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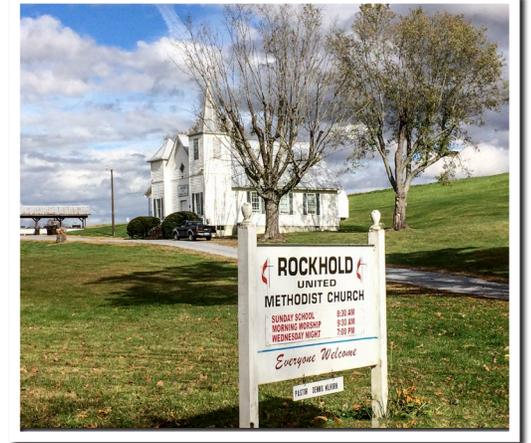
Around the Holston Conference, churches are working on behalf of children in poverty. As they do, many are sharing their stories and recording their hours of service through the conference website at waytogiveholston.org. Sharing this information provides a record of the many ways our congregations are working with our neighbors in our home communities. It also helps us see our progress toward the goal of 10 hours of service per average worship attendance. Individuals or congregational representatives are encouraged to enter your hours of service to address the needs of children in poverty. Whether these are long-standing ministries or new initiatives, we want to hear from you!

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Members of the Rockhold Church work together in their food pantry ministry.

10 hours for children in poverty. That's the challenge for Holston congregations. 10 hours to read, to listen, to feed, to play, to clothe, to encourage, to love. 10 hours can change a life and help us meet our goal of giving 10 hours per average worship attendance. If we meet that goal, we will give 685,000 hours to the most vulnerable in our communities, children living in poverty.

Let's go, Holston! Let's give our best hours, our most creative ideas, our warmest welcomes to the neighbors in our community who desperately need our care. 10 hours can change a child's life. 10 hours can change our hearts. When we give in the name of Jesus, 10 hours can change the world.



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***Way to Go!
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