

Disciples of the Way Ministries

*A Ministry of People of All Nations
reaching out to People from All Nations*



Disciples of the Way continues sharing the truth of the Gospel and the love of Christ through helping our neighbors in this time of disaster.

YES, DOW continues Reaching, Preaching, Teaching, and Sharing the Gospel with people of all nations to make Disciples of the Cross from all nations. Hope is vital during this critical Pandemic time.

Thank you to all who have reached out in concern to check on DOW and its staff. We cherish your prayers and support during this unsettling time.

All of us at DOW hope that this update finds you and your family well.

DOW Mission & Community

Our primary methods have shifted with the current restrictions in and around Dallas. However, we are remaining connected to our community through technology. Disciples of the Way is still committed to providing services, community, and fellowship despite these difficult times.

DOW Ministries cannot pause our work because that would limit our

CHRIST
OVER
VIRUSES &
INFECTIONOUS
DISEASES
1:9 Joshua

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Disciples of the Way Ministries continues to serve the refugee community and reach out to people living in spiritual darkness with truth, love, and hope.

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In light of the COVID-19 pandemic, **Thrivent Financial** is offering an extra \$1 for every \$2 given through the **Thrivent Choice Giving Platform**.

Funds will be matched up to the first \$1 million donated. This match is open to anyone - you do not need to be a Thrivent member, but the opportunity isn't going to last long.

We are asking that you prayerfully consider making a special gift to Disciples of the Way Ministries as we continue reaching out to people of all nations and providing them with hope through Jesus Christ during this unprecedented time. We thank you for your continued prayers

neighbors connection with the Word of God. Now, more than ever, people need Hope.

DOW has not laid off any of its workers. They are working safely from their homes in compliance with Dallas' Shelter In Place Order. Continue reading to learn how the Bible Studies, English Program, and Refugee Service Center are continuing to operate from home.

Disciples of the Way humbly requests you consider donating to help our mission move forward during this distressing time.

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Bible Studies & Fellowship



DOW Missionary Staff are moving forward with Bible Studies and ministering to people in spiritual need.

We are praying with our neighbors in Arabic, reaching out and checking in on their physical and spiritual well-being through technology. On the phone, We are studying the Word of God, reading Psalms of Praise and pointing worship toward our Triune God.

We are not giving our neighbors false hope but true living hope in Jesus Christ. We plead with them to repent of their sin and be forgiven by the righteousness of Christ alone in the power of the resurrection.

We continue to text the scriptures to our Muslim friends daily and follow up with personal phone calls. These scriptures open conversations and lead to genuine repentance and forgiveness through Confession & Absolution.

We are reading 1 & 2 Timothy in our discipleship training that takes place four times a week via Zoom.

DOW needs your support to make certain we can continue to reach out and share the Gospel and show those who are new converts and those who are still

***"I am the good shepherd.
I know my own and
my own know me,
just as the Father knows me
and I know the Father; and
I lay down my life for the sheep.***

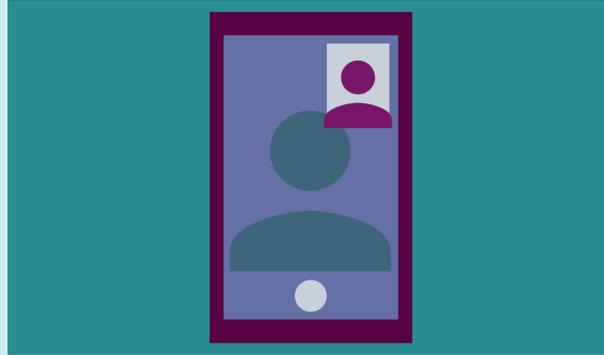
in darkness --- that Jesus cares for his sheep.

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And I have other sheep that are not of this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd."
- John 10:14-16

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Distance Learning in DOW's English Program

DOW's Volunteer teachers have been calling students one-on-one for conversation practice and to check-up on students wellbeing. DOW's English program is training its teachers to hold classes through Zoom in the future. This transition will be difficult for many of the students in the lower language levels.

The Intermediate and Advanced classed have moved to using Google Hangouts for distance learning because the students have both the language and technical skills required. Since children are home from school and many are in distance learning situations themselves, computers are the life line of many homes. Some of our students have escaped to their cars to find time for their own lessons.

Refugee Service Center

DOW's RSC Staff are reaching out to refugee neighbors over the phone to help them in their native



language with problems that they are facing in this difficult time.

The RSC Staff are assisting our neighbors complete the U.S. census. The Census is extremely important to accurately distribute resources and is mandatory for everyone living in America. The RSC Staff are helping to interpret the Census questions.



RSC is continuing to assist with interpreting mail. Refugees often cannot tell which mail is important due to their language barrier. Our neighbors send photos of their mail to DOW RSC Staff who can help them resolve their issue.



Thanks to your faithful prayers and generous support, Disciples of the Way is now a self-sustaining, non-profit, LCMS organization.

Help DOW continue to bring the Gospel and Peace of Christ to Muslims in Dallas!

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