



When HELP Can't Wait

December 2021

NEWSLETTER

4th QUARTER – 2021



DESPITE COVID taking a Toll on our Activities for the Nursing Homes, we were still able to fulfill our mission. Now in January of 2022 – we begin our 15th YEAR of service to nursing home residents. We could not do it without the wonderful support of our CSRA Community!

We were allowed to deliver items to the Nursing Homes and leave them at the door – not allowed inside but it did not delay residents from getting items of real need. Activity Directors also shopped at our offices and picked up items required.

One item that was requested by several homes was small, personal radios for those residents confined to their rooms. They were not allowed visitors – so these radios we were able to purchase, kept them from extreme boredom and depression.

Mount Calvary Lutheran Church of Johnston, SC made a nice cash donation which helped with the many purchases we had to make this quarter.





Some of our activities this quarter was a Fashion Show to advertise the beautiful fashions in our Classy Closet Boutique which raises funds to support our mission. We had beautiful Volunteers to wear our clothes to advertise the quality items we sell.



Veteran's Day was fun – one nursing home received Free special Lunches for all their Veterans thanks to Wife Saver's on North Leg road.



Christmas this year was a joy. We had so many loyal donors bringing their gifts and gift bags and many sent checks to help purchase items for the bags. Homes came and collected sometimes as many as 50 bags per home. Because new items and visitors had been so scarce all year due to the COVID restrictions – this year was indeed special for our residents. Two homes were

adopted, and all residents received gifts- one from a Church that adopts the same home each year and one from Busby's Heating and Air who made sure everyone in their assigned home got a present.



Even amidst a Pandemic – the caring and love of the Augusta community shines through – you helped many lonely seniors have a better year. We thank you from the bottom of our hearts for your help and support. We wish you a wonderful and healthy NEW YEAR – 2022.



May God richly BLESS you all for your loyal support and caring!

Ways that you can help:

Financial Gifts may be made in honor of or to remember a special loved one. A notice will be sent to the honoree or to the family of those being remembered.

- Tax Laws encourage charitable giving and these gifts may significantly reduce income taxes for some donors.
- Planned gifts or bequests made through estate planning or trusts as well as allowances for IRA owners who must take RMDs are some of the best tax advantages of giving.
- Our goal is to establish an Endowment Fund to insure the continuance of When HELP Can't Wait into the future.

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When HELP Can't Wait is a 501©3 organization. All donations made to our organization are tax deductible. At the current time, there are no administrative salaries in our organization. Our Board consists entirely of volunteers, including our President. We are dedicated to keeping administrative costs low. Our Board is composed of local CSRA business men and women.