

Kitchen Ministry
2010 Annual Report

Goals for 2011

- To accommodate when possible
- To recruit more volunteers
- To bring structure/simplicity into existence

2010 was a very busy year for the Kitchen Ministry. We sincerely tried to accommodate where at all possible. At times we had to decline our service due to lack of help, too short notice, or simply burn out. We have spoken with several people about joining the team, however you can only ask a person. We do thank God for the faithful few, and because we truly are few in numbers, this leads to burn out. With this being said, as leaders we needed to devise a plan that would simplify matters.

For each individual service we provide as the Kitchen Team we have to add another 1-2 days, sometimes more, to shop/prepare for the occasion, which is not an easy task. Not only the labor aspect, but financially some things were not to the benefit of our ministry. Example: for Rodney and I to drive 20 minutes here and 20 minutes back the day before an event to pick up a check, then shop to prepare and serve a biscuit and so on, is not logical. Also, keep in mind clean up. Because of this we implemented a Standard Operations Procedure list. This has made a difference and should be beneficial regardless of who is leading the crew.

Anyone operating a ministry knows that burn out is in no way healthy. All our work is unto the Lord, therefore we strive to improve. As to recruiting, we will continue to solicit. We understand it's a physical ministry, but we try to execute it in a happy manner.

In closing, we again say thank you to all our help, and may God continue to bless you. To our church family we ask you to consider your engagement and see if the Kitchen Team is truly needed? If so, make contact. If we can, we will accommodate to the best of our ability.

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