



# *The Salvation Army*



## *Come Join Our Army*



*Annual Report  
Fiscal Year 2008*

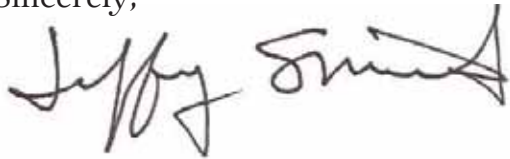
*Come join our Army to battle we go.  
Jesus will help us to conquer the foe.  
Fighting for right and opposing the wrong.  
The Salvation Army is marching along.*

The song quoted above was penned by William James Pearson in the late 19th century. It captured the imagination of early Salvationists as they engaged their mission to do battle against injustice, poverty and spiritual darkness. It still rings true today in the hearts of thousands of people in Kansas City alone. Today's Salvation Army is still in the fight.

On the pages of the calendar that follows, you will see portrayed some of the "battlefields" where we are fighting. Today, the soldiers and officers of the Army fight alongside faithful volunteers, advisors and donors. This report is both an accounting of our work in the past and an invitation to you to join the battle in the future.

To those who have stood with us in the fight – Thank you! To those still on the sideline – Come join our Army!

Sincerely,



Major Jeff Smith  
Divisional Commander



# SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT



*E*nslaved by addiction, lost souls find new life at The Salvation Army. Our substance abuse treatment centers emphasize spiritual regeneration and rehabilitation. Patients are treated in a safe, supportive environment and are empowered to break the chains of addiction and reclaim their lives.



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*Martin Luther King Jr. Day*

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# COMPASSIONATE CARE



*T*he Salvation Army endeavors to bring spiritual light and love to our cherished senior population by providing a listening ear, a caring heart and a helping hand. We strive to ease the loneliness and isolation that envelop many in their twilight years, while reflecting the light of God's love.



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*Presidents Day*

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# MUSIC MINISTRY



*M*usic has played an important role in the Salvation Army ministry since the organization's early days in 19th century England. Throughout its history, Salvationists have used brass instruments to express the joys of their faith. Today, The Salvation Army continues to demonstrate God's love through music, inspiring hope and uplifting souls.

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*St. Patrick's Day*

*First Day of Spring*

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# SPIRITUAL MINISTRY

In 1865, William Booth, an ordained Methodist minister, formed The Salvation Army to preach God's word to the desperately poor in London, England. His ministry emphasized the importance of providing for one's physical needs as well as their spiritual needs. Today, The Salvation Army is saving lives, physically and spiritually, in 115 countries.



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*Palm Sunday*

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*Earth Day*

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# VOLUNTEERS

*T*here are few things more rewarding than giving of one's time to help others. Often referred to as "the army behind the Army", volunteers play a crucial role in our ability to help those in need in our communities. Salvation Army volunteers change lives and transform communities and in the process, enrich their own lives.



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# EMERGENCY DISASTER SERVICES

*T*he Salvation Army is often the first to respond when disaster strikes and the last to leave, honoring a century old commitment to help those in need, at the time of need and at the place of need. Our volunteers provide physical and spiritual comfort to those whose worlds are crumbling around them and help them put the pieces of their shattered lives back together.



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*Fathers Day*  
*First Day of Summer*

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## CAMPING

*F*or more than 100 years, The Salvation Army has embraced the restorative powers of nature. Camping frees youthful imaginations from the concrete, noise and crime of the big cities. It restores peace of mind and body to weary parents and gives elderly men and women an opportunity to rediscover pride and independence.



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# EARLY EDUCATION CENTERS

*T*he Salvation Army believes children are our country's most precious resource. Our early education centers inspire children to grow, learn and develop socially, emotionally, physically, intellectually and spiritually, while offering parents the peace of mind that their children are well cared for in a safe, loving environment.



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# HOMELESS SHELTERS

*T*he door is always open at The Salvation Army for the lost and forgotten members of our society. We offer not only a safe haven but hope for the future for individuals and families who turn to us in crisis, with no place to rest their heads. We help these individuals rebuild their lives and their hopes for the future.



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# CORRECTIONS MINISTRY

The Salvation Army seeks to break the cycle of crime by visiting, counseling and ministering to the incarcerated in our society. Through gentle mentoring and fellowship, we strive to illuminate a pathway leading toward positive and permanent change in each prisoner and provide them with hope for the future and their salvation.



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*Halloween*

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# FEEDING PROGRAMS

*I*t's a sad reality that in today's society, there are many who don't know where their next meal is coming from. From families struggling to make ends meet to the hardcore homeless living on the streets, we provide spiritual and physical sustenance to fill bodies and souls. By sharing our daily bread, we strive to meet today's needs and give hope for a better tomorrow.



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# CHRISTMAS ASSISTANCE

A close-up photograph of a hand holding a brass bell. The hand is positioned on the left side of the frame, with the thumb and index finger gripping the wooden handle of the bell. The bell is made of polished brass and has a flared, conical shape. The background is a plain, light-colored surface.

*T*he Salvation Army Bell Ringer is one of the most recognized and cherished symbols of the Christmas season. The many coins and dollar bills donated to the kettles each year bring help and hope to millions of individuals in need and bring the true spirit of the holiday season to life.



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*First Day of Winter*

*Christmas Day*

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*New Year's Eve*

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## *Service Unit Locations by County*

### KANSAS

Allen Co.-Iola

Anderson Co.-Garnett

Atchison Co. – Atchison, KS

Barber Co.-Medicine Lodge

Barton Co.-Hoisington

Barton Co.-Great Bend

Bourbon Co.-Ft. Scott

Brown Co.-Hiawatha

Chase Co.-Cottonwood Falls

Chautauqua Co.-Sedan

Cherokee Co.- Baxter Springs

Cheyenne Co.-St. Francis

Clark Co.-Ashland

Clay Co.-Clay Center

Cloud Co.-Concordia

Coffey Co.-Burlington

Comanche Co.-Coldwater

Decatur Co.-Oberlin

Dickinson Co.-Abilene

Doniphan Co.-Troy

Edwards Co.-Kinsley

Elk Co.-Howard

Ellis Co.-Hays

Ellsworth Co.-Ellsworth

Franklin Co.-Ottawa

Gaeary Co. Junction City

Gove Co.-Quinter

Graham Co.-Hill City

Grant Co.-Ulysses

Gray Co.-Cimarron

Greeley Co.-Tribune

Greenwood Co.-Eureka

Hamilton Co.-Syracuse

Harper Co.-Anthony

Harper Co.-Harper

Harvey Co.-Newton

Haskell Co.-Sublette

Hodgeman Co.-Jetmore

Jackson Co.-Holton

Jefferson Co.-Oskaloosa

Jewell Co.-Mankato

Kearney Co.-Lakin

Kingman Co.-Kingman

Kiowa Co.-Greensburg

Labette Co.-Parsons

Lane Co.-Dighton

Lincoln Co.-Lincoln

Linn Co.-Mound City

Logan Co.-Oakley

McPherson Co.-McPherson

Marion Co.-Hillsboro

Marshall Co.-Marysville

Meade Co.-Meade

Miami Co.-Paola

Miami Co.-Osawatomie

Mitchell Co.-Beloit

Montgomery Co. – Coffeyville, KS

Morris Co.-Council Grove

Morton Co.-Elkhart

Nemaha Co.-Sabetha

Neosho Co.-Chanute

Ness Co.-Ness City

Norton Co.-Norton

Osage Co.-Osage City

Osborne Co.-Osborne

Ottawa Co.-Minneapolis

Pawnee Co.-Larned

Phillips Co.-Phillipsburg

Pottawatomie Co.-Wamego

Pratt Co.-Pratt

Rawlins Co.-Atwood

Republic Co.-Belleville

Rice Co.-Lyons

Rice Co.-Sterling

Rooks Co.-Stockton

Rush Co.-La Crosse

Russell Co.-Russell

Scott Co.-Scott City

Seward Co.-Liberal

Sheridan Co.-Hoxie

Sherman Co.-Goodland

Smith Co.-Smith Center

Stafford Co.-St. John

Stanton Co.-Johnson

Stevens Co.-Hugoton

Sumner Co.-Wellington

Thomas Co.-Colby

Trego Co.-Wakeeney

Waubunsee Co.-Alma

Wallace Co.-Sharon Springs

Washington Co.-Washington

Wichita Co.-Leoti

Wilson Co.-Fredonia

Woodson Co.-Yates Center

### MISSOURI

Andrew Co.-Savannah

Atchison Co.-Rock Port

Holt Co.-Mound City

Nodaway Co.-Maryville

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Dodge City, KS 67801  
(620) 225-4871  
Captains Joaquin & Gabriela Rangel

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El Dorado, KS 67042  
(316) 321-4070  
Captains Richard & Melody Hamelund

Emporia, KS  
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Emporia, KS 66801  
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Captains Jeremiah & Hope Burris

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Aux. Captains Craig & Louise Lurtz

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Hutchinson, KS 67501  
(620) 663-3353  
Captains Daniel & Mary Burris

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Lawrence, KS 66044  
(785) 843-4188  
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Leavenworth, KS 66048  
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Manhattan, KS 66502  
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