

Helping Those On The Outside Looking In!



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In January 2020, there were 580,466 people experiencing homelessness in America. Families with children are 30% of that number. There were numerically more whites who were homeless than minorities.

The pre-COVID homeless numbers exceeded the populations of any of Baltimore, Atlanta, Milwaukee, Tucson, Sacramento, Cleveland, Kansas City, Tampa, or Miami. We don't yet know how much worse it is now.

Add to this, nearly 1 in 5 Americans experience some form of mental illness, and 10 million adults in America live with a serious mental illness. One-half of all chronic mental illness begins by the age of 14 and three-quarters by the age of 24.

All of these many millions of Americans who are your neighbors, friends or family are suffering in one way or the other. They all feel like outsiders looking in at the rest of the world they perceive as "normal."

For some, their own behaviors contributed to their situation. However, many times, events, and circumstance outside of their control created the trauma or crisis.

But one thing is true of all who suffer. They are all made in the image and likeness of the same loving God who made you. And our Lord and Savior commanded us to love and help those in need. Because we too were made in the image and likeness of the same God. Also, because there, but for the grace of God, go we. You will hear personal testimonials from some who had firsthand experiences of being on the outside looking in.

On 11-3-21, learn from four dedicated Orthodox Christians who are making a difference in this mission field through their personal efforts and ministries. Come learn what you can do to live Matthew 25:35-40. And *"Do not forget to show hospitality to strangers, for by so doing some have unwittingly entertained angels."* Hebrews 13:2

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