



Smith's Inspiring Donations
Sign up to support Albuquerque Christian Children's Home every time you shop there.
ACCH's organization number is 21471.

Customers can sign up by following the directions at:

You can find this page here:

Amazon Wishlists/Walmart Registries
See a full list of our needs, plus links to our Amazon Wishlists and Walmart Registries!

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You can round up your order to give to ACCH! Scan the QR Code to find out more!

"They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. Everyone was filled with awe at the many wonders and signs performed by the apostles. All the believers were together and had everything in common. They sold property and possessions to give to anyone who had need." Acts 2:42-45

As we look ahead to this coming year, we would like to highlight in each newsletter a short story about our volunteers, donors, supporters, and staff coming together for the children of ACCH. To respect their wishes, there are times when names will not be disclosed, but that will not take away the encouragement or impact of the story. We truly appreciate and thank the Lord for each and every one of you, those who have supported these children for years, and those of you who are new. We pray His continued blessings upon each of you as we work together to provide for children in need.

"Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to one hope when you were called; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all." Ephesians 4:3-6

Together WITH OUR Donors

This quarter, we would like to highlight those at Temple Lodge Number 6 for their loving devotion to the children of ACCH. The members of Temple Lodge No. 6 A.F. & A.M. and the Order of Eastern Star: Adah, Chapter #5 work together to provide quilts and Christmas gifts for the children, quilts to place in our November auction, fundraising events for the children's home, and monetary contributions to the children of ACCH. We are ever thankful for the partnership with Temple Lodge Number 6 and the hearts of the men and women involved in the organizations associated with the lodge. Thank you!



Together WITH OUR Churches

This quarter, we would like to recognize Bosque Farms Church of Christ for their commitment to meeting the needs of our children. Throughout the year, they generously donate items such as pantry supplies, cleaning products, and gift cards for the children at ACCH. These contributions help keep our houseparents' pantries well-stocked and ensure that the children are well cared for. Thank you, Bosque Farms Church of Christ, for your dedication to supporting the children in our care. We are blessed to partner with you!

Together

FOR AND WITH OUR

Children



In this section, we will showcase how our children have been able to accomplish something through teamwork and the support system at ACCH. This quarter, we want to highlight two of our teen boys: one is a foster child, and the other is a biological child of some of our houseparents. These boys have been diligently working towards their weight goals by exercising and weightlifting with the help of our houseparents, and both successfully reached those goals! To celebrate their accomplishments, they enjoyed a pineapple pizza party. Great job, boys!



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Memorials & Honors

OCTOBER 2025 - DECEMBER 2025

MEMORIALS

Gene Chapin

Loveda Miller

Ralph Cochrane

Marlene Cochrane
Anonymous

Robert Covey

Marlene Cochrane

Charles Ray Elliott

Tilden & Sheryle Kuhnley

Ruth Fulton

Douglas & Denise Hicks
Ben & Cristina Kent - *"My mom lived her life in service to the Lord and her family."*

Don & Donna Gibson

Mark & Teri Tate

Marian Jordan

Constance Kent

Gay Jucha

David & Vicki Nestor

Albert & Cluzecilla Martin

Daniel & Patrice Brannan

Sue Martin

Bob & Janet Chambers
- *"In loving memory of beautiful Sue."*
David & Vicki Nestor

Albert O'Rear

Karen O'Rear

Winette Parr

Marilyn Stringham -
"In loving memory of my mom."

Dave Reaves

Eugene Santo

Jean Sottoway

Wayne Sottoway

Don & Betty Stevens

Frank & Nancy Comprelli
Harry & Gail Turner

Betty Stevens

Andy & Debbie Cain

Newell & Frances Tate

Mark & Teri Tate

Joel & NinaMae Taylor

Betty Gordon

Margaret Garcia Trujillo

Doc Schneider

Paul Ward

Esther Ward
Anne Joan Rose

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Olivia Boland

Michael Boland -
*"God's gift to her mom
and dad."*

Frank & Nancy Comprelli

Harry & Gail Turner

Mary & Arlan Gadeken

Frank & Nancy Comprelli
Harry & Gail Turner

Glenda Gray

Katherine Gray - *"Happy
Birthday Grandma
Glenda!"*

Jackie Hanson

Curt & Sarah Hanson

John Pierce

Vance & Pam Behr

Wayne & John Shirley

Vance & Pam Behr

Mark Stevens

Frank & Nancy Comprelli
Harry & Gail Turner

Phil & Lynda Stevens

Frank & Nancy Comprelli
Harry & Gail Turner

Gail & Harry Turner

Frank & Nancy Comprelli

Micah White

Kay Vugrin

Due to production deadlines, we may not have been able to include your loved one in this publication. If this is the case, look for your loved one in the next Newsletter. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. Thank you for loving our children in such an honoring way.

Leave A Legacy

Donations to **Albuquerque Christian Children's Home** are a perfect way to remember or honor a friend or loved one and to build a better future for a needy child.

When preparing your will or estate, a charitable bequest allows you to express your specific philanthropic wishes. The charitable bequest is the easiest and most frequently used method of supporting charities through estate distribution. Every bequest to ACCH makes a statement that will last through history, and an impression on the hearts of the children who benefit from your generosity.

Please consider designating **Albuquerque Christian Children's Home** in your will. When you do, you can be assured that lives will be helped and cherished, and your gift will continue far beyond your lifetime.

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