

Monthly News

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BETHEL COMMUNITY STOREHOUSE

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Dear Friend of the Bethel Community Storehouse,

I am writing to you today about our holiday giving appeal. It is the most important fundraising campaign we conduct all year.

For 38 years, the Bethel Community Storehouse (an interfaith community mission) has provided a variety of services to our neighbors in need all across the greater Estancia Valley/East Mountain area (18 communities). In 2024, we helped 20,532 people (7689 families). 6330 of these clients were children under the age of 18 and 4962 were seniors over the age of 60.

We are humbly asking for your help. 2025 has been a difficult year for so many people. As we head into the holiday season, our neighbors are facing more uncertainty and need on so many levels. The winter months are hard on families with the extra expense of the holiday, heating costs, the end of seasonal work and now extreme inflation. When winter sets in, some of our clients must choose between paying their utility bills or buying food or medicine. Bethel is expecting to help 4500 people over the next 2 months for the holiday season. We not only provide groceries, but also toys and Christmas stockings for the children. We will continue to help with warm clothing, coats, furniture and household items as well.

We are so honored to be able to help so many people. Serving up HOPE is what we do best! Please consider supporting our mission. Your generous donation is tax-deductible.

We kindly accept cash, check, card and PayPal on our

website: www.Bethelstorehouse.org.

Donations can also be mailed to: PO Box 968, Moriarty, NM 87035.

Sincerely, Linda Smith

Executive Director

Bethel Community Storehouse

How can I help, you may ask?

*Donate food – non perishable foods

Holiday foods, turkeys & hams

*Donate new toys

*Stuff stockings for a child in need

*Volunteer – orientation every Thurs. 10am

* Register your group or church to stuff stockings or host a food drive

*Shop in our fantastic thrift store

*Make a tax-deductible financial contribution

Volunteer Hours
1782



Our Mission Statement :

“To express the love of Christ in a tangible way to those in need within our community.”

2025 Board of Directors

Officers

Morrow Hall- (President)

Mateo Page (Vice President)

Joe B. Garcia (2nd Vice-President)

Donald Greene (Secretary)

Evelyn Tucker (Treasurer)

Linda Smith (Executive Director)

Members of the Board

Shari Anaya

Estancia United Methodist Church

Estancia Valley Catholic Parish

Victory Faith Fellowship

East Mountain Cowboy Church

Church of the Sandia's

Victory Faith Fellowship

Bethel Global Methodist Church

Jack Milohollin-Estancia Calvary Chapel

William Foster-Stanley Union Church

Joetta Harris-First Baptist Church of Moriarty

Michael O'Donnell-Estancia Valley Calvary Chapel

Melissa Tucker-Legacy Church

Deborah Zapata-East Mountain Assembly of God Church

Ted Grycel- Estancia Valley Christian Teen Center

Dan Bergman-Church of the Holy Cross

Mara Jazwieck-Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

Bethel's Holiday Happenings

Holiday Food & Turkey Drive

Operation Christmas Stocking

Pick stockings up at Bethel Fill & bring back for a Child in need

Stocking distribution begins Dec. 2nd

Holiday Toy Drive Begins Nov 15th

Christmas Toy distribution At the Lion's Club Dec. 19th, 10 – 4

Holiday Food distribution Every Tues. thru Fri noon to 3:45

Santa Day at Bethel!!! Santa arrives Dec 6th 1 – 3 Fun family day with Refreshments, Caroling, ornament decorating Special shopping

Small Business Saturday Sale November 29th 10-5

Smith's Rewards Program Benefits Bethel!

Go to

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



Announcements

Volunteer Orientation Every Thursday 10am

Next Board Meeting December 11th 6:30pm

Fresh local honey for sale Tues & Fri 11 – 1

Presbyterian Healthcare Insurance Info 11/10, 11/24 Mondays 11 – 2

Closed for Thanksgiving Nov. 27th

Volunteers needed

The Holidays have arrived !!!
Bethel is in need of extra helping hands
Food Pantry
Donation Intake
Sorting & stocking donations
Processing Holiday items
Must be 15 yrs & up
Volunteer orientation
Thursdays 10am
Or just come on in to help!
Bring a friend – it's fun!

Thrift Store news

The Holidays have arrived at Bethel!
Visit our Christmas Store décor, clothing, lights, greenery, trees, cards, gifts & more!
Open Monday – Saturday 10-5
Wacky Wednesday Sales
Senior Discount Day
½ off Book Saturday
Free Classes!!! November 17th
Cooking/Nutrition class 11-12
Crafting class (pine cone art) noon to 2



We would like to thank everyone who contributed to the “Challenge Grant”.
We hit the mark of raising \$20,000!
Now, the Carl C. Anderson and Marie Jo Anderson Charitable Foundation will match that challenge.
100% of the proceeds will go to purchasing food for our neighbors in need.

Community Donors

- General Mills
- Applied Materials
- Anderson Charitable Foundation
- Kroger Donations
- Lion's Club of Moriarty
- Tillery Chevrolet GMC
- Estancia Valley Catholic Parish
- East Mountain Vineyard Church
- United Way of North Central NM
- WalMart
- Smith's Food & Drug
- Moriarty Foods
- Albertson's #986
- Food 4 Free Albuq.
- St Vincent De Paul Moriarty
- Roadrunner Food Bank
- Presbyterian Healthcare
- Nielson Rating Group
- Aging & Long Term Care
- Help NM
- Friends of the Estancia Valley Animals
- East Mountain Cowboy Church
- Moriarty Church of Christ
- SK Ranch LLC.
- Legacy Church, Inc.
- First Baptist Church of Estancia
- Bethel Global Methodist Church
- Fellow Laborers with Christ
- Foundation for Sustainable Living
- Renovar Energy
- Southwest Propane
- 344 Storage LLC
- Dion's Pizza
- Vitalant

World Kindness day!
Your kindness matters!



Volunteer of the Month

RV Sales Team!

Another safe & successful Trick or Treat

Trailer to Trailer event!

Thank you for another great event blessing our community

350 pounds of food and \$1280.00 donated

Do You need Help?

Need help for the holidays?

Rising grocery store prices

Affecting Your budget?

Bethel can help!

We provide approx. a weeks worth of groceries including holiday foods

We also have food for your fur babies!

We help with winter clothing, coats, furniture & household items too!

Client Services is open

Tuesday thru Friday noon to 3:45

ID & proof of residency is required

Bethel is an equal opportunity

Provider

Our Vision Statement:

“Loving God through serving people”

Bethel has a blogger!
 Go to <https://liveandlearnnm.blogspot.com>
 learn more about us

Client Services October 2025

Total value of services given = \$82,009.25

Total # of people helped –2109 people = 719 families

Senior clients – 452 people

Disabled clients – 87 people

Children – 566 people

Homeless –15 people

Travelers – 1 person

Transients – 1 person

Total # of people for food – 1873 = 661 families

Purchased food –13,150 pounds = \$11,846.80

Donated food – 60,610 pounds = \$67,277.10

Total food –61,916 pounds = \$79,123.90

Clothes – 455 people = 115 families = \$1408.10

Coats – 191 people = \$338.75

Housewares/furniture – 31 families, 99 people = \$458.50

Pantry Misc. – 71 people = \$680.00

New Clients – 134 people

We are neighbors helping neighbors together!

**BETHEL COMMUNITY
STOREHOUSE**

PO Box 968
1719 4th St
Moriarty NM 87035
Phone: 505.832.6642
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

Link your Smith’s rewards
card to [Bethel#MT199](https://twitter.com/Bethel#MT199)

Every time you shop at Smith’s,
Bethel will receive 0.5% of your
purchase!

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