

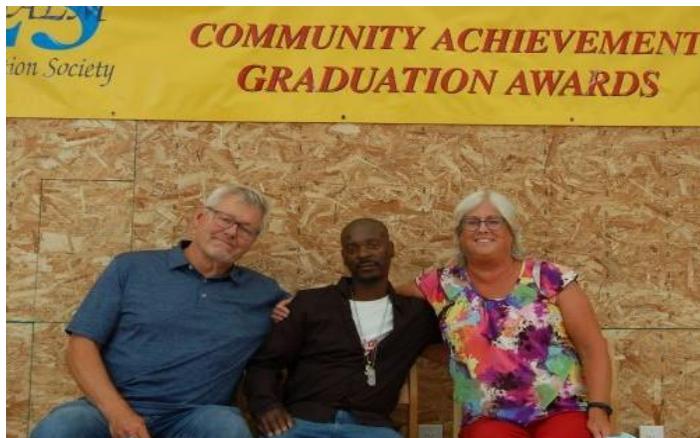


YOU DID IT!
Congratulations



Pictured left – James Wilkerson receives his “Foundation Phase” plaque and now moves into Psalm 23’s Intensive Recovery Phase.

Pictured below – James enjoys a very special moment with his family.



Pictured left - Marcus Reich receiving his “Intensive Recovery Phase” program graduation plaque. Marcus will now enter Psalm 23’s Mentorship Program

Pictured below – Marcus is all smiles while taking a picture with his family... *“Restoring Lives – One Person at a time”*



PRAISE & PRAYER
 MINISTRY REPORT

MAY / JUNE
2020

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ADMINISTRATION

Moving forward, praying for God's Wisdom

As we look at these changing times, the one thing that remains – God is in control. We would like to thank all our prayer warriors & monthly donors for your ongoing support, and we pray that God will continue to bless each and every one of you, as you have blessed Psalm 23.

As Psalm 23 moves forward with the next areas of opening up our programs, we had to terminate one of our employees. As a chapter closes, we truly believe that our Lord will open many other opportunities for the future!

Psalm 23 opened our facility to host a covid 19 friendly Steps to Freedom Graduation ceremony that 37 people attended. As we adjust to the new safety measures, we are planning on bringing back volunteers by the first week in August.

Founder/Executive Director Marvin Declare will be sending out a special fundraising report near the end of July. It will be a very transparent look into where Psalm 23 Transition Society sits financially during this Covid-19 time and will be seeking your support and prayers. Please stay tuned as more will be revealed as we pray for God to provide the needs and requests to share.

The property across from our facility that Psalm 23 leased for various programs and operations has been sold. Psalm 23 is now preparing to have all our possessions out of the buildings and off the property by July 31st. We seek your prayers for safety not only physically but mentally as this is a very large transition while following God's vision. A more detailed write up of this will be with the report Marvin will be sending out.

Psalm 23 would also like to report that our New Website is getting close to completion and look forward to sharing this great news. Please pray for Matt Thiessen as he embarked on a very time-consuming task. We believe you all will enjoy this new look and updates.

If you are being led to support Psalm 23, you can call me (Shelley Declare) at 250-459-2220 and I can put through credit card donations with our interact machine. You can also send an e-transfer to psalm23society@shaw.ca.

All 2020 Tax Receipts will be sent out by the end of January 2021. If you have changed your address, email or contact information, please contact our office at 250-459-2220.

The Board of Directors look forward to reporting and rejoicing over what God chooses to do through the faith-filled people who read this newsletter.

Thank you in advance for your investment of prayer and response to God.



PRAISE & PRAYER

2020 FINANCIAL REPORT

Revenue – January - \$74,035.09
Expenses – January - \$26,552.12
SURPLUS (DEFICIT) \$47,482.97
January revenue reflects \$50,000 Gaming Grant that was received for 2020

Revenue – February - \$25,430.28
Expenses – February - \$28,178.07
SURPLUS (DEFICIT) (-\$2,747.79)

Revenue – March - \$20,405.38
Expenses – March - \$24,169.88
SURPLUS (DEFICIT) (-\$3,764.50)

Revenue – April - \$24,674.12
Expenses – April - \$23,536.86
SURPLUS (DEFICIT) \$1,137.26

Revenue – May - \$27,919.70
Expenses – May - \$41,058.06
SURPLUS (DEFICIT) (-\$13,138.36)

Revenue – June - \$28,229.62
Expenses – June - \$51,918.63
SURPLUS (DEFICIT) (-\$23,689.01)

YTD REVENUE = \$200,694.19

YTD EXPENSES = \$195,413.62

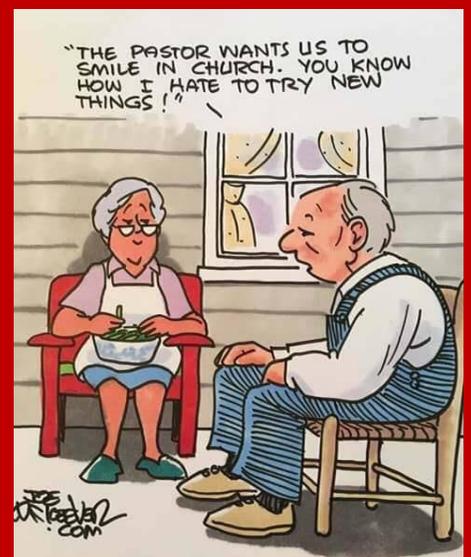
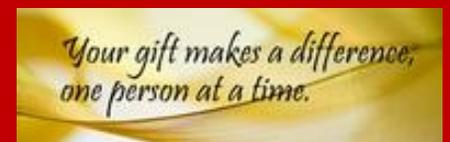
SURPLUS (DEFICIT) = \$5,280.57

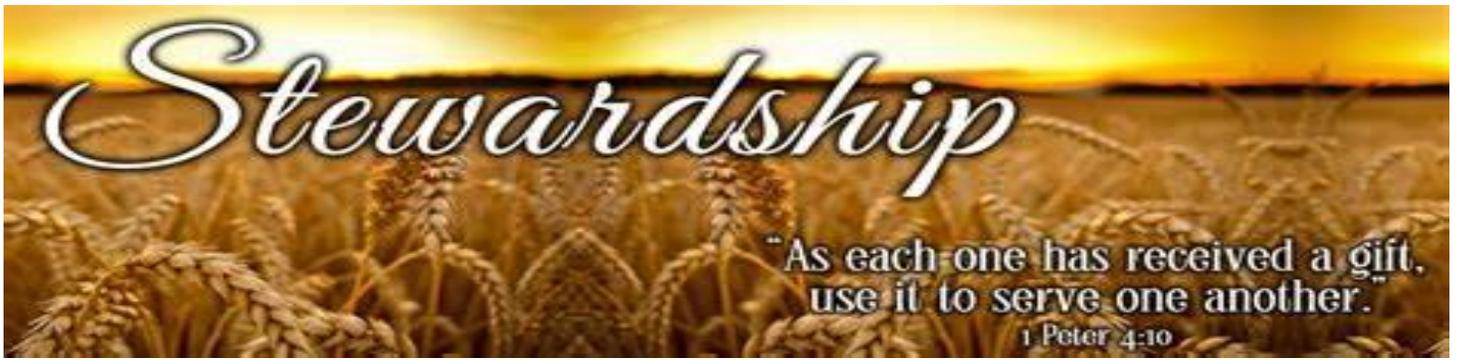
2020 BUDGET REVENUE \$394,040.00

YEAR TO DATE \$200,694.19

2020 BUDGET SHORTFALL

(-\$193,345.81)





Giving PRAISE & THANKS

**COMMUNITY
OUTREACH**
Praise Report

Psalm 23 staff and students donned the Covid 19 safety gear and when asked to help an elderly couple clean their 70 Mile house/cabin we said YES. Being able to teach students about giving back to society is such an inspiring time...Thank you Team Psalm 23 for bringing God to light in these darker times!

We give Praise...



Pictured is Alumnus Joe Hawkins. On May 1st Joe was pictured celebrating his achievement of 1 year of sobriety. Joe is holding his 1-year medallion. All of us at Psalm 23 are proud of you Joe, many more to come!

PRAISE REPORT

Thank you for your ongoing prayers!

The boys in Psalm 23's Living Sober Home were all smiles with the donation of canned goods to help through the covid times...As the men experienced layoffs and work shortages we give a HUGE thank you to our generous donors who really understand giving a hand up in a time of need!



(Pictured above is Sebastian, Joe and Gabriel)

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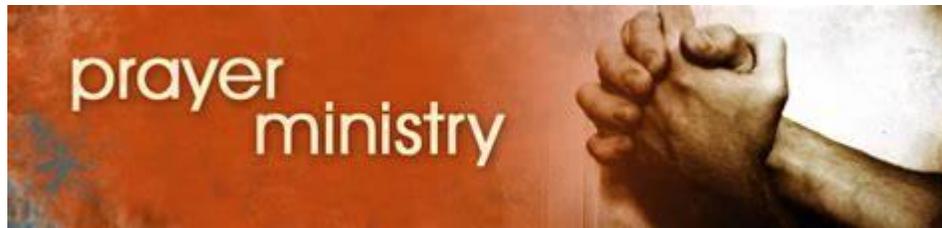
**THE MIRACLES
CONTINUE**
Alumnus Sobriety Celebrations

MAY CELEBRATIONS

Michael P. – 16 yrs. Rick R. – 15 yrs. Scott E. – 14 yrs.
Vince M. – 13 yrs. Scott Z. – 11 yrs. Joe H. – 1 yr.

JUNE CELEBRATIONS

Rick S. – 16 yrs. Ian Mc. – 16 yrs. Dan B. –11 yrs.
Lawrence G. – 9 yrs. Robert D. – 8 yrs. Justin P. – 3 yrs.



Psalm 23 are asking our ministry followers to please pray for these two students who have entered into Psalm 23's Life Changing Program. Please pray for 10 seconds of Courage to change and God's Wisdom to persevere the days ahead.



Brennan flew in from Halifax to join the Psalm 23 family.

Brennan is getting comfortable in our Stabilization Phase and is gaining much confidence. Please pray for God's strength as he adjusts to the program.



Skyler came from Kelowna to join the Psalm 23 family.

Skyler has entered Psalm 23's Stabilization Phase and has a great willingness. Please pray for courage and the ability to develop the first phase of the program.

Pray for medical professionals, caregivers, and researchers responsible for fighting the new coronavirus.

God, as more people get sick, healthcare workers and first responders are working longer hours with fewer supplies and with more risk of contracting the new coronavirus themselves. Renew their energy and sustain them on long shifts. Bring Your protection upon them as they work with patients. Multiply their supplies so they have the protective items needed to stay safe on the job.

Inspire and invigorate the research doctors developing better tests to diagnose the virus, create vaccines to prevent it, and identify protocols to eliminate the disease's spread.

Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. —Psalm 23:4 (NIV)

Pray for families adjusting to new ways of life.

Holy Spirit, as families adjust to everyone being home as businesses and schools close, we ask that You guide people in their new realities. Give spouses grace for each other. Prompt worn-out parents to speak words of kindness and encouragement to their children. Help children find creative ways to experience the beauty of all You have created and continue learning.

Have mercy on me, my God, have mercy on me, for in you I take refuge. I will take refuge in the shadow of your wings until the disaster has passed. —Psalm 57:1 (NIV)



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YES - I would like to support the Ministry of Psalm 23 on a monthly basis “

“If you prefer to use Pre-Authorized Checking then please include a VOID cheque”

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(Starfish Club)
\$30.00 X ____ = (\$ _____ per month)

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\$500.00 X ____ = (\$ _____ per month)

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\$1,000 X ____ = (\$ _____ per month)

____ 15th of the month

____ 30th of the month

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