

# Friend Ships

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## November 2025 Activities Report

Dear Friends:

Thank you so much for your love, gifts, labor and prayers. We are so grateful for the support and fellowship. We hope you had a wonderful Thanksgiving with family and friends.

Home base Port Mercy is busy with the distribution of food and household items to organizations local to the Lake Charles area who are helping people in need. And the

Southern California food distribution continues for organizations in the South Bay helping the homeless and low income families.



OUR BOOTH AT THE ICOM CONFERENCE

We also continue to work on our ship Pelican's Nest to ready it for disaster relief. The team has traveled to and exhibited Friend Ships at two Christian conferences this month, one to meet new medical personnel who may want to serve in Syria and the second conference to meet

people interested in serving in missions both at Port Mercy and in the Middle East. The conferences have been productive and we have met many people who hopefully will join up with us soon.

The Syria Health Center is doing great - providing medical services; distributing of food, clothing and fuel for the winter; children's programs including English and Math classes. We are in the final stages of committing to a second facility in a much larger community that will also include sports, arts and agriculture.



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Please pray that all the agreements and arrangements fall into place according to the Lord's will.

We were blessed to be able to load a 40' container for hurricane victims in Jamaica and ship it off to Montego Bay loaded with heavy duty vinyl (to protect roofs of damaged churches and homes), food, clothing, cleaning and hygiene supplies so vital in the aftermath of a disaster.



This is such a wonderful time of the year as we enjoy Thanksgiving, Christmas and the New Year. Time to celebrate what the prophet Isaiah told us so long ago -

For to us a child is born, to us a Son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Of the greatness of his government and peace there will be no end. He will reign on David's throne and over his kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and righteousness from that time on and forever. The zeal of the Lord Almighty will accomplish this. Isaiah 9:6-7

May you have a blessed, peaceful and enjoyable Christmas and New Year's celebration. May the year 2026 be pleasing to the Lord and good for advancing His Kingdom!