## MISSION SERVICES:

**Shelter 24 hrs/day; 365 days/year**
1050 W. Amador
Las Cruces, NM 88005

- Men's Dorms
- Women's Dorms
- Family rooms
- 3 Hot Meals served daily

**NEW!!! FREE Clothing**
General public should visit our distribution partners - see Clothing Barn below

***Mission Cleaning Supplies—**
Chemicals & equipment for all forms of household or building/commercial cleaning

***Rock of Ages Thrift Store**
*Both are located at 1420 S. Solano
Hours : Mon through Fri 9am — 5pm
**Sat hrs: 10am—3pm (Thrift Store ONLY)**

**Mission Needs:**
Volunteers, donations, underwear, socks, and hygiene items for all ages. Diapers, baby wipes, kids school clothes, shirts, pants, shorts and shoes. Blankets, coats, and sleeping bags are always welcomed and needed. Please consider perusing your closets/drawers for extra towels, sheets, clothing, bedding, and items not being used or needed. We would appreciate the donations!!

PROPERTY Donations Accepted at:
**Las Cruces Gospel Rescue Mission**
**1050 W. Amador Ave**
**Every Day 8am—5pm**
You will be greeted at the gate.

Monetary donations can be made online at:
**https://www.lcgrm.org/donations/**

Or mailed to:
**Las Cruces Gospel Rescue Mission**
**P.O. Box 386**
**Las Cruces, NM 88004**
Thank you and God bless.

## Partners/Affiliated Organizations:

- Evangelical Council for Financial Accountabilities
- CityGate Network (Assoc of Homeless Shelters)
- CrossTown, Inc. (coalition to meet needs)
- Churches throughout Dona Ana County
- Medical, legal, and Social Service entities

## LC-GRM Board of Directors:

**President - Dr. John Walker**
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# Las Cruces GOSPEL RESCUE MISSION
Since 1972


**Ways to contact us:**

**PO Box 386**
**Las Cruces, NM 88004**

**hope@lcgrm.org**

**575-523-7727**


*I was hungry, you gave me food... I was a stranger, and you made me your guest...I needed clothes, and you provided them.* Matthew 25:35,36


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## Help is Needed

I am sending out an urgent plea for help. This is the type of correspondence that I do not like to use, but the needs of the Mission are great currently. Our economy is bad, prices are high, local crime is high, and everyone is asking you to donate to them. The uncertainty of life is causing us to wait and see what may be around the corner. I understand that this is a challenging time for us to navigate, but the fact still is that the Mission needs an influx of urgently needed funds to allow us to provide the basic needs of operation. The word picture that I have painted is bleak and I am confident that God will provide. That provision may come from outside sources as well as our faithful donors. **Please consider increasing your regular donation for this two-month period** because the summer is always the lowest time of the year for monetary donations.

The perception that the rise in crime in Las Cruces is due to the homeless population is incorrect. Our guests at the Mission are not part of the increased crime rate, and only a small percentage of those on the street are actively involved in the crime problem.

Please prayerfully consider how you might be able to help us get through this season of low income and be able to meet the needs of our group of homeless guests who are striving to be a productive part of the Las Cruces community. Thank you in advance for your generous donations and prayers. - **Henry Young, Executive Director of LCGRM**

To learn more about our CLOTHING BARN and partnerships; please visit our Facebook page and search the name: The Clothing Barn.

To help our building program, plz consider **ESTATE GIVING—for more info,** call Henry @ 575.523.7727

**You are invited to a Mission Ambassadors luncheon!!**

*This is for those who are interested in the work that the Mission does so that more of our community will be informed about what we do for the homeless in our city.*

We meet the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 11:45am - 1pm at **La Posta in Mesilla** to talk about the happenings at the Mission...

**First timers are always free!!!**

Please join us and bring a friend!!

**Unless you are a first timer, please bring a $20 contribution to defray the cost of lunch.**

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS**

**July — 9th**

**August — 13th**

**Hey, I have an idea.....**

…..for those of you receiving this newsletter via US postal service: Before tossing this into the recycle bin or trash, please consider taking it to your office, your church Sunday school classroom, your gym, your doctor's office, wherever….. so that others may enjoy the information and learn about the happenings at the Las Cruces Gospel Rescue Mission. We would really appreciate it!!

## What is a Mission Ambassador?

A Mission Ambassador is simply a person who becomes informed about the good work being done through the Las Cruces Gospel Rescue Mission (LCGRM) and shares this information with friends, family, a coffee group, a church, a civic organization, a business, etc. Optionally, they may want to volunteer to help the Mission in other ways (e.g. Outreach, Services, Projects).

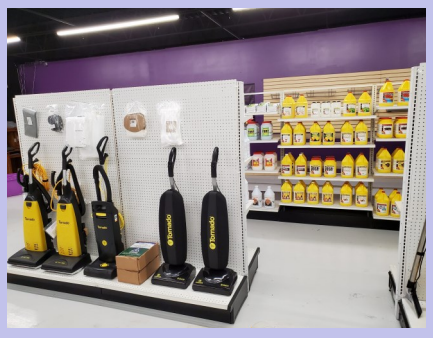
You determine the amount of time to invest. Mission Ambassadors have access to information resources, care bags, and people to contact. Mission Ambassadors are encouraged to attend the monthly update luncheon and to tour the Mission facilities/services. If you have more questions or want to become an Ambassador, please contact one of the Program Coordinators: John Walker (575) 644-3854 | jwalker@nmsu.edu or Brian Ormand (575) 642-0325 | brian.ormand@gmail.com

Does this sound like something you would like to help out with? Please join us next month on Tuesday, July 9th at La Posta in Mesilla!! We will be looking for you!!

## Did you know?

We have a thrift store where you can find bargain prices for gently used clothing, shoes, purses, accessories, furniture, home furnishings, small appliances and much more...

We also have a cleaning supplies store where you can purchase professional cleaning & spotting agents, carpet cleaning equipment, floor finishers and strippers! We also carry mop heads and dust mops, buckets, wringers, floor scrubbers, toilet paper products and much much more...



Both of these stores are located at 1420 S. Solano Drive. The store hours are Monday-Friday 9am to 5pm – the thrift store has Saturday hours from 9am to 3pm. Come see what deals you can get today!!!

**Goodness** - *the quality of being morally good or virtuous; actively doing good.*

When we act out of true goodness of the heart and reflect the fruit of the Spirit, we are **obedient to God's commandments and seek the benefit of others**. Our actions come from a place of selflessness, and we place the needs of others before our own.

***"...let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven."*** —Matthew 5:16