

SPREAD JOY
THIS CHRISTMAS SEASON
AND CHANGE A LIFE

THANK YOU FOR
SUPPORTING COMMUNITY
SEEDS AND THE HUNT
COUNTY PROGRAM
RECIPIENTS

JOY TO THE
HUNT

SPONSORSHIP
PROGRAM



ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BANQUET
DRIVE-THRU 2020
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3RD
Begins at 6:00 PM

Spread Joy this Christmas Season; Sow Hope for a Lifetime

Dear Leader,

No family should be cold during the winter. No person should go without food, clothing or needed prescriptions. Not one individual should go without financial assistance during times of crisis, nor without education and support to overcome over their desperate circumstances. When a family or person falls into critical need, it often means life has derailed, and many are unable to get their lives back on track to independence without much-needed support.

My name is Bertram Cooper, and I am the Executive Director for Community Seeds. We are your community neighbor who provides resources to people in critical need as well as support services to help them achieve self-sufficient and healthy lives in the long term. This year alone, we have already served more than 10,000 people in Hunt County and the surrounding region. People sometimes travel an hour one way seeking assistance from our organization.

Community Seeds was founded by the Ministerial Alliance of Lone Oak as a collaborative "feet-on-the-ground" organization to provide life-changing help to people in need in Hunt County and beyond. Community Seeds' services include:

- **FOOD** — Free food every day for people in crisis
- **FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE** — Emergency rent, emergency transitional housing, and utilities assistance
- **EDUCATION** — GED classes, welding classes, Certified Nurses Aide (CNA) program, life skills training, and counseling to support self-sufficiency and healthy lives

This year has been an exceptional challenge to our organization as we work hours on end to meet a marked increase in needs with ever-depleting financial resources. A significant portion of our funding is derived from event supporters and donors like you. ALL of our annual fund-raising events have been cancelled due to COVID-19 related concerns. Yet, people seeking help continue coming to us in increasing numbers. **Community Seeds needs your support to meet the critical needs of our community and to offer hope to the many who are living in desperation.**

HOW CAN YOU HELP? Become a *Joy to the World* event sponsor and provide hope.

Your participation means food, education, and financial assistance for others. This annual fundraising banquet grows in attendance each year as more than 350 guests enjoy a giant portion of prime rib with all the fixings, entertainment, and testimonials from some of our program recipients. This year, we are hosting a similar drive-through banquet. Attendees will enjoy the traditional prime rib dinner packed to go, as well as messages of joy and hope through a glistening Christmas light display. Some of our program recipients will be there to greet you, and all of them thank you in advance for helping through your sponsorship.

Blessings to you,
Bertram Cooper

Joy to the World Sponsorship Packages

CORPORATE SEEDS Sponsor Package - \$10,000

- 56 Prime rib dinner tickets
- Event signage (4)
- Event Radio Announcements (7-10)
- Logo and Tagline in Program (2)
- Corporate/Personal name on Door at RCFH—1 Year
- 2 Scholarships for Welding Class presented to recipients in your name (Spring/Fall 2021 School Year)
- ID in Incubator Kitchen/Country Store
- Prominent Website Banner

SOWER Sponsorship Package—\$7,500

- 48 Prime rib dinner tickets
- Event signage (2)
- Event Radio Announcements (7-10)
- Logo in Program
- Corporate/Personal name on Door at Roy Clayton Freedom House—1 Year
- 1 Scholarship for Welding Class (Spring 2021 School Year)

GREEN THUMB Sponsorship Package - \$5,000

- 24 Prime rib dinner tickets
- Event signage (1)
- Event Radio Announcements (3-5)
- Logo in Program
- On-ground light display sponsored by you

MUSTARD SEED Sponsorship Package - \$2,500

- 12 Prime rib dinner tickets
- Event signage (1)
- Event Radio Announcements (3-5)
- Mention in Program
- On-ground light display sponsored by you



PRIME RIB STEAKS ARE A GENEROUS SERVING

Approx. 1/2+ lb serving with all the fixings prepared by Smokin' Joe's from Davis, Oklahoma

Thank you to Prime Rib Dinner
Sponsor, Eddie Payne

INDIVIDUAL TICKETS - \$75 EACH

FAITH Sponsorship for Churches & Nonprofits - \$1,500

- 8 Prime Rib Dinner Tickets
- On-ground light display sponsored by your nonprofit or church including one of these themes (first-come, first-served):
• LOVE, JOY, PEACE, PATIENCE, GOODNESS, KINDNESS, GENTLENESS, FAITHFULNESS