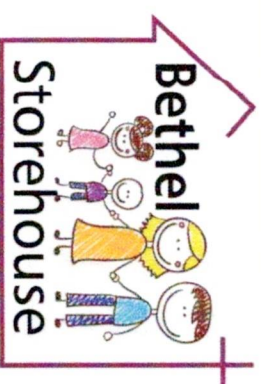


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Monthly News



BETHEL COMMUNITY STOREHOUSE

Executive Director's Report

Welcome to the Family!

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Bethel is kicking off 2024 with a newly elected Board of Directors. They come to us from 14 area churches. I would like to welcome everyone into the Bethel family. I also want to stir you up and encourage you in your service here. There is nothing better in life than to serve our Lord & Savior Jesus Christ. The mission of Bethel is founded on Matthew 25:40 that states when you're serving the poor, you are serving the Lord. Bethel is in itself a family, and it is also community. We are here to not only help our neighbors in need, but to bring our community

together. Our thrift store provides a gathering place for our neighbors. We also hold free classes throughout the year, invite other agencies in with their programs, along with hosting fun events. We provide our community with a place to give and a place to receive. Let's roll our sleeves up together and get busy! It's going to be a great year! A pastor once said "Christianity starts in the heart, moves up to the ears and out the hands and feet!" May God bless you all. I look forward to working with each and every one of you this year.

Linda Smith

Executive Director

Volunteer Hours
1350

**We make a living by what we do,
we make a life by what we give – Winston Churchill**

Thrift Store News

Open Monday – Saturday
10am – 5pm

Quality new and used items all at

discount prices

Wacky Wednesday Sales

10% Senior discount every

Wednesday

½ off Book Saturdays

For every dollar spent at Bethel

5 pounds of food can be purchased

For a neighbor in need

Morrow Hall – President – Estancia United Methodist Church

Mateo Page – Vice President – Estancia Valley Catholic Parish

Joe B. Garcia – 2nd Vice President – Victory Faith Fellowship

Tricia Griffin – Treasurer – First Baptist Church of Estancia

Deborah Schuetzler – Secretary – Good Shepherd

Lutheran Church

Shari Anaya – Bethel United Methodist Church

Vince Bonino – East Mountain Vineyard Church

William Foster – Stanley Union Church

Donald Greene – East Mountain Cowboy Church

Joetta Harris – First Baptist Church of Moriarty

Michael O'Donnell – Estancia Valley Calvary Chapel

Evelyn Tucker – Community Church of the Sandia's

Melissa Tucker – Legacy Church

Deborah Zapata – East Mountain Assembly of God Church

Our Mission

Statement:

“To express the love of Christ in a tangible way

to those in need within our community.”

Officers

Morrow Hall- (President)	Estancia United Methodist Church	Donald Greene—East Mountain Cowboy Church
Mateo Page (Vice President)	Estancia Valley Catholic Parish	Vince Bonino-East Mountain Vineyard Church
Joe B. Garcia (2nd Vice-President)	Victory Faith Fellowship	William Foster-Stanley Union Church
Deborah Schuetzler (Secretary)	Good Shepherd Lutheran Church	Joetta Harris-First Baptist Church of Moriarty
Tricia Griffin (Treasurer)	First Baptist Church of Estancia	Michael O'Donnell-Estancia Valley Calvary Chapel
Linda Smith (Executive Director)	Victory Faith Fellowship	Evelyn Tucker-Community Church of the San-dia's
Members of the Board	Bethel United Methodist Church	Melissa Tucker-Legacy Church
Sharri Anaya		Deborah Zapata-East Mountain Assembly of God Church

Client Story

Dear Bethel, I just want to thank you all for all that you do, so much hard work. God has blessed you and in return, you relieve much anxiety regarding food. I care for 2 elderly people with dementia and 2 people with severe mental problems. Without your staffs help I wouldn't know there was so much love – it is all your love and peace that keeps me going. The love and peace you give us at such a hard time for these people in transition. It can come only from God through you that lifts me up so much. I love you all.



Announcements

Volunteer Orientation
Every Thursday 10am

Next Board Meeting
March 14th 6:30

9th Annual
Eggstravaganza
Begins March 11th

Start collecting
Easter baskets & candy
March 4th

Springtime Food Drive
Begins March 19th



Happy Birthday

John Sparks
Clifford Harris
Valerie Silva
Gloria Predika
Winnie Stewart

What's Happening at Bethel?

Presbyterian Healthcare services info
Monday 2/5 & 2/19 10:30 – 1
Presbyterian Behavioral Health
February 23, 10 - 1

Literacy Month kicks off March 2nd –
lots of books to buy!

Eat Smart Live Strong Classes - March 4, 11, 18 &
25 @ 11am

Free crafting classes – March 4, 11,
18 & 25 noon

Candle making, leather craft, macramé plant
hanger & dream catchers
Classes hosted by NMSU

Client Services January 2024

Total value of services given = \$16,979.47

Total # of people helped –2046 people =

734 families

Senior clients – 446 people

Disabled clients – 116 people

Children – 605 people

Homeless –24 people

Travelers – 1 person

Transients – 0 people

Total # of people for food – 1856 = 686 families

Purchased food –\$1731.30 on 10,124 pounds

Donated food – 47,106 pounds = \$11,776.50

Total food –57,230 pounds = \$13,507.80

Clothes – 460 people = 123 families = \$1734.17

Beanies, gloves & socks to 25 people = \$75.00

Coats – 240 people = \$431.50

Housewares/furniture – 54 families, 158 people =

\$768.50

Misc. items – 10 families, 39 people = \$73.50

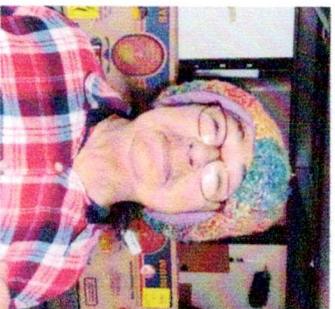
Pantry Misc. – 150 people = \$369.00

Gas Vouchers – 1 person = \$20.00

New Clients – 1833 people

Volunteer of the Month

Lorna Martinez



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Our Vision

Statement:

**“Loving God through
serving people”**

Smith's Rewards Program

Benefits Bethel:

Go to

[SmithsFoodandDrug.com/inspire](https://smithsfoodanddrug.com/inspire)

Link your Smith's rewards card to

Bethel#MT199

Every time you shop at Smith's

Bethel will receive 0.5%

Of your purchase

Vehicle Donation Program

Support YOUR local Food Pantry!

Donate your unwanted
vehicle

and help a neighbor in need

Doesn't run?

No problem!

It's fast, it's easy

It's tax deductible!

Call today to

schedule a pickup

505-832-6642

Community Donors

Bethel Global Methodist Church
woodsEnd

First Baptist Church of Estancia

Legacy Church, Inc.

Moriarty Church of Christ

New Beginnings

Community Church

Walmart

Smith's Food & Drug

Moriarty Foods

Albertson's #986

St Vincent De Paul

Dion's Pizza

Goodwill

Presbyterian Healthcare Services

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

United Way of North Central NM

Roadrunner Food Bank

Do You Need Help?

Do you know someone

who needs help?

Bethel can help!

We help our neighbors

in need

with groceries

Clothing & coats

Furniture & household items

Referrals and resources

To other agencies

Client Services is open

Tues. – Fri. noon to 3:45

ID & proof of residency

required

Bethel is an equal opportunity

provider

**BETHEL COMMUNITY
STOREHOUSE**

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E-mail: contact@bethelstorehouse.org

Thrift store hours: Monday through Saturday 10 am to 5 pm

Donation hours: Monday through Friday 9 am to 4:30 pm

Saturday 10 am to 4:30 pm

Client Services: Tuesday through Friday 12 noon to 3:45 pm

Vehicle Donation Program

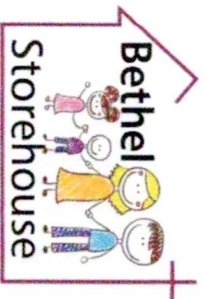
Donate your unwanted vehicle to Bethel's Vehicle Donation Program

Keep it local and help a neighbor in need

Call 832-6642 to schedule a pickup today!



Our web address:
www.bethelstorehouse.org



**“NEIGHBORS
HELPING
NEIGHBORS”**

Smith's Rewards Program

benefits Bethel!

Go to SmithsFoodandDrug.com/inspire

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