

## **The Baltimore Station**

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**The Baltimore Station** turns lives around. They are an innovative, therapeutic residential treatment program supporting veterans and others who are transitioning through the cycle of poverty, addiction, and homelessness to self-sufficiency. Helping to serve a meal and getting to know the men of The Baltimore Station we are part of the amazing work that God is doing, bringing restoration to those in our community.

### ***The South Baltimore Station***

140 W. West Street

Baltimore, MD 21230

410-752-5917

The last Saturday of every month

### ***The Baltimore Station – Baker Street***

1611 Baker Street

Baltimore, MD 21217

410-462-2585

The second or third Saturday of every month

## **Details**

We meet at the Mars parking lot off the Ridgely Road entrance and leave between 4:15 - 4:30 p.m. depending on which location we are serving. We will share rides and caravan from there. We are back at the Mars lot usually before 7 p.m. If you wish to meet at the sites we usually arrive there around 5 p.m. and parking is available.

We provide a complete meal with dessert and it is paid for by the Church of the Nativity and is provided by KFC.

## **Service Experience**

Once there we will help setup the kitchen and dining room to serve the meal. We say a prayer to and for the men and then serve the food. Once all the men have been served we will get a plate for ourselves and join the men for conversation and the opportunity to get to know them.

Depending on the men and where in the treatment process they are, it is sometimes difficult to get a conversation going whereas others will be very open about their problems and the progress they are making. If conversation is difficult you can always fall back on the Ravens, O's, where they are from, etc. The men really seem to open up with the younger people and all appreciate the food and the time we spend with them.