

Manuelito Navajo Children's Home

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Winter 2026

From the desk of..... Jim Christian, Executive Director

Unlike most of the country, our Winter has been rather mild. We've seen single digits a few times but not much snow. The kids are still able to get outside and enjoy the sunshine.

While we've gone through some staffing changes recently, we are blessed to have two full time sets of house parents and a third house open for relief. We still have openings for two more sets of house parents.

If you feel that serving through working with children might be for you please reach out and let's discuss the possibilities of you joining the team here at Manuelito.

Manuelito Navajo Children's Home does not receive government funding, we are completely funded by individuals and churches. We appreciate your continued support and encourage you to consider remembering us in your will. We occasionally are benefactors of an estate and that really helps us keep the doors open serving through needy children in our area.

Sincerely,
Jim Christian



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Christmas morning blanket party!



Collin working in the shop



Collin and Quintin on the court

Pantry Needs

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|------------------------|--|
| Salad Dressing | Trash Bags: |
| Ketchup | 33 Gallon |
| Mustard | 13 Gallon |
| Sugar | 4 Gallon |
| Gatorade Mix | 2 Gallon |
| Lemonade Mix | Aluminum Foil |
| Kool-Aid | Parchment Paper |
| Hot Chocolate | Baking Soda |
| Chocolate Milk | Ziploc Freezer Bags: Gallon & Quart |
| Spaghetti Sauce | Laundry Bleach |
| Walnuts | Fabric Softener |
| Pecans | Dryer Sheets |
| Almonds | Lysol Spray |
| Peanuts | Dish Soap |
| Cooking Spray | Hand Soap |
| Cooking Oil | Napkins |
| Baking Powder | Kleenex |
| Baking Soda | Body Wash |
| Cornstarch | |
| Coconut Flakes | |
| Marshmallows | |
| Cinnamon | |
| Garlic Salt | |
| Pepper | |

If you are local, please give us a call to check on produce and dairy needs.
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Welcome to our new house-parents Dan & Cheri Crow.

Cheri grew up in Caldwell, Idaho, Church of Christ, and Dan at the Yorba Linda Church of Christ in Santa Ana, California. They met at Columbia Christian College in Portland, Oregon. Their paths had crossed when they were younger having common friends at the Caldwell Church of Christ. They were married in 1979 and had twin sons in 1981 and were foster parents in Caldwell, Idaho. In 2000 their sons graduated high school and they went to work for New Mexico Christian Children's Home, after a short time there they moved to Cherokee Home for Children working with 12 boys 14 to 18 years old. Their next stop was High Plains Children's Home where they worked with a sibling group, then for a time with the Bair Foundation in Amarillo, Texas.



After time working with many different kids Cheri went to Amarillo College to get her Registered Nurse Degree, Dan worked for Orkin Pest Control for 18 1/2 years until April of 2024 when they retired. They felt the Lord wasn't done with them and they moved to the Manuelito Navajo Children's Home in December. They have for years had a special place in their hearts for Manuelito with Dan's family having kids from the home stay for the summer back in the 60s. Ben and Lisa would go to church camp with them. Lisa would stay with the Harrell family and Ben with the Crow family. Cheri and Dan look forward to serving the Lord and the children they are honored to serve.

