

## Annual Report for 2015

Items Given	\$ Value
Food, 532,392 lbs.	\$798,588
Household items, 30,524	\$ 45,786
Children's toys (Christmas)	\$ 1,500
Clothing, 26,498 pieces	\$ 53,996
New quilts, 60	\$ 1,200
Furniture	\$ 5,000
Volunteer hours donated, 13,358	\$267,160

**Total Value of  
Goods and Services in 2015**  
**\$1,173,230**

## Our Wish List for 2016

- Good clean clothing for P. V. Thrift Store
- Good quality furniture for P. V. Thrift Store
- 20 additional laptop computers
- Additional funding for our community garden
- Funding for staffing needs
- Resources for our Arabic language group
- Resources for our Refugee Assimilation Project

## Paradise Valley C.S. Staff/Directors

Will James, Senior Pastor  
Peggy James, Community Services Director  
Ernie Mellor, Assistant Community Services Director  
Ephraim Bendantungka, RAP Director  
Cristopher Manlongat, Ministries Director  
Vern Anderson, Food Resources Coordinator  
Darlene Cook, Quilting Ministries Coordinator  
Aurora Mendoza, Clothing Resources Coordinator  
Richard Moore, Coordinator for Record Keeping

## We Thank our Generous Donors And Supporters!

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Paradise Valley FCU  
Paradise Valley Hospital  
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Tooth Fairy Dental Group  
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Victory Gardens San Diego  
Walmart

**And to all of our hundreds of friends and  
volunteers who quietly give and volunteer to  
make our services possible,  
we thank each one of you!**

# Paradise Valley Community Services



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**Bringing Hope to Our Community  
Since 1904**

2727 E. 7th St.

National City, CA 91950

619-267-8990

[www.FriendshipForHope.org](http://www.FriendshipForHope.org)

**View a Video of our ministry at:**

<https://vimeo.com/62225967>





**ESL school visits the zoo.**

**English as a Second Language school has classes Monday-Friday.**

Our ESL program is helping refugees learn English and get the tools necessary to become productive citizens of our community.



**Rosetta Stone computerized language labs**

Labs are proving to be extremely popular and a great tool in assisting our students to get a working grasp of English.



**Food Ministry Continues to Grow**

In just eight years we have grown from 1,000 pounds of food a week to over 10,000 pounds of food distributed to over 500 families each week. We don't see an end to this need.



**Volunteers prepare clothing for distribution.**

We are distributing more than 500 pieces of clothing and household items each week, and we are selling hundreds of articles each week in our thrift store.

Your contributions are always appreciated!

**The need for good quality clothing is growing almost as fast as the need for food.**



**Students work in our community garden.**

We are delighted the Paradise Valley Hospital has partnered with us, leasing us a large parcel of land to develop into a community garden for the families of National City and South San Diego.

**P. V. Thrift Store is flourishing.**

In addition to our rummage sales, which provided over \$33,000 in resources to help fund our services, our thrift store generated over \$45,000 in sales during 2013. Our store is located at:  
**3400 E. 8th Street, Suite 112  
National City - 619-399-5998**



**Items needed: clothing, furniture, art, household items, shoes, and bedding**

**Every donation helps us bring hope to our community.**