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2025

BENEFIT DINNER & AUCTION

Saturday, November 8, 2025 • 5:00pm
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FROM *Paper to Reality*

Last year at our Annual Benefit Dinner and Auction, we announced the next step in our vision: the construction of Cottage #4, a new home spanning over 5,000 square feet, which will provide care for up to ten additional children in need. We presented this project with an estimated cost of approximately \$1.3 million. A generous donor pledged to match dollar for dollar all contributions to the project up to \$500,000. The traditional Love Offering at the auction kicked off our fundraising efforts, with around \$250,000 dedicated to building this new safe haven for countless children in the future.

In late spring of this year, we finalized the architectural plans for the project and were able to break ground during our Annual Open House and BBQ on August 9, 2025. Today, Cottage #4 is officially underway, with construction trucks and contractors on-site daily, laying the foundation. We are witnessing the dreams of many before us becoming a reality, and the construction is set to be completed by the beginning of 2026.

Thank you, donors, for your prayers and support in making this dream a reality. There is still much work to be done to increase our revenue to support such a significant build, but we do not take for granted the many hearts and hands that have brought us this far. Whether through your substantial financial contributions or your commitment during our auction's Love Offering, we are deeply grateful to Christ our Lord for you.

We are excited to see what the next steps on this journey will look like and eagerly await the Lord's guidance on what He has in store for us. We ask that you continue to join us on this journey to help more children in need in our community and to open our Home to share Christ's love with the least of these.

Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful. Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts. Colossians 3:15-16

ACCH KIDS CORNER

catherine montgomery
thank you for everything
you do donors. you
help us alot god
bles you.



Dear Donors I really appreciate what
you have done for us over the years
because without you this place
(Acch) wouldn't be a thing, I also
wanna thank the donor who contri-
buted money for cottage 4 I lo-
ve seeing it being build bec-ause
it gives kids the chance to come
hear and having a comfortable
life - Royal ☺



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& AUCTION**

We eagerly anticipate your presence at the Albuquerque Christian
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Suggested Attire: Black Tie for our 'Blackout' theme this year!



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for questions:
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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 web-
site, [www.acch4kids.org/
ways-to-help](http://www.acch4kids.org/ways-to-help), or scan the
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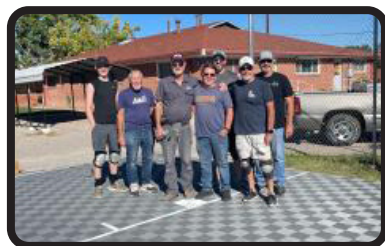
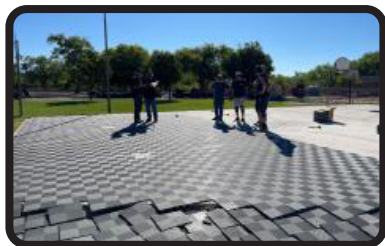
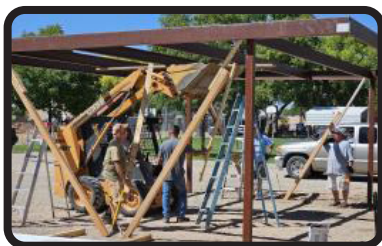
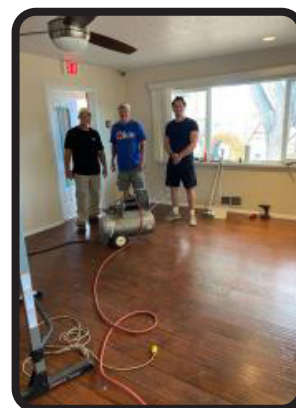
Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress and to keep oneself from being polluted by the world. James 1:27

This verse resonates with all of us at ACCH and I am convinced in the hearts of our volunteers, donors and supporters as well. As we look ahead to this year we thought it would be encouraging to highlight in each newsletter a short story from or about our volunteers, donors, supporters and staff. 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 that have supported our kids for years and those of you who are new and we pray His continued blessings upon each of you.

Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all people, especially to those who belong to the family of believers. Galatians 6:9

- Pat Brown, Executive Director

heart of our Volunteers & Churches

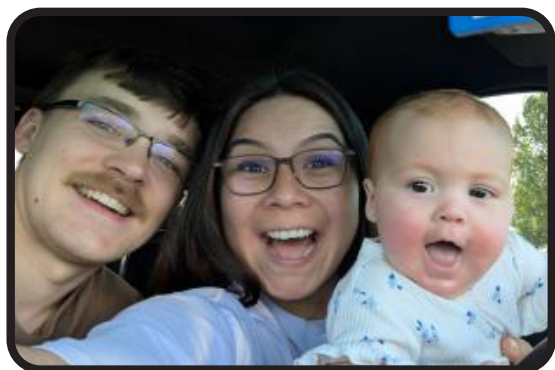


This quarter, we wanted to combine the Heart for our Volunteers and Churches to highlight some amazing church volunteers from various congregations.

In September, the men's group from Memorial Road Church of Christ in Oklahoma drove out for their annual mission trip to help us with various projects around our campus. They built a carport for our utility garage, converted the space into a workshop, trimmed trees that were becoming a safety hazard for our families, and refloored one of the rooms in Cottage 3. We are so thankful to them for their hearts of service and diligent work each year! Thank you!

We would also like to thank the many churches that step up to help us when we have a last-minute project need. There are some weeks when we have a project that takes more hands to complete. One such project brought together members from Montgomery Church of Christ, Riverside Church of Christ, and Faith Church to help complete a new sports court for our basketball court. We are so thankful for these volunteers and the many ways our children are blessed through them! Thank you!

heart of our Children



For this issue of Heart of our Houseparents, we wanted to instead highlight one of our former residents, Karlene. Since Karlene's time at ACCH, she has experienced many "firsts" in life, all with the Lord's guidance and the loving support of former ACCH houseparents. Here is a highlight from her journey:

"In September of 2021 I met my future husband, Austin Borgmann, who is in the Air Force, stationed at Tinker AFB. I graduated from Oklahoma Christian University in April of 2022, achieved my RN in February of 2023 and worked at Oklahoma Heart Hospital. After Austin got permission from my parents, Sharon and Dennis Brown, we became engaged in September of 2023. Former houseparents, Mike and Mandi Adair, gave us a lovely wedding, and Dennis performed the ceremony in December of 2023. We honeymooned in Colorado and moved into base housing. In March of 2024, we found out we were pregnant, gave birth to our beautiful, red-headed Amelia Grace in November, and I have enjoyed being a full-time mom for the past 9 months! God has richly blessed my life!"



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Memorials & Honors

JULY 2025 - SEPTEMBER 2025

MEMORIALS

Leo Alderette

Andrea Schneider

Nancy Clements

David & Vicki Nestor
Harry Llull
Tom & Glenda Davis

Ralph Cochrane

Anonymous

Sue Converse

Wayne & Marcee Moss

Linda Davis

John Davis
Ryan Davis
Shannon Popelka

Patience Davis

Cyndi Moore -
I miss you, sis!

Kryisia DeBusk

Tim & Regina Neill

Ann Elliott

Wayne & Marcee Moss

Ruth Frances Fulton

Daniel Davis

Lucy Bell Hunnicutt

Gerald & Mary Ann
Hunnicutt

Joe Jameson

David Jenkins

Don Keefe

R J & Mary Lafler

Wesley Lane

Harry Llull

Barbara Murphy

R J & Mary Lafler

John Palmer

Doris Palmer

Winette Parr

Shannon & Carole
Roberts
Doug & Susan Brown
Doug and Roi Anne
Archibald
John & Beulah Miller

Dave Reaves

Tim & Regina Neill
Cherie Sharp
Eugene Santo

Tim Reeves

Gordon & Gayla
Badovick
Terissa Morrow

Tomazine Reeves

Gordon & Gayla
Badovick
Terissa Morrow - *The
loss is immeasurable,
but so is the love left
behind.*

Margaret Garcia Trujillo

Andrea Schneider

Jean Varner

David Jenkins

Paul Ward

David Jenkins
Tom & Glenda Davis

Wanda Weiland

Annie Lou & Donald
Grimes

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Wayne Dotson

Joanne & Stephen Aronoff,
M.D. - *In appreciation of
the kind care of Wayne
Dotson*

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