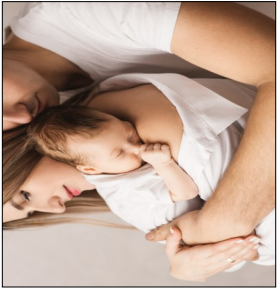




Children are a gift from the LORD; they are a reward from him.

Psalms 127:3 New Living Translation



Monthly gift _____ One time donation _____ Other _____

Credit card Payment: Visa or Mastercard _____

Card #: _____ * This is a gift in memory of _____

CVV #: _____ Expiration Date: _____ * This gift is in honor of (name and occasion) _____

Signature _____ Address _____

Please mail this slip back with your gift or payment method.

Please make checks payable to Christian Life Ministries.



Pray.
Volunteer.
Donate.



Thank you, volunteers, for your dedication and hard work. And thanks be to God for blessing New Day Thrift Store with faithful volunteers, merchandise donations, and many customers.

If you are interested in becoming a volunteer in the Thrift Store, please contact the New Day central office at 651-649-3538.

Thrift Store Surpasses Sales Goal

During the first half of 2024, God blessed the Thrift Store with 37 volunteers working between 500-699 hours each month. Volunteers cleaned, sorted, priced and displayed new merchandise, giving customers an ever-changing selection of quality merchandise. The store surpassed its monthly sales goal in six of the last seven months!



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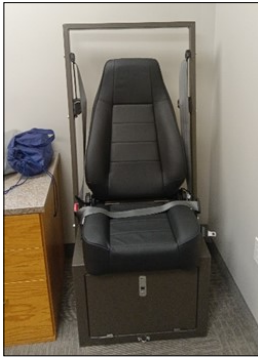
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New Car Seat Simulator Enhances Car Seat Program

New Day Center was able to purchase a Car Seat Training Simulator earlier this year with a grant from Roseville Area Community Foundation. This portable hands-on training aid includes various safety belt systems found in vehicles today with the purpose of training parents on how to properly install their new infant/child car seat. The training seat is used indoors, independent of the client's automobile. Gone are the days when car seat installation was demonstrated outdoors in winter weather and in the busy Thrift Store parking lot!



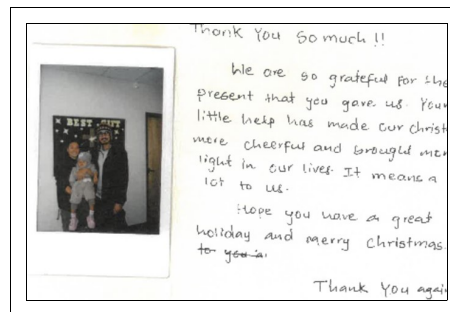
The parent first learns to install their child's new car seat and then properly buckles their child into the seat. If the child is not available, the client demonstrates with one of New Day's child-sized dolls.

Adopt a Family 2024 Seeks Sponsors

This holiday season, please consider adopting one of the New Day families. You may do this individually, as a family, or as part of your church or ladies' group. The process is simple. Notify the New Day office that you would like to participate in Adopt a Family and be paired with a needy family. You will receive a list of items that the family needs. You shop, gift wrap, and drop off the gifts at the New Day office before Christmas. When the family stops at the office to pick up their gifts, we take a picture and they write a note of thanks to you, the giver.

Raices y Ramas has a slightly different Christmas gift program. You purchase gift cards in designated amounts from two different stores. You "wrap" the gift cards in a Christmas card that you purchase and sign. When the family picks up their Christmas card containing the gift cards at the office, they write a thank you note and we take a picture. Or if you would rather, you may donate money to RyR and staff will purchase the gift cards.

Deadline to participate in Adopt a Family is October 25. To ask a question or to participate, please call the New Day office at 651-649-3538 or email office@clmonline.org.



Center Adopts New Program Guidelines

New Day Center has unfortunately not found the part time Client Services Mentor for which we prayed and advertised. As a result, we recently modified program guidelines to allow us to accept new clients while continuing to serve existing clients. New guidelines require that when a family's youngest child is fully potty trained or reaches 4 years of age, that family will graduate from the program. This age limit coincides with preschool entry and access to public school pre-kindergarten services. Of course, the love of Jesus will always compel us to assist any family that comes to our door with immediate physical needs.

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