



WWTO/TBN Chicago Monthly Report

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Red Nose Day 2017

Red Nose Day is an initiative that was formed to end child poverty. To date this organization has raised nearly one-hundred million dollars to help children in need. We here at WWTO/TBN Chicagoland took so time out to smile and have some fun all while supporting this effort. *Joy in Our Town* host, Charolette Blackful and guest Kurt Hermes, also joined in the fun.





ShareFest Will County



On June 21st. Staff at WWTO/TBN Chicagoland took part in a job and resource fair, hosted by ShareFest Will County. We here at the station are always on the lookout for new faces to join the TBN Family. We met with several individuals and organizations that have an interest in appearing on *Joy in Our Town* as well as those looking for freelance positions.





***Joy in Our Town*, has become an avenue to share information about local services that are available to members of the community. This month *Joy in Our Town* discussed topics such as:**

- **Families**
- **Education**
- **Health**
- **Crime**
- **Homelessness**



Kurt Hermes:
Laundry of Love



Bobby Hayden Jr. & Lexi Laconi:
Cardboard Box Ministries



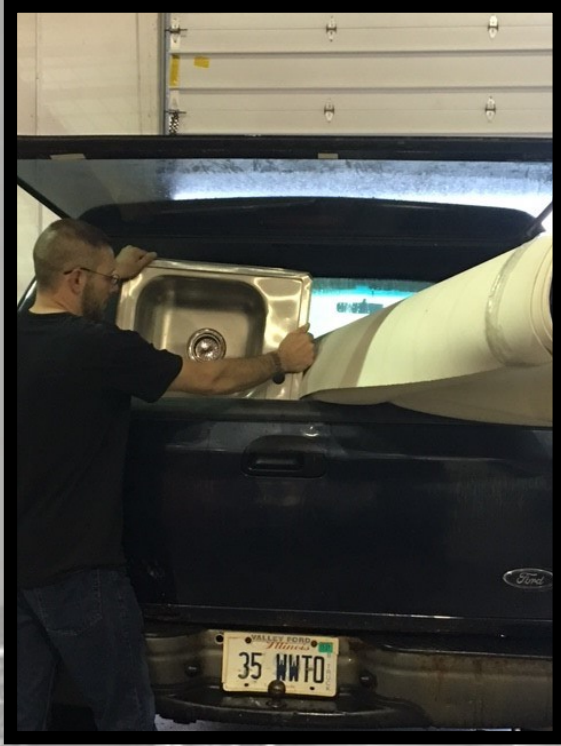
Corey Buchanan:
Chicago Prison Outreach



Dwayne Bryant:
Inner Vision International



Patti Van Dorn & Linda Baer:
Mission Possible



RE-Store

We here at WWTO/TBN Chicagoland have been doing some decluttering. We had several rolls of quality linoleum and kitchen sinks just hanging out in our warehouse. We chose to donate the items to a local charity called RE-Store, this charity supports Habitat for Humanity and is located in Aurora, Illinois. It is our prayer that it will be put to good use.



Helping Others

Wayside Cross

Wayside Cross is a ministry right here in our own neighborhood. During the month of June, we here at WWTO/TBN Chicagoland collected clothing to donate to this ministry that helps men and women who have recently been released from prison.



Reaching the Next Generation

With all of the changes that are happening at WWTO/TBN Chicagoland, we realized that we have many items in our possession that would be useful to others in the community. During the month of June, we donated a set to Bethel Baptist Church in Chicago Heights for use in their Youth Community Center. We pray that this set is a blessing to all of the young people that will be utilizing the youth center.



The Olive Branch Mission

Building relationships with ministries in our local community is a priority for us here at WWTO/TBN Chicagoland. Recently, we were invited to attend a very special service at The Olive Branch Mission in Chicago. Bobby Hayden Jr. of Cardboard Box Ministries was the guest speaker. Mr. Hayden shared a powerful testimony about his life on the streets as a drug addict to his redemption through Jesus Christ.



Building Relationships



During the month of June, Principal, Phil Lundquist of Covenant Christian School came in for a tour of the studio. He spent some time visiting with Station Manager, Emily Young. They spoke about how WWTO and the school can work together in the community. We look forward to teaming up with Covenant Christian School in the future.

Harvest Bible Chapel

Harvest Bible Chapel is always so much fun to have in the studios. During the first week of June, we welcomed the Harvest production team into the studio to record spots for an upcoming sermon series.

