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DEER PARK BAPTIST CHURCH

ACTS 1:8
Impact Report 2025

DEER PARK FOOD PANTRY

2,4928
INDIVIDUALS SERVED

**Representing
Over 1,000
Families!**

A.C. Corcoran Elementary Partnership

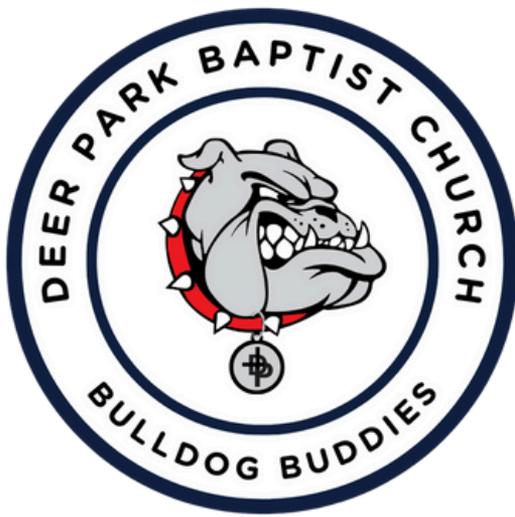
Deer Park Baptist Church has committed to partner with A.C. Corcoran Elementary School as a primary means of connecting to our community. In order to support teachers in 2025, Deer Park provided meals to teachers during teacher appreciation week and prior to Christmas break. We have also been able to support the staff by providing a birthday card and cupcakes for everyone each month. Deer Park also provides snacks and drinks to provide an occasional “pick me up” for teachers.

In addition to supporting teachers and staff, Deer Park aims to support children and families by helping meet hunger needs through the backpack buddies program which sends food home with children over weekends and breaks when they do not have access to the school cafeteria for breakfast and lunch. Deer Park also helps sponsor the Trunk, Treat, and Read and Angel Tree programs at the school.

The last several years, the FoodShare ministry has grown organically to help provide access to groceries (including food and hygiene items as well as clothing) to families by invitation once each month.

Please continue to pray for A.C. Corcoran Elementary and all of the staff, students, and families!





60

**CHILDREN RECEIVED FOOD FOR
WEEKENDS/BREAKS THROUGH
BACKPACK BUDDIES**

160

**OCCASIONS FAMILIES
WERE ABLE TO SHOP FOR
GROCERIES AT NO COST
THROUGH DEER PARK
FOODSHARE**

25

**CHILDREN RECEIVED
CHRISTMAS GIFTS
THROUGH ANGEL TREE**

24

**FAMILIES RECEIVED
HOLIDAY FOOD**

Back to School Bash

Over the past ten years, it has been amazing to watch God work through our school partnership with A. C. Corcoran Elementary.

The journey has evolved from offering small gifts of encouragement to teachers to establishing a substantial hunger ministry that serves families in need, alongside more focused outreach initiatives to both families and staff.

Opportunities increased greatly as we learned to listen before responding. For example, a child shared with staff that there was no food at home; his family tried not to eat too much when their mother used her card, but food always ran out before his Mom's card worked again. This interaction inspired FoodShare, held on the third Sunday of the month to help bridge monthly gaps.

When a child was observed hurriedly cleaning and licking his tray, checking revealed the child lived in a hotel without transportation to attend FoodShare. Limited deliveries to those most in need are now a regular part of FoodShare. Backpack Buddies continues to provide weekend food.

After a few children arrived at school wrapped in blankets on frigid mornings, we began recycling coats, which grew in a children's clothing ministry.

The Back to School bash provided needed items, but the highlight was prayer with 24+ family members, along with the Bibles and gospel materials taken. Bibles and other literature are available and taken regularly through FoodShare.

New opportunities to meet needs and share Christ with families are increasing as relationships are built. This year, increased collaboration with community partners is allowing us to extend our reach into the community.

Opportunities abound as we strive to listen and focus on God's leading in responding to the school and community needs.



A photograph of a man in a blue t-shirt and a woman in a plaid shirt with a headscarf, both looking towards each other in conversation. The image is overlaid with a semi-transparent blue filter.

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Annie Armstrong
Easter Offering



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Send Relief Serve Tour: Columbia, SC



Deer Park sent a team to Columbia, SC on Saturday 23 to help with a block party for Springdale Baptist Church. Our team helped set up tents and chairs, served food, played games, and helped with blood pressure screenings. Everything we did was in partnership with Send Relief and thousands of Southern Baptists from across the country as many projects and outreach events took place in Columbia!



Puerto Rico Mission Trip Recap

Our team had the privilege of serving in Ponce, Puerto Rico from June 14–20. We spent the week living and serving at the Send Relief Ministry Center in Ponce.

Over four long workdays, our team power-washed, scraped, and resealed Margarita's concrete roof, repainted the entire exterior of her home, and cleaned up and landscaped her yard. It was a labor of love, and we were blessed to present Margarita with a large print Spanish Bible, a gift that brought her to joyful tears.

In addition to the work project, we also spent time prayer walking through the neighborhood, where we shared Scripture, prayed with people, and, despite our limited Spanish, were able to share the Gospel and God's love with several individuals.

My team worked together to help a family fix their house, but in the middle of our busy days we also had several opportunities to share Christ with the homeowner throughout the week. We went on a prayer walk in the neighborhood one morning before starting work on the house.

I can apply this concept at home as well. For example, if I have a few minutes at work to talk with a coworker in the break room, I can tell them about Jesus. I can also share Jesus at school; I never know if the person sitting to my left or right knows about Him.

-Ruth Knotts





1,289

SHOEBOXES PACKED

**SHOEBOXES FROM DEER
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TO COLUMBIA, HONDURAS,
AND OTHER SENSITIVE
COUNTRIES.**





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