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Executive Director: Lynn Sheavly

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Donn Dietrich, Associate Executive Director/ Store Manager
Donna Hanke, Assistant Store Manager
Carolyn Jones, Lead Sorter
Dave Coury, Porter
Carol Hilgartner, Sorter
Lori Patterson, Sorter / Cashier
Kris Schipper, Cashier / Sorter
Grace Sloan, Cashier / Sorter
Lori Shawver, Sorter
Muriel Webster, Cashier

Assistance Program
Marianne Larson, Program Manager
Pat Murphy, Program Assistant

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Donna Wright, Secretary
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Letter from the Board Chairman

The first words of our mission statement are "In Christian love". These words sum up the purpose of NESAP and the dedication of our staff and volunteers who serve those in need in our community every day. One of the pillars of Christian faith is the command to love and help others. NESAP fulfills this role. It is very rewarding to be a part of such an organization and see the results of our assistance in carrying out this mission.

The annual statement gives us a summary of this assistance and the remarkable aspect of it is how diverse it is. NESAP provides multiple levels of care including: food, clothing, housing help, utility subsidies, healthcare assistance, transportation support, school supplies, holiday gifts and referrals to other support services. The need for our services continues to grow and we must strive to keep pace.

The generosity of our financial donors, supporters, staff, volunteers and those who donate and shop at our thrift store, allow these services to continue and we are grateful to all of you. We are truly blessed.

Jim Spies, Chairman of the Board

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2018 Annual Report

Letter from the Director

Have you ever looked at someone and wondered what stories are written in the dark circles under their eyes and what memories live in their heart? We all have experiences that make us who we are. Joyful moments, times to be savored. Difficult experiences, ones that tear at our heart and muddle our thinking.

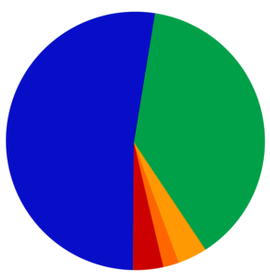
Through NESAP's programs, you lift people up when life's experiences are tearing them down. You minister to others with care and compassion when their hearts are troubled and minds are not at rest. Your gifts of food, store and financial donations, as well as time given, express your care and concern for others. You make the burdens they bear lighter, the future look brighter.

For the hope that you give to them, our clients are forever grateful. May you accept their gratitude and always carry their appreciation near to your heart.

Lynn Sheavly, Executive Director

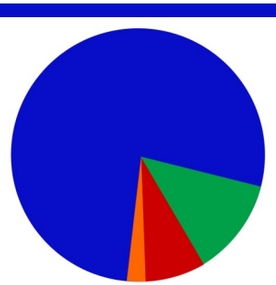
Financial Review

NESAP is a 501(c)3 nonprofit corporation funded by community support, donations and Thrift Store purchases. Without the dedicated support of the community, NESAP could not begin to meet the needs in the community. Thank you for making this mission possible.



Income Dollars: **$462,714**
includes food and gift card donations valued at **$51,670**

Store Sales	Donations	Recycling	Fundraising	Grants	Other
53%	40%	3%	3%	1%	0%



Expense Dollars: **$472,600**

Programs	Operations	Administrative	Depreciation
83%	11%	4%	2%

Thank you to all our amazing volunteers who give generously of their time and skills to support NESAP's mission to help the community in need. Volunteer hours in 2018 totaled **5,782**.

Sometimes it takes a village

Your generosity along with NESAP's mission is inspiring hope and restoring dignity in our community!

We were privileged to fulfill **605** requests for food and supplies, as **3,050** bags from our Food Pantry went to feed the hungry.

The Thrift Store provided **53** households with clothing and/or household goods, in the amount of **$2,225.**

In an effort to prevent evictions and homelessness, **278** requests for housing aid were met, with **$48,287** in rental supplements.

Electricity shut-offs were avoided and households were kept warm as **355** requests for fuel and utility aid in the amount of **$70,967 w**ere filled.

Thanks to participating pharmacies and medical facilities, **45** requests for healthcare assistance were met, in the amount of **$7,664.**

We had the opportunity to help **161** Carroll County students start school, prepared with backpacks and school supplies.

Our holiday food and Christmas gift programs provided **386** families with **$10,080** in food, gifts and/or gift cards.

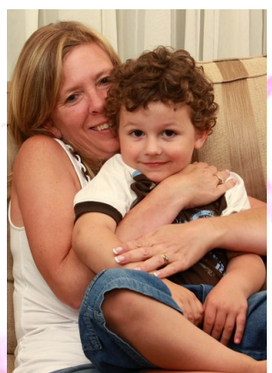
262 services for transportation assistance were provided for vehicle repairs, insurance, and gas vouchers in the total amount of **$13,075.**

On a Personal Note:

"This is a start to repay you for helping me in the years I needed a hand-up. There will be more – but I can't thank you enough for getting me through the recession. Thank you so much!"

"Thank you so much for sponsoring our family through the holidays and providing the assistance that we needed. We greatly appreciate it. It has helped us so much."

"I can't thank you enough for your generosity. The food, rental assistance and transportation home. I am truly grateful!"



"May... every one of your volunteers be blessed this season of love and giving. Also, everyone that is associated with this great non-profit. We are blessed to have these caring people watching out for the less fortunate of our area. Thanks to all., and... have a merry Christmas."

"I want to thank you for helping my son and I these past few years. All your help and support has been a huge help. ...it wasn't easy to be the taker, but I did what I had to for my son. You all have been a blessing to us! Thank you for everything."

Mission Statement

In Christian love, to provide crisis assistance to individuals and families with their physical, financial and emotional needs as an extension of the ministries of our congregations and to proactively partner clients and professionals in our community for continued education, working toward self sufficiency.