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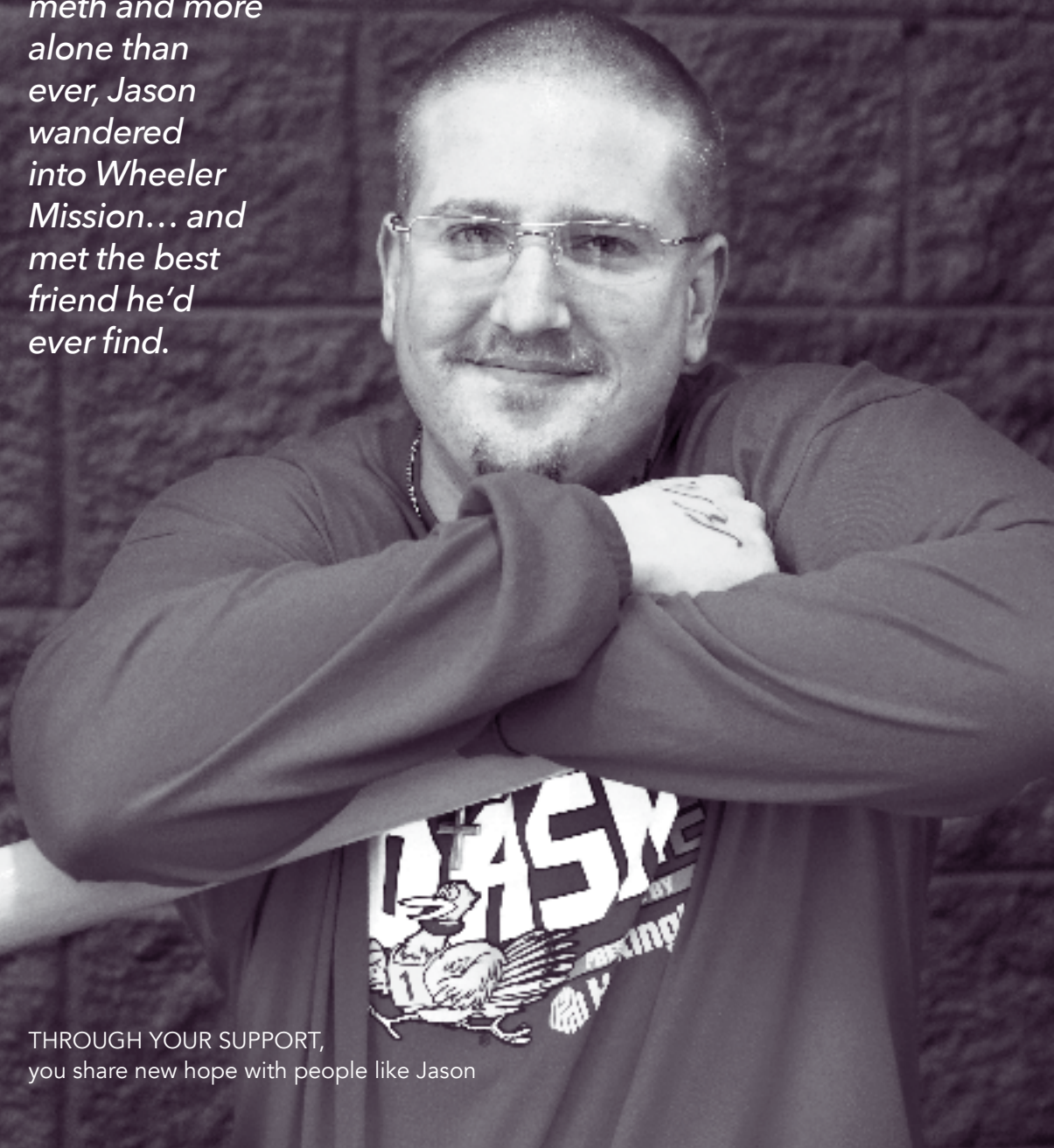
WHEELER MISSION MINISTRIES *Help. Hope. Healing.*

Easter 2017

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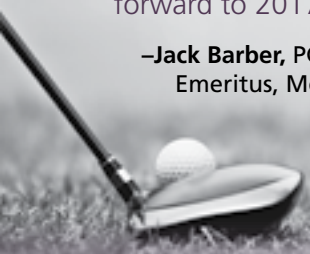
Addicted to meth and more alone than ever, Jason wandered into Wheeler Mission... and met the best friend he'd ever find.



THROUGH YOUR SUPPORT,
you share new hope with people like Jason

“Playing in ‘100 Holes for the Homeless’ was a highlight of my 40 years as a PGA Professional. It was an honor to use golf to give back. **I would encourage anyone to help support this great organization with your prayers, service and financial support.** Looking forward to 2017!”

–Jack Barber, PGA Professional Emeritus, Meridian Hills CC



100 HOLES OF GOLF

Register now for our annual 100 Holes for the Homeless golf tournament on Monday, June 5th at Highland Golf & Country Club.

Golfers help our community’s homeless by raising money as their entry fee – every \$500 provides one of our guests with food, shelter and care for one month!

Get involved today!

- Register to play
- Support our golfers by donating at WheelerMission.org
- Become a tournament sponsor

Tee up... and make a difference in homeless people’s lives at the Mission!

REGISTER NOW!

100HolesForTheHomeless.com

Become a sponsor! Contact Brian:

BrianCrispin@wmm.org

SHARING HOPE STARTS HERE

What does it look like to share hope?

Compared to a plate of nourishing food or a warm blanket, it’s often hard to visualize how hope changes lives.

But for the homeless and hurting people you’re helping through your gifts, hope is transforming their lives in very tangible ways.

Take Jason who’s featured in this issue – at his lowest point, he turned to us. He didn’t know if a new life was even possible.

Meals, shelter and care changed Jason’s life from the inside out. Experiencing God’s love showed him that a new life is possible. He began believing in a better future – and began living that life every day!

When you see Jason today, you see hope... made real in his life through your generosity.

Just as Christ shared hope with

you and me through His glorious resurrection on Easter, you share His hope with men and women through your prayers, your acts of service and your generous financial support of this ministry.

Thank you for sharing with our community’s homeless – and for making Wheeler Mission a refuge of encouragement and hope for everyone in need.



Rick Alvis,
President / CEO

THIS IS DANIEL.



“God had a new life for me and the Mission helped me find it.”

There are so many like Daniel – in need of new hope for a new life.

You can share new hope this Easter by sharing meals, shelter and God’s love with homeless and hungry people.

A meal is just \$2.25!

[Share online at WheelerMission.org.](http://WheelerMission.org)

[Share now using the enclosed reply card + envelope.](#)

Thank you for sharing new hope with hurting people in Central and South Central Indiana!



"WHEELER BROUGHT ME BACK TO LIFE."

Jason was born into a happy home, but he wasn't happy. "I never wanted for anything, but that didn't stop me from causing havoc. I was always drinking, in trouble with the law, and dropped out of school at 16."

As an adult, he married and had children... then began using serious drugs, like meth. **As his addiction**

always lost jobs because I'd just stop showing up."

With no income, Jason ended up living in a house with other meth users. Someone was murdered behind the house... then his roommates were caught with two pounds of meth during a police raid. That's when Jason knew it was time to leave.

our Addiction Recovery Program. Through classes and counseling, he finally learned how to lean on God, not just himself.

"I've been to about every program, battling for a long time, but never knew what it would take to change. **When I met Jesus, I knew I was on the way to something better.**"

"That first night at Wheeler, I gave my life to Christ... and I felt the change immediately."

grew, the trouble in his life grew too.

"Drugs really took over... and my life went downhill. I started breaking into homes and stealing, and I went to prison. It led to broken relationships with my family."

Jason's drug use also made keeping a steady job impossible. "I

"I had nowhere left to go," he says. **"I was broken. I needed a change. So that night, I went to Wheeler Mission's Shelter for Men."**

Jason stepped into the Mission – and found the friend he needed.

After encountering Jesus at Wheeler Mission and accepting Him as his Savior, Jason decided to join

Jason graduated from our Addiction Recovery Program and is now in our Servant Leadership Training. He plans to pursue a career in ministry to serve others and share his story of hope with them.

"I'm grateful that Wheeler brought me back to life and gave me a chance for restoration," he says. "The people here didn't know me, but they loved me when I needed it most."

MARK YOUR CALENDAR
11/23/2017 Thursday



2016 Drumstick Dash

*Supporting our community's
homeless on Thanksgiving morning!*

Friends, family, coworkers, churches and people from all over Indiana packed the streets of Broad Ripple on Thanksgiving morning to benefit Wheeler Mission's programs and services for hungry and homeless people in our community.

Thank you to the 20,000+ runners and walkers and the 1,200+ volunteers for helping to make this one of the biggest running events in the country!

THANK YOU!

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meals



+22,500
nights of shelter

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about our outreach, read stories of
hope & securely donate anytime!

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