

Headlines

Look what
the Lord has
done!

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Great Help!

It is always with great joy that we share what the Lord is doing at Shepherd's Refuge. On Saturday, May 3, a group of volunteers from the Swiss American Society of Atlanta came to help improve one of the hiking trails and build a fence to protect the Prayer Tree. We had a great time of fellowship in spite of the inclement weather, and the fruit of their labor will benefit the many guests to come.

Thank you René, André, Milly, Chris, Jean-Pierre, Max, Tony, Sandy, and Sybille!



One of the ways to make a difference!



What if Shepherd's Refuge earned a penny every time you searched the Internet? Or how about if a percentage of every purchase you made online went to support our cause? Well, now it can! GoodSearch.com is a new Yahoo-powered search engine that donates half its advertising revenue, about a penny per search, to the charities its users designate. Use it just as you would any search engine, get quality search results from Yahoo, and watch the donations add up! GoodShop.com is a new online shopping mall which donates up to 37 percent of each purchase to your favorite cause! Hundreds of great stores including Amazon, Target, Gap, Best Buy, ebay, Macy's and Barnes & Noble have teamed up with GoodShop and every time you place an order, you'll be supporting your favorite cause. Just go to www.goodsearch.com and be sure to enter Shepherd's Refuge as the charity you want to support. And, be sure to spread the word!

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New Arrivals at Shepherd's Refuge:



Duchess, left, waiting for the guests.

Chickadee, right, waiting to be fed.





The purpose of Shepherd's Refuge is:
To strengthen His church in fulfilling its Great Commission
by caring for its leadership!

Psalm 91:1

He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High will
abide in the shadow of the Almighty

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Selah Cabin Update:

The next phase will be started once enough funds are in the bank to complete it. We do not want to have any unprotected wood exposed for too long, and so it will not only take a floor, walls, windows and doors but also a roof to complete PHASE II. The windows and doors have already been donated, praise the LORD! Would you consider joining the effort? You can make a donation online at our website www.shepherdsrefuge.org, or send a check to Shepherd's Refuge - Selah Ministries, P.O. Box 1907, Cleveland, GA 30528.

We already have \$15,000 set aside and need \$29,000 more to go! We realize that is a lot of money in today's economy.

However consider what it will accomplish:

- double our accommodation capacity (based on reservation requests to date which we cannot meet, makes this a high priority project)
- impact 100% additional churches, mission fields over last year's outreach,
- allow even more privacy, seclusion and quietness for the pastors, church leaders and missionaries that the Lord sends our way!

Ask Him how you can join the Shepherd's Refuge partnership team.

New Web Site:

We are thrilled to have a new website which is much more user friendly, can be updated in-house, and is easier to find in the Internet world.

We already have an observable increase in requests for information and reservations. The three target groups,

- church and mission organizations
- pastors, church leaders and missionaries
- supporters, partners

are directly addressed and have much more information at their finger tips.

The day after we joined the Lumpkin County Chamber of Commerce the Lord put it on Beth Snider's heart to volunteer her time and expertise, joining forces with her sister Rhonda and with Stefani from the Chamber to design and upload this new web site. Beth's company, 3by400, is a leading Web Design Team in North Georgia. Check out their work! We are grateful for what these 3 ladies accomplished, and have already noticed increased contacts thanks to their work! Check it out for yourself: www.shepherdsrefuge.org

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Pass it on to those who can benefit or support!