

Community Care Ministry

THANK YOU to those who supported the **April Ministry - Paint a Miracle Art Studio**. A **donation of \$100** was sent to further their program and awareness efforts. Below is an excerpt from the "Thank You" I received:
Thank you so much for the generous donation from your church. It will be put to good use. ...to see the difference donors like your group make in the lives of our artists.

With much gratitude,

Shelly Tyshka

The **Ministry for June is Waggin' Tails Dog Rescue**, a registered 501(c)3 non-profit group. Their experienced and dedicated volunteers donate their spare time to rescue, rehabilitate, foster, and re-home all breeds of homeless dogs at risk of being euthanized or sold to research from area and rural kill shelters. The volunteers are just like you; they have careers, families, hobbies, but ultimately each person was drawn to help better the lives of animals in their own community and beyond. ***They are supported solely through donations and fund-raising efforts.*** Volunteers receive no monetary payment for their activities. Instead, their reward is the knowledge that a dog's life has been saved that otherwise would have been lost.

They do not own a formal shelter or kennel. All dogs that are taken in by Waggin' Tails are safe from harm and moved to a foster home where they receive individual attention, medical care, and a place to regain their ability to bond with people, if needed. A foster home environment allows them to really get to know each and every dog's unique personality, aiding them in finding the best possible home that fits their needs. Each dog will remain with Waggin' Tails until they are adopted into a permanent home.

In lieu of monetary donations, please consider a "wish list item":

- Unopened Dog food
- Martingale collars
- Leashes
- Dog treats
- Heartgard Plus
- Frontline Plus
- revolution
- Capster
- Nature's Miracle stain and odor remover
- Poop clean-up bags

Petsmart gift cards
Office Max or Staples gift cards
Postage stamps
Business envelopes
8.5x11 white 20# bond copy paper
Standard #10 business envelopes
9x12 White or browncraft envelopes
Printer cartridges (Lexmark 32 Black, Lexmark 33 Color)
Used printer cartridges

More information about this charity can be found on the table in front of the Philoptochos office as well as on their website: www.waggintailsdogsrescue.org

If you would like to make a monetary donation to support this month's ministry, please make checks payable to: Ladies Philoptochos of St. George and submit to Philoptochos mailbox or Community Care Ministry Coordinator, JoAnna Yaksich. Or, bring "Wish list" items to church on Sundays or contact JoAnna for other arrangements.

"One Can": Please continue to support our food pantry. Just one can (or box, or personal health care item, etc.) from each of us every week will help keep it stocked. We CAN make a difference ONE person at a time! NOTE: If you are unsure what to purchase, we accept monetary donations and will do the shopping for you. Bring donated items to church any day of the week and place in food pantry.