Our new website is scheduled to launch August 20! www.Daily-Work.org

Dear Friend,

Do you know the global impact of your support for Daily Work? Of course, your support is life-changing for the struggling job seekers we serve, but it also directly shapes the lives and futures of college, social work students who do internships with Daily Work. Harriet Lindwright, a University of St. Thomas (UST) social work student, interned with Daily Work last school year and then helped out as a part-time employee this summer. Harriet is getting ready to go back to school in September and shared how her internship changed her life... and her perspective.

Daily Work has impacted what I see in my future greatly. Before working with Daily Work, I felt that everyone could get a job if they really wanted to, but I was wrong. I have learned a lot about the hardships that accompany unemployment, and how it affects every aspect of peoples' lives.

I learned that people need jobs to feel self-sufficient, and many will not accept government assistance because they are too proud. I also worked with many recent immigrants, and I learned they have an especially difficult time finding a job due to cultural barriers, language barriers, and sometimes racism. As a job counselor at Daily Work, I helped them bridge this gap.



Harriet (right) with Heather, Nolan and Margy

I observed that many people come to Daily Work hopeless and desperate, but they regain hope when they see the

people here are genuinely interested in helping them succeed. I have personally been a part of many clients getting jobs, and there is no better feeling. Daily Work helps clients to regain their independence and feel self-sufficient again.

Before interning at Daily Work, I wanted to be a chemical dependency counselor. But because of this internship, I became very interested in job counseling, especially with immigrants. I feel Daily Work helped me find a new purpose.

This is one example of how your support changed Harriet's life...and how your continued support will help our new interns find a life path that benefits others. Thank you, and thanks Harriet, for all your hands-on help.

One Person Like You, Making a Difference

One of our friends and supporters, Ron Lattin, recently decided to do something extra this summer to help people get work and become self-sufficient. He decided to raise \$1,100 for Daily Work, the amount it costs to help find one person a job.To read his personal story, please click the link below.

Learn how you can help one person find a job, click here...

Food, Fun and Daily Work August 21

Are you looking for a fun, FREE, and entertaining night out for you and your family? Then visit Daily Work at the annual Christ the King Lutheran Church Block Party, Tuesday, August 21 from 5:00-8:00 p.m., 1900 7th Street NW in New Brighton.

The completely FREE event features tasty treats such as hot dogs, corn-on-the-cob, popcorn, and DQ Dilly bars, plus fun for adults and kids alike. Get your face painted, go on a wagon ride, play a carnival-like game, or just sit back and listen to some live music.

Plus, it's a great time to come chat up Daily Work and give us your advice about how we can better share our mission and assist more people in finding work and moving towards self-sufficiency. We'll be sharing a tent at the event with Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota; please stop by and say hello.



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FREE Food & Fun - Everyone Welcome

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- Inflatable jumpers, wagon rides, games for all ages
- Dancing, musical entertainment, fellowship

Stop by and get your FREE \$5 Bakers Square Gift Card!

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