



# MCC Material Resource Center of Harleysville



You can partner with us to respond to crises around the globe

## \$28

provides 10 hygiene kits

## \$54

provides 10 school kits

## \$94

provides 4 relief kits

Your donations will provide relief and a tangible sign of hope to people facing difficult situations around the world.

Newsletter  
Fall 2022



## Unique ways of supporting MRC

➤ The Rich and Rose Longacre family gathered their friends and family at Finland Mennonite Church (photo, above) to pack MCC hygiene kits in honor of granddaughter Paige Wint's birthday, at Paige's request. Many people benefited from this event!

➤ Plains Mennonite Church had a summer reading program that produced school kits. Participants read books throughout the summer, earning



1 school kit for reading 5 books. Other church members sponsored school kits by providing the funds to purchase school kits supplies. The Sunday School classes packed the school kits during the beginning Sunday of the new school year.

➤ Over 4 days in April and May, volunteers packed 5,000 relief kits for distribution by MCC in places of need. Relief kits have recently been sent to Cuba, Haiti, Honduras, Iraq, Jordan, Syria, Ukraine and Zambia. Relief kits were packed instead of doing meat canning due to Covid 19 restrictions.



## MRC Totals

In 2021 the following items were collected and sent to MCC for distribution to people in need around the world:

Comforters	1,234
Dignity Kits	50
Grocery Bags	80
Hygiene Kits	1,600
Infant Care Kits	363
Prisoner Care Kits	72
Relief Kits	5,880
School Kits	880

Income	2021
Income Contributions	\$161,314.42
Warehouse/Recycling	\$183,105.66
Gift Shop Sales	\$24,120.71
My Coins Count	\$7,366.44
Rag/Sewing Sales	\$8,259.23
Investment Income	\$77,322.97
Total Income	\$461,489.43

Expenses	
Business Expenses	\$133,398.55
Project Supplies	\$124,643.76
Facilities Expenses	\$27,797.14
Total Expenses	\$285,839.45

Donations	
Donations to MCC	\$79,720.00
Other Donations	\$6,000.00

<b>Net Income</b>	<b>\$89,929.98</b>
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## Comforter Blitz

Come and prepare warm blankets for people in need of warmth and comfort.  
Monday, October 17 from 9 am until 7 pm. Call 267-203-8074 for more information.



## Meat Canning - Volunteers Needed

Meat Canning will return to MCC Material Resource Center  
March 27-29, 2023. More information will be coming.

## Sewists Needed



Sew dignity kit pad holders, at home or at MRC. Some sewing experience helpful.

**Please call 267-203-8074 if you have some time to volunteer each week. Volunteer opportunities include warehouse work, helping with comforter knotting, quilting, cutting fabric for bags, rags and comforter patches.**

**Christmas OPEN HOUSE**

Thursday, December 1, 9 AM - 8 PM  
Friday, December 2, 9 AM - 8 PM  
Saturday, December 3, 9 AM - 5 PM  
December 5-10, 9 AM - 6 PM

**Shop for unique handmade and re-purposed items.  
Great for gifting.  
All proceeds benefit Mennonite Central Committee**

**DARNING EGG GIFTS**

737 Hagey Center Dr., Unit C, Souderton, PA 18964  
Regular Hours: M-Th 9-3:00, Fri. 9-1:00

## Whack and Roll Winners

Andrew Derstine (photo, left) and Justin Burkholder brought home first place winnings at the June Whack 'n Roll tournament at Mennonite Heritage Center. Winnings were used to purchase relief kit supplies.



## How can you help?

Individuals or organizations can purchase items and assemble kits according to the specifications outlined by MCC. The cloth bags for the kits are made at the MCC Material Resource Center of Harleysville. They are available free of charge by calling the office.

**Your financial donation helps people in need around the world. Please donate to MRC today!**

Here is my gift of \$ \_\_\_\_\_  \$25  \$50  \$100  \$250  \$500  \$1000

**to provide relief, development and peace in the name of Christ. All contributions are tax deductible.**

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Mennonite Central Committee

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