

## **Love INC Notes of Joy**



## **School Days**

Although it seems that the warmer weather arrived just recently, the days are moving quickly toward September. For parents living on a tight budget and having children who will be going to school in the fall, the thought of purchasing items for their children may add some stress to their lives. Love INC has been seeking to help these families since 2010. We have joined with churches and individuals in Albany to give out school supplies, as well as clothing appropriate to wear to school. Last year 84 families (192 children) were given 1513 items.



This year our event will be on August 13th from 10 am to 2 pm at Jesus Pursuit Church (2110 Santiam Hwy SE, Albany). There is no need to sign-up prior to that day—just show up. Students and their parents will be able to find needed school supplies and choose clothing for school. The best selection will be available earlier in the day. In addition there will be a block party with activities for children.

#### **Love INC Board Members**

Jerry Cruce—Willamette Community Church Mike Farnsworth—Lebanon Calvary Chapel Rob Nelke—Valley Christian Center Ross Wootan—Home Church

Love In the Name of Christ — Office Hours: Monday—Thursday 🕏 9 am—1 pm Tuesday 5 pm --8pm 541-924-LOVE

# Partner Churches

Albany City Church

Albany First Evangelical Church

Albany First United Methodist Church

Albany Foursquare Church

Albany Mennonite Church

Albany Seventh-Day Adventist

Eastside Christian Church

First Church of God

Free Church United Christian Center

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

Hands of Mercy

Hope Church

Jesus Pursuit Church

Knox Butte Baptist Church

Neighborhood Church

North Albany Community Church

Northside Christian Church

Salvation Army

The Shift

United Presbyterian Church of Albany

Valley Christian Center

Willamette Community Church

#### LEBANON

Community Bible Church

First Presbyterian Church of Lebanon

First United Methodist Church of Lebanon

Ignite Hope-Free Methodist Church

Lebanon Mennonite Church

Signs of Victory

Southside Church of Christ

Trinity Baptist Church

#### **TANGENT**

Agape Family Fellowship

Grace Bible Fellowship

Tangent Community Church

#### **IEFFERSON**

Jefferson Evangelical Church

**SCIO** 

Providence Vineyard Christian Fellowship

#### **SHEDD**

Oakville Presbyterian Church

### Ways to Give

>Mail a check to: Love INC of Linn County, 1606 Santiam Hwy SE, Albany, OR 97321

>Donate with a credit card through our website - www.lovelinn.org

## **School Days** (continued)

We would appreciate donations of items & volunteer help. Beginning August 1st, you may bring any supplies you wish to donate to the Love INC office (1606 Santiam Rd. SE Albany) when we are open (Monday-Thursday, 9am—1 pm, and Tuesday evening, 5-8 pm). From August 1st—11th we will need volunteers to sort and pack bags and then set up for the event. Call the Love INC office to find out a time you can help. These are the items needed:

notebooks & and notebook paper (wide & narrow ruled)

3" 3-ring binders for older students

7 colored subject dividers

single subject spiral notebooks with 80+ pages

black or blue ballpoint pens

highlighters (yellow, blue, green)

dry erase pens (blue and black)

scissors (5" Fiskars)

water colors (Crayola brand preferred)

washable markers (Crayola brand, sets of 8 or 10)

crayons (Crayola brand, boxes of 24)

colored pencils (boxes of 12)

pencils (#2 Ticonderoga brand, 2 to 3 dozen)

small pencil sharpeners

rulers (12" w/centimeters)

large pink erasers

small glue sticks

small bottles of glue

supply boxes

pocket folders to fit in notebooks

composition notebooks (some lined, some w/graph paper

3" x 5" cards

basic calculators with square root

backpacks

gently used & new clothing and shoes for children & teens

#### **Prayer Requests**

Continue to pray for more phone volunteers.

Ask God to provide more self-care (hygiene) products

Pray for strong volunteers to deliver furniture (trucks needed too)

We could use more non-slip shoes and work boots in various sizes.