



**Mary's  
Missions**

*Improving the quality of life for veterans, the homeless and Native American women & children*

## **NEWSLETTER**

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### ***BIG NEWS***

**Mary's Missions has a *WEBSITE* – [marys3missions.org](http://marys3missions.org). Donations by credit card can made on the website.**

These fantastic developments have been achieved through the talents and skills of Zach Ehnerd, who established the website and Matt Bourque who put the finishing touches on the webpage and created the Mary's Missions logo. Mary's Missions is extremely grateful to these young men for donating their time to complete this project.

The summer has been a busy one !

*Homeless* : For the months of June, July & August, MM prepared Summer Snack Bags, (12 for each month) including bottled water, rain poncho, healthy snacks, sun screen, wet wipes, suckers & electrolyte powder, along with 2 \$5 McDonald's gift cards. Volunteers helped to fill the bags.



These were delivered to Newcap and distributed by their outreach team.



A few of the recipients of the Summer Snack Bags with a member of the Newcap Outreach team.

The next project for the homeless will be the winter backpacks.

*Veterans* : Greater Green Bay Community Foundation will not announce the grants until September. Mary's Missions has proposed a grant to make "Kitchen Kits" to help veterans transitioning to independent living.

*Native American women & children* : Shipments of children's clothing, toys and educational materials were shipped on June 1 consisting of 3 boxes. On August 1, 5 boxes were sent and contained fall jackets & sweaters, and lots of school supplies. Wild Horse Butte Community Development Center is holding a "Back to School Bash" and Mary's Missions is playing a large part in this event. Next will be a shipment of toys and warm winter clothing which will ship about the end of November or very early December.

### *In Memoriam* :

Mary's Missions is honored to receive contributions in memory of loved ones:

Tom Beam by Mr. & Mrs. Gary Van Asten

Bernard Miller by Mr. & Mrs. Gary Van Asten

Mabel Marsicek by Mr. & Mrs. Gary Van Asten

If you would like to make a gift in memory of someone and would like the family notified, please include the name and address for the acknowledgement.

*Needed* : Mary's Missions is in dire need of used sweaters to be recycled by a very talented and generous volunteer. She will cut mittens out of the sweater, sew the mittens together, line them with fleece. Sweatshirts do not work. It must be sweaters. It is hard to imagine a mitten so warm. The sweaters can have holes, worn spots, but she can still use them. Call me at the number below and I will pick them up. Or send them to me at the address below and Mary's Missions will reimburse the shipping charges.

*Thank You* : A big thank you to all who have given so generously of their time, talent and resources to continue to improve the lives of those less fortunate.