GRATEFUL THROUGH IT ALL:
Makane is especially thankful for YOU!
Your compassion & support change lives.

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Makane was a hardworking and devoted husband and father. Then, one day, without warning, his wife asked him to leave. He was devastated. “I didn’t understand why. I still don’t know.”

As if his emotional pain weren’t enough, Makane found himself homeless, struggling to survive. “I lived on the streets for almost a month,” he says. “I was so stressed.”

Then he learned about the Mission and came to stay as an Overnight Guest. “They welcomed me and gave me a bed, a place to shower and food every day,” he says. “In the winter, they gave me a jacket, sweaters and shoes – everything I needed.”

Makane is a day laborer and, with his physical needs met, he was able to go back to work and provide for his two beloved children. They call every day to see how their father is doing, and he makes sure they have everything they need and that they know how much they’re loved. “I visit them and buy them groceries, or we go out to dinner and we talk and talk,” he says.

Meanwhile, through Bible studies, chapel services and the support of our loving staff, Makane is growing spiritually and healing emotionally. “The Mission gave me a Bible, and pastors preach every night so I get to hear the Word of God,” he says. “And if I have a problem, I talk to the staff. Now I feel really good.”

Makane pays a small fee to stay at the Mission. He hopes to find affordable housing where his children can stay but, until then, he has everything he needs to take care of himself and provide for his family.

As Makane celebrates this Thanksgiving, he feels incredibly thankful for your compassion and support – and how it’s given him a fresh start in life. “The Mission gave me a bed, food, clothes, everything I needed to put my life back together.”
GIVING THANKS FOR ALL GOD’S BLESSINGS

It might surprise you that in another year filled with hardships and uncertainty, the overwhelming messages I hear are ones of gratitude and hope.

Despite the challenges we still face as a community – or perhaps because of them – we remain connected to each other in a spirit of love and generosity. Your care and compassion have never been more evident here at Bread of Life Mission than right now, as we prepare for the Thanksgiving season.

You have stepped up to help our hurting neighbors as God has called us to do. Provided nourishing meals. Safe shelter. Life-restoring guidance. More than that, you’ve prayed for our ministry and guests. Encouraged others to join our mission to transform lives. Your love has made it possible for hearts to be restored and lives rebuilt. Now that’s something to celebrate!

As we count our blessings this Thanksgiving, you and other faithful friends are at the top of my list. As you enjoy the holiday season with your loved ones, both near and far away, I pray God will fill your heart with joy, peace and the comfort of knowing that lives have been changed thanks to your kindness.

I am grateful for you... today and every day. God bless!

Willie Parish Jr.
President

2021 THANKSGIVING CAMPAIGN

It’s been another challenging year for so many of our neighbors...

19,906 Meals Needed by Thanksgiving

Many of our neighbors are still struggling... trying to get back on their feet... trying not to lose hope. Today, YOU can help them!

For just $2.33, you can provide a nourishing meal for a hungry neighbor this Thanksgiving season. And that meal opens the door to so much more...

- Safe, welcoming shelter
- Warm clothing, coats & shoes
- Classes & job training to help them get back on their feet after another tough year
- A chance to experience God’s love that changes lives

YOUR GIFT WILL MAKE AN IMPACT!

Please – help us be ready to serve thousands of meals to our homeless and hurting neighbors during the busy holiday season!

Rush your 2021 Thanksgiving Campaign gift today.

☐ Give now using the enclosed reply card and envelope.
☐ Give online anytime at BreadofLifeMission.org.

READ MAKANE’S STORY TO LEARN MORE!
OUR THANKSGIVING NEEDS LIST

There’s still so much to do to get ready for the Thanksgiving season! Please consider shopping or hosting a food drive for these critically-needed items.

- Turkeys
- Hams
- Stuffing mix
- Cream of mushroom soup
- Milk
- Dinner rolls
- Recyclable cups and napkins
- Fresh vegetables: carrots, celery, onions, potatoes
- Hamburger patties
- Apple, sweet potato & pecan pies
- Hot cocoa
- Apple & orange juice

Drop off your donations at Bread of Life Mission at 97 S Main Street, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday – Friday.

Thank you for helping!

Willie, I want to share food and care with my neighbors in need. Here’s my Thanksgiving gift of:

- $20.97 to feed & care for 9 people
- $51.26 to feed & care for 22 people
- $74.56 to feed & care for 32 people
- $90.87 to feed & care for 39 people
- $_______ to help as much as possible

When you become a Hope Partner, you help provide the funds we rely on to feed, shelter and care for our most vulnerable neighbors all year long.

To learn more, visit our website and click on What You Can Do, then Hope Partner Program. Or contact Julie Quinsay at (206) 682-3579, ext. 106 or julieq@breadoflifemission.org.

Thank you for your commitment to share your blessings with those in need!

Become a SOURCE OF HOPE

Our Hope Partners are a group of compassionate friends who give to the Mission each month, creating a steady source of support for our programs that save and transform lives here in Seattle. Please prayerfully consider joining this vital group!

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