

# NEWSLETTER

#### **STAFF UPDATES**

We recently have had a new staff member join the Good News Outreach team. Malik Ready is our new Food Program Coordinator, and we are very thankful for our new addition!



FOOD PROGRAM COORDINATOR MALIK I. READY Hello! I'm Anna Pulsifer, an intern here at Good News Outreach. For a couple months, I will be the one creating these newsletters. I have been interning here for about 2 months and I so far love this organization. I am blessed by all of the things I have already learned from interning here.

### **PROGRAM UPDATES**

The food program had been lively the last year, and we hope our impact through the food pantry continues. We look forward to the rest of the New Year in hope of the influence we will make through our food and housing programs, along with the other services we provide.

## LAST YEAR'S HOLIDAY EVENTS

At the end of last year during the holidays we hosted some events for families in need to provide an opportunity for community and for us to give back. In November, we had of "The real Boston Richey" come back into his hometown and donate and bless us with over 200 turkeys! He stayed there during the drive and assisted in handing them out. In about an hour, we were out of turkeys! So thankful for his giving.



### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

- February 10th Volunteer & Board appreciation @5:30pm
- February 14th Food Locker Ribbon Cutting @11pm



In December, with the help of Safe Families for Children, we hosted a Christmas dinner for the residents of Maryland Oaks Crossing at the community center. It was a small showing, but the spirit was jolly. Families got to enjoy an Olive Garden dinner provided by Safe Families for Children, and any children got to choose toys to bring home as a Christmas gift. Along with that we hosted another Christmas party for residents of Mercy House right here at Good News Outreach.

We hope for the same and even more of the impact through our upcoming events!