# SEPTEMBER 2021 HOPE FOR APPALACHIA UPDATE



## **NIP Credits Availible**

Hope for Appalachia has been issued NIP Credits. If you pay taxes in West Virginia and you contribute \$500 or more, you can get a tax credit of 50% of your contribution. That means that your contribution of \$1,000, for example, would cost you only \$500, plus you can also claim the deduction on your federal taxes. If you have any further questions or if you would like to take advantage of this giving incentive please call the office at (681) 205-2017.



- Office Hours: Monday & Wednesday 9am-2pm.
  Appointments may be scheduled by calling (681)205-2017
  Walk-ins are Welcome
- NIP Credits are available. To take advantage of this program contact Erin at (681)205-2017
- Our Resource Center is in need of toiletry items to support our HOPE Closet Program

#### Walk for HOPE



At the walk we took time to pray for the 400,000 children in WV, many of whom have been impacted by addiction. The HOPE Closet and Outreach Program were also highlighted and walk participants were shown a HOPE Closet display that we install in schools throughout the area.

Thank you everyone that made it to our annual Walk for HOPE at the West Virginia State Capitol. We are continualy grateful

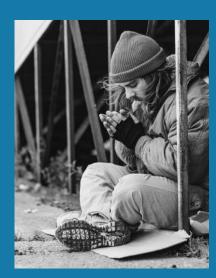
for the support we recieve from donors like you! In a time with much uncertainty we have faithful supporters that pray for us and allow us to serve those in need in our community.





### **Volunteer Highlight**

Richie Hills is a faithful volunteer for the Children's Resource Center. On a weekly basis she serves in whatever capacity is needed. In her recent retirement Richie wanted to spend her free time in a valuable way. She has a background in Social Work and understands how to serve people in need and make an impact in their lives. Richie has blessed our ministry in many ways. We are thankful for how she loves the Lord and seeks to glorify him in all she does.



#### **Street Outreach**

Over the last few months we have developed a new outreach effort to the homless in the community. This outreach includes building relationships, sharing the gospel, supplying basic sanitary and living needs, and providing a list of various community resouces that can further help them.

Trauma, abuse, and addiction are common stories among the homeless of Appalachia and our goal is to demonstrate the love of Christ to those who are suffering.