

## Celebrate Christmas!

We are excited to help children birth to 18 years at the Kerrybrook Apartments celebrate Christmas this December. We have asked parents to register their children as we do for school supplies. We have received registrations for 41 children and teens and 3 babies! One mother we know wrote on her resigtration form, "Thank you for helping provide something for Christmas. Times are difficult and this will be our Christmas. We appreciate everything." The two boys who she registered have been faithfully coming to Teen Time. Their family is

sometimes without food and we are honored to help them as we know of needs. These are the families you will be helping to celebrate the Christ of Christmas. Please pray for them. Times are difficult and we hope to help them find real joy this season.



Similarly, we are looking forward to sharing Christmas with the 411 students attending Colonial Hills this school year. Attendance has been down at the school the last few years and this is by far the lowest attendance in the last eleven years. One Way International, Wayside, and the Rotary Club are uniting with the school to provide Christmas gift bags for every student. Many of the families at Colonial Hills are also experiencing difficult times. Please pray that

the real needs of these special families will be met and they will realize the true meaning of Christmas this year. As you pray, think of the staff and their families at the school as well.



We are planning our first meeting of Teen Time since March on November 18. We're looking forward to being with the teens we have worked with for the last three years at Kerrybrook as well as some new teens. There are over 19 students in middle school and high school living at Kerrybrook Apartments. We will be meeting with middle school boys, middle and high school girls, and high school boys in separate groups. Please be in prayer that they will not be afraid to come. The apartment owner says people are rarely outside these days. We are praying they will open up to us about

their lives, their fears, their faith, and their needs. We appreciate your prayers for these young people that their eyes will be opened to the loving and powerful Savior we have.

Our 2021 calendars are ready to ship out in early December!

Thank you for your prayers and support for this ministry, staff, and board of directors.

We appreciate you more than you know—Joyce Velasquez—Executive Director