



Servants of our Lord Ministry

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May 2026 Newsletter

Remembering the True Meaning of Mother's Day and Memorial Day

May gives us a precious time to pause and reflect on two beautiful examples of sacrificial love. On Mother's Day, we thank God for the mothers and women who have loved with patience, prayed with faith, served with humility, and given of themselves again and again for their families. Their love is often shown in quiet ways, but its impact lasts for generations.

Memorial Day also calls us to remember with grateful hearts the brave men and women who gave their lives in service to our country. Their sacrifice is not just part of history — it is part of the freedom we enjoy each day. We honor their memory with reverence and thanksgiving.

As Christians, both days remind us that true love is willing to give, serve, and sacrifice for others. They point our hearts back to Christ, who showed us the greatest love of all. May we never let these days become just another date on the calendar, but instead receive them as sacred reminders to remember, give thanks, and honor those who have given so much.

"Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends." John 15:13 (KJV)

Warehouse Happenings



SCRIPTURE FOCUS

"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid." John 14:27

OUR MISSION

To serve our Lord, Jesus Christ, by meeting the spiritual and material needs of the many economically deprived individuals living in the Appalachians and surrounding areas.

MINISTRY NEEDS

Prayer Partners —

We invite you to join us in prayer for the food pantries we serve, the faithful volunteers who give of themselves so lovingly, and the families who come in need of food, encouragement, and hope. We pray that each family would not only receive daily provision, but also feel the love, comfort, and faithfulness of God through this ministry. Please also lift up our leaders in prayer, that the Lord would grant them wisdom, direction, and hearts that are always sensitive to His voice and obedient to His will.

Financial Partners —

We thank God for every friend and supporter He has brought alongside this ministry. If the Lord is leading you to give, we invite you to become a monthly financial partner. Every dollar given goes directly to feeding families in Eastern Kentucky, with nothing held back for overhead. In a time of rising costs and growing need, your gift becomes a blessing, an answered prayer, and a reflection of Christ's love in action. All donations are tax-deductible, and we are a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization.

Food Pantry Visit



Celebrating Nearly 20 Years of Faithful Service: Fullness of the Word Ministry
In the heart of Eastern Kentucky's Appalachian region, Fullness of the Word Ministry has been a steady beacon of hope for nearly two decades. Operated by Pastor Pete and Brenda Combs, this church and outreach faithfully feeds hundreds of people each week in Beattyville and surrounding communities, providing groceries, household necessities, and practical care with consistency and love.

For more than ten years, our ministry has been blessed to partner with them. Their deep local roots and reliable weekly distributions multiply the impact of our shared resources, allowing us to reach families who might otherwise go without. Together we demonstrate Christ's love in action—offering not only food but dignity, encouragement, and open doors to the Gospel.

Pete and Brenda are truly wonderful people. I am a better person for having known them. Their perseverance, joy, and genuine care have inspired me and strengthened our collective mission in profound ways.

We are deeply grateful for their faithfulness and look forward to many more years of continued partnership. Please join us in praying for the Combs, their volunteers, and every person they serve. May the Lord continue to multiply their work and sustain this vital ministry in the mountains of Appalachia.

To learn more or support this partnership, please contact our office.



Volunteer Corner



Volunteering is one of the most meaningful ways to serve others and share the goodness of God in your own life. Food insecurity touches many counties across Kentucky, and your hands can help make a real difference. Mark your calendars — our Clay City, Kentucky distribution is coming up on **Monday, June 8th and Tuesday, June 9th**. We'd love to have you join us!

If your youth group is looking for a service opportunity with a lasting impact across multiple communities, this is it. The work we do together sends ripples of hope far and wide. Reach out to us about volunteering on Sunday afternoons at our warehouse in Clay City, KY — we would love to connect!



Ministry Partner

Please keep in mind that this ministry operates solely on individual donations and the help of volunteers. If you have the time and desire to help with the monthly food distribution, there are a variety of tasks that need volunteers. If interested, please contact us via email at servantsofourlord@live.com or phone (859) 363-6421.

If you would like to help with the Ministry's monthly operational costs, please send your tax-deductible donation in the envelope provided or donate on our website at

<https://servantsofourlordministry.com/get-involved> or mail your donation to P.O. Box 224 Lexington, IL 61753.

Thank you and God Bless. ✝



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Prayer Requests

- Pray for the food pantries and food banks who have recently seen an increase of people in need of food.
- Continued prayer for Dana Walker as he heals from recent surgeries.
- Prayers for Carl and Lisa as they deal with health issues.
- Prayers for two of the inmates that help with our distribution that are being released.



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