



General Conference of Disciples Men

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The General Conference of Disciples Men Executive Committee hopes that your men's group will consider hosting such an event to help these mission centers. As you can see, they all provide assistance and help within their communities.

To receive the *Disciples Men Cookin' for Mission* promotional kit please contact the Office of Disciples Men at odm@dhm.disciples.org or (888) 346-2631.

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Disciples Men Cookin' for Mission

Program Information



Cookin' Details

For years, the International Day of Pancakes has been a successful vehicle to pair up Disciples Men's groups from across the country to projects that will directly impact the lives of children across our denomination. Disciples Men have answered the call to get involved in children's lives to make a difference.

Now the Disciples Men are responding to another much needed call. Due to financial limitations, Disciples Home Missions has been forced to eliminate the funding that partially supported the budgets of four missions centers. The centers that have been greatly affected by this cutback are: Yakama Christian Mission center in White Swan, Washington; Inman Christian Mission Center in San Antonio, Texas; All Peoples Christian Center in Los Angeles and the Kentucky Appalachian Ministry.

The Executive Committee of the General Conference of Disciples Men, in February of 2008, voted to approve a transformation of this vital program and the distribution of funds.

Beginning in 2009 all funds collected from the Disciples Men Cookin' for Mission will be distributed to all four of the mission centers previously mentioned.

Since all four mission centers directly affect the children who live in these areas, the basic purpose of the program will not change, only how the funds are distributed. Pancake breakfasts are recommended, but not essential. Your local men's group can choose to have a fish fry, pig roast, yard sale or even a ham and yam dinner. Be creative in how your group raises money.

All monies received January 1 through December 31 will be distributed the following year.

Mission Center Information

The mission of the *Yakama Christian Mission* is to be a visible sign of God's presence, by offering gifts of love and ministry to all who seek spiritual nurture and support. Ministry of the mission is accomplished through worship, pastoral care, and its program ministries. Program ministries with children are a high priority of the mission and include Christian education, with an extensive Vacation Bible School for the children in the community, and recreation using the new basketball courts and playground.



Through the work of Dr. Samuel Guy Inman, Christian Woman's Board of Missions of the Christian Church founded *Inman Christian Center* in 1913. A neighborhood based Community Center, Inman seeks to serve the needs of low-income children and families who live near the Center and around the Westside of San Antonio.



The mission of *All Peoples Christian Center* is to continue to provide a broad spectrum of social services to all, regardless of faith or race, and to empower the community to meet its needs by promoting equality, unity, respect and self determination among all who participate in its programs.

Kentucky Appalachian Ministry works to develop specific ways the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) can join with other denominations in regional ecumenical ministry; discover ways to relate to the special social and economic needs of Kentucky Appalachian people as they work together in church and community-based Organizations; and to serve the wide church by sharing distinctive gifts and experiences from the people and congregations of the area.

