



## AUGUST HEARTBEAT



"Teach me your way, O LORD, that I may walk in your truth; unite my heart to fear your name."  
Psalm 86:11

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### Another Syria Shipment



On August 26th, we sent another shipping container sponsored by Global Gateway Network and Multi-Faith Alliance for Syrian Refugees. This shipment was primarily filled with medical supplies that are badly needed in Syria. We should have a report in a month or two from the receiving hospital. Keep a lookout for updates.

### Crisis Care Kits shipped to Haiti

On Sept 2nd, we shipped five pallets of Crisis Care Kits (CCKs) to Convey of Hope. They will add the CCKs to a container they are getting ready to send to Haiti. As many of you know, Haiti is suffering from the aftermath of another large earthquake. This shipment is being funded by Nazarene Compassionate Ministries.

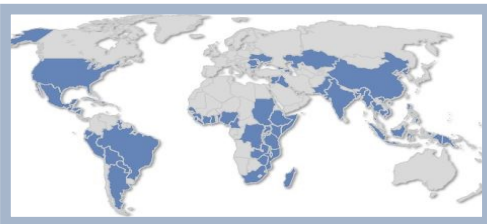


### Volunteers Needed

We are looking for a few volunteers that would be interested in helping out in the warehouse. Our current needs are data entry and pallet building. For the data entry, you will sit at a computer and enter the contents of a box into our inventory program. Pallet building consists of entering in the weight and dimensions of boxes and placing them on a pallet. Both positions require lifting boxes.

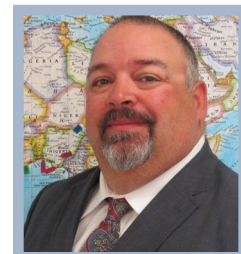
Our volunteer days are Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 9 A.M.—Noon. If you are interested in volunteering, please give Janet a call at our office.

If those positions are not what you are looking for, we always need more people to sort through donations, pack boxes, or volunteer at the front desk.



From 1992 to date, HoHNW has served  
**77** countries, with  
**140** full 40-foot container shipments,  
**108** smaller shipments, and  
**289** mission trips.

### Director's Note



The Development Committee has been hard at work planning our 25th Anniversary Dinner. You can purchase your tickets online or in the office.

Former Executive Directors will be sharing about what HoHNW has done and I will talk about our plans going forward. Hope you can join us for a great meal and conversations.

During my devotions the other day, I came across Psalm 33:11—"The counsel of the Lord stands forever, the plans of His heart to all generations." His Word is Timeless and His Promises are Everlasting! It is important for us to remember that God's laws and His will do not change. The world around us seems to be changing faster and faster. As Christians, we can hold fast to that verse. During these trying times, turn off the TV, radio, and internet and search for God's will in the Bible. I pray that each of you will find peace during these challenging days.

Our Local Loan Program continues to be busy. It's a great blessing to us to be able to help those in need here at home.

Todd Durbin



### Prayer Needs

- 25th Anniversary event
- Development Program Director grant
- Finances and new giving partners
- Current and future shipments
- Health and safety for volunteers, staff, and board

## 25 Years of Hope Celebration Dinner

On October 16th, 1996, Nampa Compassionate Ministries was incorporated and we would eventually change our name to Hands of Hope Northwest. Join us for an evening of reviewing the past 25 years and how we got to where we are at, and a quick look at our plans for the future. You can purchase tickets by visiting our website or calling our office.

Attendees will enjoy a Salmon & Steak plated dinner with menu options, so we need your meal choice and dietary needs by the ticket purchase deadline of **September 30th**. Table hosting is available for 6 guests (\$300) or 8 guests (\$400) and we are looking for event sponsorships. Please help spread the word about this joyful celebration.



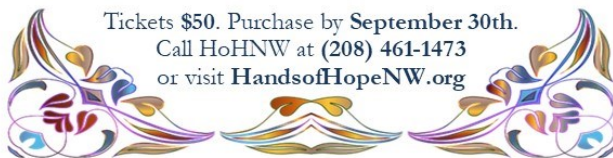
HANDS OF HOPE NORTHWEST  
CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO OUR

*25 Years of Hope  
Anniversary Celebration  
Celebrating the Past, Looking to the Future*

*Thursday, October 14th, 2021  
6:15 p.m.*

*College Church of the Nazarene  
504 E. Dewey Ave, Nampa, ID 83686*

*Attendees will enjoy a Salmon & Steak plated dinner*



Yes, I would like to be a Hands of Hope NW Ministry Giving Partner.

\_\_\_\_\_ \$25      ☐ Monthly recurring gift (The Rock Campaign)  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$50      ☐ One Time  
\_\_\_\_\_ \$100  
\_\_\_\_\_ Other

Please mail this form to Hands of Hope NW along with your contact information below.

«Envelope Name»

«Address»

«City», «State» «Postal Code»

## Warehouse Volunteer Hours

Tues, Wed, Thurs

9AM-Noon

## 2021 Ministry Summary

JAN-JUL MINISTRY	#	VALUE
40' Container Shipments	2	\$556,481
Smaller Shipments	2	\$234,031
Mission Trips	0	\$0
<b>INTERNATIONAL IMPACT</b>		<b>\$790,512</b>
Local Orgs. Equipped	9	\$17,155
Equipment Loaned (Ind.)		\$326,256
Equipment Given (Ind.)		\$6,650
<b>DOMESTIC IMPACT</b>		<b>\$350,061</b>
<b>TOTAL GLOBAL IMPACT</b>		<b>\$1,140,573</b>
<b>TRASH TO TREASURE*</b>		<b>40,133 LBS</b>

\* Product diverted from landfills and repurposed for medical use, locally and globally

## Community Medical Equipment Loan Program



July 2021	#
Families helped	92
Items currently in use	849
Jan-Jul 2021	#
Avg. Families helped/month	76
Total Families helped to date	532
Avg. items in use/month	782

## Volunteer Hours Value

Year to date	Hours	If we had to pay them
2021	4,279	\$122,120
2020	6,558	\$166,765

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