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Warmest Christian Greetings!

Last October I sent a letter to you outlining a plan whereby we could easily raise \$100,000 to do major renovations to our Chesapeake Cottage at the Smoky Mountain Children's Home. Many of you will recall that these homes were built in the 60s and no upgrades or remodeling has been done in some areas.

The Delmarva-DC Regional Women's Board met on September 22, 2020 and voted to undertake a mammoth project this year and upgrade this home. Our goal is to raise \$100,000 during this General Assembly period. With God's help, we can do this! The remodeling has already begun. The new plan gives us 8 new bedrooms, 4 new bathrooms, a total renovation of the kitchen with commercial appliances, and a commercial washer and dryer. We are asking that each church consider giving the amount listed below. A video has been developed for you to show your church which explains this project in detail. A link to the video is available on our website. Go to www.cogdelmarvadc.com, select ministries, then select Women's Ministries. If we all do our part, this goal can be reached and these young men can have a nice place to call "home."

I am also attaching a flyer for you to post in your church so that your people will know the different ways in which they can give to this project. Below you will find the suggested commitments for giving for your church.

If your church takes in:

- Less than \$4000 monthly tithes commit to \$500 by June 30, 2022
- \$4001 to \$10,000 monthly tithes...... commit to \$1,000 by June 30, 2022
- \$10,001 to \$30,000 monthly tithes..... commit to \$2,000 by June 30, 2022
- More than \$30,000 monthly tithes..... commit to \$4,000 by June 30, 2022

Please send all monies raised to the Delmarva-DC Regional Office. Also, it will help us greatly if you will send the money in as it is raised. Due to COVID-19, we are not able to take teams down to the Children's Home to work. All the work is being done by a local team of builders.

God bless you all is my daily prayer. May God EMPOWER and EQUIP you to do all that He has created you to do.

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