

# Interfaith Ministries, Inc.

CALHOUN COUNTY, ALABAMA



*"Bringing God's People Together To Serve God's People in Need"*

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## Farewell, Norma Cosby!

After fourteen years of service, Norma Cosby, Senior Rx Coordinator, has left Interfaith Ministries to take a position with the East Alabama Regional Planning and Development Commission. Norma has been a cherished member of the Interfaith team, and her calm yet humorous nature will be missed. During her fourteen years, Norma has dealt with many changes in the program, including regulatory issues, shifting prescription prices, and client qualification standards. She has also been part of the growth of Interfaith Ministries and the Senior Rx program. Although she moves on to a similar job, Norma says she will miss many of her clients. She says her most difficult adjustment will be leaving the Interfaith staff and volunteers that have been such a treasured part of her life. Best of luck to you Norma, and stop by for a visit!



## KIWANIS PANCAKE DAY Volunteer Drivers Needed

The annual Kiwanis Pancake Day is Saturday, March 4th at the Anniston City Meeting Center. This is an especially important event to Meals On Wheels. Every year the Kiwanis Club donates a pancake breakfast to any Meals On Wheels client free of charge. Last year over 70 MOW clients participated. Meals On Wheels is looking for volunteers to deliver these meals. MOW prints out delivery routes, and the Kiwanis members pack the meals. Last year there were 10 drivers who delivered @ 7 meals each, so each route took less than an hour. It was lots of fun, and the additional meal was greatly appreciated by clients. Please call Julie or Nancy at 256-237-4538, or email [meals@interfaithcalhoun.org](mailto:meals@interfaithcalhoun.org) to sign up. The more volunteers there are the faster the deliveries go!



## It's Coming! Saturday, April 8!

The Noble Street Festival is Saturday, April 8. This is a critical event for Meals On Wheels. Proceeds from ad sales in the Noble Street Festival insert that appears in area newspapers goes to Meals On Wheels to fund meals for those unable to pay. This is Meals On Wheels ONLY fundraiser for the year. We would love for you to ask your employer or business to purchase ad space. We also take donations for our faith and family page. Call Julie or Nancy at 256-237-4538 to get in on the fun! This is a great event to support!



# Christmas Clearing House Success!

An enormous "Thank You" goes out to all who participated in making Christmas Clearing House 2016 another success! Christmas Clearing House helped 208 families for a total of 727 people. Walmart gift cards totaling \$27,000 were distributed to people who would not otherwise been able to provide a Christmas for their families. There are almost no words to describe the ongoing blessings this event provides. Thanks again!



## DENTAL DAY IS NOW WEDNESDAY!

Our Dental Clinic Day has changed from Tuesday to Wednesday. Interfaith has posted signs and let other social service organizations know of this change. Please feel free to give your churches and other civic organizations this information so that we can reach clients in need. Thanks!



### ADULT DENTAL CLINIC

For more information on Volunteering or to make an online Donation, visit us on the web at [www.interfaithcalhoun.org](http://www.interfaithcalhoun.org)



## Volunteers! Volunteers! Volunteers!

Both Interfaith Ministries and Meals On Wheels are looking for intrepid and adventurous folks to fill some volunteering opportunities. Interfaith Ministries can use a hand staffing the front desk, and Meals On Wheels is looking for people to deliver hot lunches to our clients. Call Interfaith at 256-237-1472, or MOW at 256-237-4538.

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