

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths. Proverbs 3:5-6



2023: A new year, a new beginning. A new year is a time to reflect on the past and a time to make resolutions in the hopes to make changes for the betterment of ourselves. While nearly half of all Americans say they make New Year's resolutions, only a very few are successful in achieving their goals. Why is that?

Possibly, we are not acknowledging God and allowing Him to direct our paths. Most of the time, when things are going well, we think it is because of our own effort. Basically, saying to God "I've got this." A better way is to pray as if everything is up to God, while working as if everything is up to us. If we listen to the still small voice carefully, He

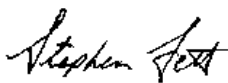
will guide and direct us along the right path. In this manner, we also achieve the peace that surpasses understanding. **As a dedicated follower of Christ**, I'm sure you would agree we want to follow the good and acceptable and perfect will of God. To do this, we need to include Him in all our goals and plans.

As we reflect on 2022 here at Panama City Rescue Mission, we choose to press on towards the goal of our Mission; to **Rescue, Recover, and Rescue Lives in Our Community**. To help move people from suffering to flourishing through the life transformation of knowing Jesus Christ, and by empowering clients with the education, training, and resources that will lead to successful life of sobriety, with stable employment, and secure housing. We are excited for this brand-new year and have set our sights higher than ever before. **As God walks before us, come walk beside us.**

Because of you, we have a brand new, completely remodeled Men's Shelter. We need you now more than ever to fund our reopening. Although we are once again feeding the public on weekdays with an evening community meal, we need your help to hire staff for full operations of the facility including all programs and services. **YOU CAN HELP the men in our community.** Reopening the Men's shelter can be achieved together. The generous donations **YOU'VE GIVEN** are the reason we've come this far. With your continued support, together we will provide the help suffering men so desperately need.

Since 1973, the PCRM has been committed to Christ-centered rescue, recovery, and restoration to break the destructive cycle of poverty and homelessness. To donate online, please visit our website at www.pcrmission.org and clicking on the donate button.

With deepest gratitude,



Stephen Fett
President & CEO

Any excess funds from this campaign may be used to fulfill the needs and day to day operations of the PCRM.

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Panama City Rescue Mission
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- \$150** provides one week of Shelter Services
- \$250** provides one week Life Recovery Services
- \$500** provides one week of Food for All Programs
- \$_____ to help where needed