

## **Family Promise Update**

“Believing that every child deserves a home, Family Promise exists to provide temporary shelter for homeless families in Brevard County so that they can achieve lasting independence”.

Busy month this month! We have begun work on two fundraisers, one of which will more than likely be our MAJOR fundraiser. Our 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Golf Scramble to be held on November 10<sup>th</sup> at IRCC private Golf Course. Lovi was able to procure a donation of a NEW golf cart as a prize for a hole in one on the sixth hole. A flyer was created with all pertinent info and was distributed among the group for distribution. Chiffone could use some help with this on the day of...all kinds of jobs to be done.. so let her know if you are interested in helping!

Another fundraiser is the UNO's Dough Raiser on October 19<sup>th</sup>. This is the Uno's located in Viera. We receive a percentage of the proceeds from the dine-in and take-out orders that night. Flyers for this event were handed out to core members, and are still available for anyone who needs them, it is suggested to hand them out to everyone you know and make them available at your churches. This promises to be an exciting and fun evening. Talk to Chiffone for more info on ways you can help out the night of the event.

Now for some really GREAT news!!! We have our \*\*\*TENTH\*\*\* host church!! A huge welcome to United Methodist Church of Melbourne!! We are glad to have you aboard! Folks, that means we only need TWO MORE churches to commit to being host churches!! Surely, between all of us, we can come up with another two churches.

More GREAT news!! A van has been donated to Grace Fellowship by one of its members, which, in turn, will be given to Family Promise to be used as transportation to get the families back and forth to the Day Center and the host churches and the children to school. We are **SO CLOSE**, folks!! Money is our biggest adversary right now, so let's get on the stick and bring that money in!!

Finally, we are asking all host churches to let us know whether or not they have shower facilities available at their host site, in case we need an alternate site for the Day Center before renovations are completed. You can contact anyone on the Board with this information and we will forward it to the Day Center committee.

Want to find out how you can help Family Promise? Come to our monthly meeting on **October 15<sup>th</sup> at Grace Fellowship Church at 3420 Murrell Rd in Rockledge 6:00 pm** Orientation for the Curious; Welcome to stay for the regular meeting 6:30 – 7:30. Come be a part of this exciting Mission!

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