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## MISSIONS FOCUS: Support Circle, Bay Area

Our Missionaries, their health and ministries affected by Covid 19

Love Offering for Easter 2020 - \$5,600 was given to local community support groups - thank you for your generosity.

San Lorenzo Family Help Center Food Pantry was given \$2800. Their letter to us reads, "Thank you for your gift. We are most appreciative of your generous gift. We usually serve on average 100 people daily, five days a week with critical sustaining food to eat. Your gift helps to make this possible. Our Food Pantry operates and is housed at Oromo Christ Lutheran Church of San Lorenzo. On behalf of our board of directors, volunteers and clients, we thank you. God bless and keep you safe. Pastor Brun."

From Alameda Meals on Wheels, "The Board of Directors of Alameda Meals on Wheels wishes to thank you for your generous contribution in the amount of \$2,800. During this difficult and unprecedented time, your support is appreciated more than ever. AMOW continues to deliver more than 4000 meals each month. Along with a daily hot meal, the visits from our dedicated volunteers provide many the only personal contact and conversation they will have that day. We have been providing this service to our community for over 40 years without any type of government subsidy! Only with contributions from you, other individuals, foundations and businesses, and social, civic, and religious groups can we continue o provide these vital services to our community. We thank you!"

To see the scanned letters (see below)

## San Lorenzo Family Help Center 100 Hacienda Avenue San Lorenzo, California 94580-3444

May 8, 2020

Bay Area Chinese Bible Church 1801 North Loop Road Alameda. Ca 94502

Dear Bay Area Chinese Bible Church,

Thank you for your gift in the amount of \$2,800 to the San Lorenzo Family Help Center. We are most appreciative of your generous gift.

We strive to fulfill our mission which is to feed hungry people in our San Lorenzo, San Leandro, and Hayward area. We are partners with the Alameda County Food Bank and a key distribution site for low income and hungry people in this critical time as we see many people who have lost their income due to unemployment and loss of income during the Corona virus pandemic. We usually serve on average 100 people daily five days a week with critical sustaining food to eat. Your gift helps to make this possible. Our Food Pantry operates and is housed at Oromo Christ Lutheran Church of San Lorenzo.

On behalf of our Board of Directors, Volunteers, and clients we thank you. God bless and keep you safe.

Pastor Brun, Treasurer



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The Board of Directors of Alameda Meals on Wheels wishes to thank you for your generous contribution in the amount of \$2,800.00 received in May 2020 as part of our Spring Fundraising Drive. During this difficult and unprecedented time, your support of our program and its services is appreciated more than ever.

Alameda Meals on Wheels continues to deliver more than 4000 meals each month. In addition to a daily hot meal, the visits from our dedicated volunteers provide many of our clients the only personal contact and conversation they receive on a daily basis.

For over 40 years we have been providing this service to our community—all without any type of government subsidy! We have also embarked on an additional program, Friendly Visitors, which allows us to offer an extended visit to seniors, or anyone who is homebound, with carefully matched volunteers in an effort to provide valued companionship. The blending of both programs truly is a perfect combination. Now we can offer food and friendship, key elements in sustaining the quality of life.

Only with contributions from you, other individuals, foundations and businesses, and social, civic, and religious groups, can we continue to provide these vital services to our community.

You may use this acknowledgment as your support of your tax-deductible contribution. No goods or services were provided in exchange for your contribution.

We thank you!

Sincerely,

Cathy H. Secretary