



Love INC

Love In the Name of Christ

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When I think how God is so merciful to us and our call to give mercy to others; I think of our outreach to The Center in Asbury Park.

The Center is a residential home for 25 people who are affected by the HIV disease. Love INC is giving computer training classes to residents there by the director of that program, Barry Eisner. Barry states that "many people are unaware that those with HIV are active, vibrant and quite capable workers. It is a great joy in working with the residents each week, in seeing their progress and dedication to learning." Pictured on the envelope is Deborah who is currently taking the computer classes with others. She says, "I don't feel out of place here or stigmatized. It's like we're normal people and The Center makes people feel really welcome." Part of that welcoming is Barry's caring concern for those he is teaching and helping them feel good about themselves. Father Bob, the former pastor of St. Anselm's Roman Catholic Church in Wayside and founder of The Center puts it this way "The computer classes widen their talents and abilities in whatever the



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(l to r) Barry Eisner, Love INC computer training and program director with Father Bob Kaeding, director of The Center.

future might hold. This gives them opportunities that they haven't had in the past and for many of our residents this is the first time they have been on a computer. This allows them to find a job, volunteer or go back to school which gives them hope for the future. One of the misconceptions about this disease from years ago is that this is a death sentence. Today that is not true if they take care of themselves and it then becomes more like a chronic disease."

Love INC also has free computer classes in our office in Eatontown three times a week. For two years we have held classes in our computer lab with over 100 students having learned new skills especially for those looking for better jobs. Many have returned to the work force or moved up in their careers. What a blessing that has been for so many!

Yes, God's mercy endures forever and aren't we grateful it does! At Love INC on a daily basis we extend that mercy to others with all our outreaches that make a difference for so many. Please continue to support our merciful outreach to our neighbors in need.

"Oh, give thanks to the Lord, for He is good! For His mercy endures forever." ~ 1 Chronicles 16:34



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Love INC computer class graduation 2007.

Many blessings, *Carolyn*

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