Happy 2024 New Year! I hope you are doing well, and I am glad to reach out to you on this side of 2024.

What's new for 2024:

- WRHM has a new Executive Board Director Mrs. Peggy Redfus-McCree.
 Peggy, she has been an active and faithful volunteer with WRHM for a little over 15 years. Her mission for the ministry is the same as WRHM mission: "We seek to partner with, assist and aid those in need, while offering tools and services to empower them to pursue resolutions to their present circumstance". Congratulation Ms. Peggy!
 - o Additionally, Ms. Peggy's passion for helping others has afforded her to volunteer as Chairperson of the WRHM Trivia Event for 2024, the event will be held Friday, June 14, 2024, at 7pm at 1st
 Congregational Church. Please check out the event flyer on WRHM website which will provide information about how you can attend or volunteer at the event.

• WRHM Current Executive Board Officers:

o Chairperson Peggy McCree

o Vice-Chairperson Emerson Smith

o Treasurer Emerson Smith

o Secretary Susan Hamra

- o STAKEHOLDER EMERITUS:
 - Thelma McClelland
- Effective January 1, 2024, WRHM executive board voted to discontinue issuing the Schnucks Voucher to our clients.
- Additionally, The WRHM Newsletter has a new timeslot of distribution:
 January, March, May, July, September, November 2024.

2023 in review:

• December Intake for 2023



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- o 340 Families Served
- o 290 Individual Served
- Year End 2023 (from August to December).
 - o 2047 Families Served
 - o 2501 Individual Served
- Thanksgiving and Christmas program
 - o 113 Families Served
 - o 367 Individual Served
 - Total # of adults 185
 - Total # f children 182
 - o Food basket given out: total families 137
 - o 51 Donors
- Panera Bread and Bagel Union have been instrumental in donating bread and assorted pastries to the ministry. So much so that we have enough to share with local partner ministries.

Corner Talk

• As we look toward to this New Year – 1st, thank you for all that you already do at WRHM. This is a call for you to exercise your volunteerism further! I am asking that you search yourself and look for other areas at WRHM where you can use your gifts or talents. And 2nd, we need help with marketing, communication, fundraising events and helping students etc. I am sure that you have examined things and processes that are in force already but you could improve with the experience that you possess. Just let Derek or I know what you would like to do.

What to look forward to:

- o The Story Time at WRHM Saturday, March 9, 2024: present4ed by Webster Groves Public Library,
- o Trivia Night Friday, June 14, 2024,
- o 3rd Saturday Free Food Giveaway March 15, 2024.