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**For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do. Ephesians 2:10**

**SUMMER/FALL | 2018**

### NEWS FLASH

MSM has new staff to introduce! Karen Sites has decided to follow God's leading and move to Texas for the next chapter in her life.

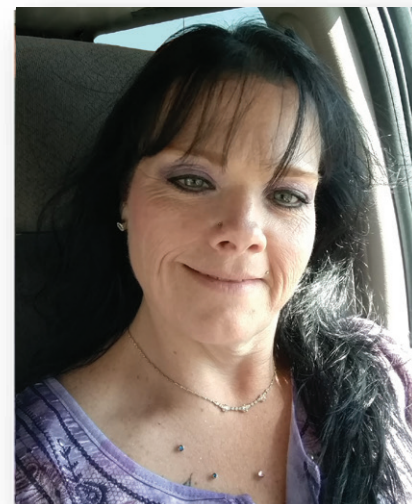
**Please join us in a come-and-go farewell for Karen Sites and a meet-and-greet for our new Director, Stephanie Moss and our On-Site Staff, Kendra Henry Sunday, July 29, 2-4 pm at Ebenfeld Church.**

this world. I claim the following benediction from the apostle Paul from Hebrews 13, as I sojourn through my own path in life.

*"Now may the God of peace, who... brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus... equip you with everything good for doing His will"*

For the past 10 years, God has been equipping me to be at this very place, at this very time, and I am thankful for His wisdom, grace and perfect plan. It is my humble hope that as this new chapter begins, that I remain His faithful servant, in all action and word. My husband and I have been living in the Hillsboro area for 22 years, and although neither of us are originally from this area, we are blessed to call it home. We count our children in our blessings, as well. This fall we will have 2 daughters in college and a son who will be a senior at Hillsboro High School.

– Stephanie Moss



Kendra Henry

My name is Kendra Henry. I am a mom of four beautiful daughters, three of which are living with me, at MSM. I am a full-time cook at the Hillsboro Senior Center during the day and On-Site Staff at MSM in the evening.

Busy? Yes! You ask why? God has brought me through a lifetime of events that has brought me to today.

Today, I know the hurt and rough points in other women's lives.

Today, God has prepared me to help others that are going through or have been through some of the same things I have been through.

Life has come full-circle and has blessed me with being able to give back to my community. God has placed such a passion on my heart for women and children in need of extra **LOVE**.

I love where God is holding me today. I love how God is loving me today and I plan to share that with others. – Kendra Henry



Stephanie Moss

My name is Stephanie Moss, and as I walk through the doors of Main Street Ministries, I am prepared to continue God's mission of loving those broken by





Karen Sites

Thank you to all of you who have prayed with me and for me – in hurt and in joy. Thank you for the warmth and kindness that has been shown to me as I was part of God’s ministry here at home. I have been so blessed.

We are grateful for the needs being met. The generous hearts of people within and even outside of our community continue to hold us and others up that are in need; and we are overwhelmed with that goodness. My prayer going forward is that you would continue to pray and support our mission field here in our own back yard.

– Karen Sites

- CURRENT NEEDS FOR MSM**
- Funds for monthly operating expenses **(urgent need)**
  - Personal care items: deodorant, feminine items, shampoo, conditioner, toothpaste, tooth brushes, etc.
  - Bible study materials
- FOOD BANK NEEDS**
- Dried dairy products (powdered milk)
  - Canned dairy products, canned fruit
  - Condiments such as sugar, flour, salsa
  - Toilet paper, dish liquid

**Comments from Karen**

Summer is in full bloom with wheat harvest completed, enough heat to make some of us stay inside, and swimming pool passes galore!

Great news: God came through again for the calling of ministry here at MSM. As we welcome our new On-Site Staff and Director, please hold them up in prayer as they learn and continue to guide, share God’s grace, and love on the women and children that come through our doors.

On a personal note: I will be leaving at the end of August to begin a new journey, with the Lord’s leading. The first year is committed to my brother who had a stroke in addition to being closer to other family members, and so importantly, my son. Please pray as I share God’s love that I will be open to His leading for the coming years. I will always cherish my friends, prayer warriors, acquaintances, and those whom I have met on the sidewalks of our community. MSM and the board members, along with the women who have come through the doors, will always remain a part of my life.

Main Street Ministries, Inc. (MSM) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation lead by a volunteer Board of Directors.

MSM’s provides help to those in need with a focus on providing Women and their Children a safe environment to live, heal, and learn about the love of Jesus. Our residents (Sojourners) come from our community, across Kansas, and even nationwide.

We house a food bank that serves Marion County and beyond, is open on Saturdays, and is available to anyone in need.

Sojourners learn about Christ through various Bible studies and counseling. They learn life skills and are involved in programs like Celebrate Recovery which teaches how to deal with compulsive, addictive, and co-dependency issues; and Circles that aims to end poverty by teaching families a long-term path to financial stability.

MSM is supported by individual donations and churches in our area.

- CURRENT PROJECTS & ACTIVITIES**
- Play yard clean up
  - Apartment supplies/Inventory organization
  - Combining two smaller apartments into one big one
- CURRENT PRAYER NEEDS**
- Sojourners’ hearts – pray for their protection from Satan’s grip.
  - **Monthly financial support to keep our doors open. Pray for God’s financial floodgates to open.**
- There are many ways to help this Mission, and we believe that the most important is Prayer! Thank you for remembering us when you pray. God answers prayers!!!

**Our Mission**

**To demonstrate the love of Jesus Christ by providing physical and spiritual resources in a supportive environment.**

