

## Mercy Chefs Dedicates *Mercy One*

We were blessed to have friends, family and supporters gather to dedicate *Mercy One*. The faithful gifts of a few made this \$80,000 state of the art mobile kitchen a reality. Over a year in design and construction *Mercy One* is a 32' self contained full service kitchen on wheels capable of 7000 high quality professionally prepared meals per day. As *Amazing Grace* was sung by Mercy Chef Walt Taylor, Dr. M. G. Pat Robertson prayed the dedication of faith for the 1,000,000 meal a month vision and the call that was cast in the aftermath of hurricane Katrina on founder Gary LeBlanc.



Mercy Chefs from Oklahoma and Wisconsin joined the Virginia Chefs in Chesapeake for the dedication.

## Spring Training Camp in Florida

Working with local churches and relief agencies, Mercy Chefs will be involved in weekend disaster *Spring Training* programs in Florida this March and April. Based on meetings we participated in last November with several Florida Calvary Chapels, Mercy Chefs will provide food service for attendees and instruction in sanitation, food safety and menu planning. In addition, we will be nurturing valuable associations and contacts with some of the most professional and experienced disaster relief providers in the country.



*Mercy One* is dedicated by Dr. Pat Robertson with the call to go "Feed People" who are hurting and In need.



## “*Mercy One*” ready to serve

*It is not a trailer with a kitchen in it—it is a kitchen with wheels under it.* The 32' fifth wheel trailer build to exact specifications was constructed by Custom Concessions in Petersburg Virginia by JT Williams. The trailer is fully self contained with an onboard diesel generator, water purification and storage, propane supply tanks and all the requirements of a professional kitchen. The equipment includes double stacked bakers depth convection ovens, a six burner range with oven and a 30 gallon tilt skillet, refrigerators and freezers, commercial exhaust hood, AC, and a full size 3 bay wash sink. Meal capacity was designed for 4,000 meals a day, but may be adjusted up to 7,000 as needed. Re-supply is handled by the tow vehicle and it can operate almost indefinitely in any remote or disaster situation.



## **Please Invest in Mercy Chefs...before the next storm**

'*Mercy Two*', our second state of the art mobile kitchen is ready to be ordered. All we need is your support. *Mercy Two* will be forward deployed in areas at high risk. As we transition from winter storms to tornado season to hurricane season, *Mercy Two* will move from *Wisconsin* to *Oklahoma* to *Florida*. Your generous gift will enable us to go feed people and share a message of hope with those who find themselves hurting and in need.

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