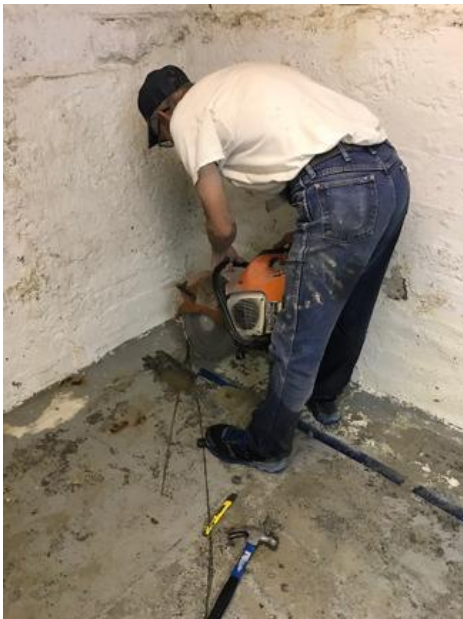




Although the ReUse Store is closed in Smelterville, the Silver Valley Fuller Center for Housing is still serving our community with its housing ministry—just as it has since 1993. We currently are finishing two housing projects and have started another. We also are working with homeowners who cannot afford or are incapable of doing their own repair. Read what's happening here.



Kay Bakers Future Home

At left, John Boy Delaney uses special equipment to cut drain grooves in the basement floor after the walls were cleaned of black mold. Tami Atkins also took her turn running the heavy machine.

Work is continuing with scrubbing, painting, and refinishing the floors.

At right, Ellie Arguimbau helps clean in the kitchen.

Finally, all of you be of one mind, having compassion for one another; love as brothers, be tenderhearted, be courteous;
1 Peter 3:8



Photos by Tami Atkins

The Kirby Site became A Blalack Family Affair

Our sincere thanks go to Zanetti Brothers for donating the gravel and concrete.



Verne Blalack trowels the top of the concrete poured around the support posts of the snow roof erected and donated by David Rust over Krista Kirby's trailer home.



When home for a family reunion, the Blalack brothers, George and Tallis, work the concrete down the chute into the holes around the posts. They grew up helping their father, Verne, install chain link fencing throughout the valley.



Our crew was very impressed with Zanetti's concrete truck driver, Ken Deaton, who could place the spout within a half inch. Although there were wheelbarrows handy, none were needed, and the pour took much less time than expected.



All are involved aligning the chute.

Photos by John Boy Delaney

John Boy's Home



The roof on John Boy's house had to be replaced before he could get home insurance. A big job for Bryce Roofing Company was removing the brick chimney, which was almost falling over. It is not needed since John has a new efficient gas furnace.

Photos by Judy



A Servant Adventure crew from Shoshone Mountain Retreat helps replace the "dirty dirt" displaced when a trench was dug from John Boy's house to the garage. Panhandle Health then brought in clean dirt to level the area.



More scenes from Kay's site. Construction Supervisor, Shawn Truelove, Nichol Diblasieo and Gina Doerschel
Photos by Tami



Our newest Greater Blessings Project is with Andy Dawson shown here signing the pledge to repay the cost of fixing his roof. Also shown are Board Member, Duane Little, who calculated the monthly payments and Secretary, Ellie Arguimbau, who witnessed Andy's signature.
Photo by Judy



From Connor Ciment,

Bike Adventure Director

Thank you so much for your work earlier this summer in arranging a stop for the Bike Adventure. We greatly enjoyed our stay in Kellogg, and the build day was a blessing to us to be able to serve

alongside you and the homeowners there in Silver Valley.

Announcing the route passing through our Silver Valley next year—the route will begin in Seattle and head to Washington D.C. Their website will be overhauled in September to share more details.

Please keep the idea in mind to join them next year. You can choose a segment or ride the whole way.


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Verne & Judy Blalack, Debra Bornitz, Diana Burbridge, Dawn Crane, Melody Darg, Barry & Sue Johnson, Josh & Christina Mace, Silver Valley Assembly of God Church

We are honored to receive this memorial.

*From Verne & Judy Blalack,
In Memory of Gary Damiano*



It is with a sad heart that I say, “Goodbye” to my friend and co-worker Darnell Kriedeman who has served on the Board of Directors since 2014.

Darnell accompanied me on two of my trips to The Fuller Center International conventions where she attended the conference meetings and I attended their Board Meetings. We enjoyed some sightseeing on each trip. She not only served as my companion, but she is also an excellent driver (I don’t drive in city traffic).

As a Fuller Homeowner herself, she was always responsive to the needs of others—treating them with respect and dignity. She was able to give us insights into their situations during SVFCH board discussions.

Thanks, Darnell, for all your help. God Bless.

Judy Blalack

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Coming Events

Aug 4—Pinehurst Days

Aug 14—Board and Committee meetings, 6 PM, Mountain View Congregational Church, Kellogg

Sept 15 —Annual Walk-A-Thon (*pets included*)

We may have a Golf Tournament later this fall.



Thanks to everyone who showed up to help with July’s newsletter mailing. *Photos by Judy*



Forced labor at the Blalack home: granddaughter Candra, son George, daughter Dawn, and daughter-in-law Melody pitch in to fold the July newsletters for mailing.

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Members from the community who help low income folks gather at a meeting organized by Mike Basile of the Community Action Agency and Food Bank in Kellogg. Topics discussed were: housing; education; mental health; medical access; transportation to medical appointments over the pass; the drug problem; child care including foster care in our Valley; and reliable volunteers.

One important outcome of the meeting was learning of the phone # 211 to the “Navigator” who will answer inquiries and direct the caller to the appropriate agency/group for help. This number can be used nationwide for local help.

If you want to receive the newsletter in color via email, let me know at judyblalack@gmail.com



WISH LIST

♥ Prayers for safe travels for the bicyclists and for all our volunteers and homeowners.

- Volunteers to help with renovation of Kay’s home.
- Prayers for the crews finishing the skirting under Krista’s trailer. Idaho Servant Adventurers are scheduled for the skirting. We hope all is finished soon so we can get insurance on the trailer and sell it to Krista. Then we can have a dedication. She still needs to replace some duck taped plumbing that came with the trailer and fix other leaks.
- Help with layout of this newsletter—must have computer skills, a computer and a printer. I’ll be happy to instruct.

We need: Board Members from the Eastern part of Shoshone County; Committee Members; Committee Chairmen for: PR, Greater Blessings, and Partnership. I am willing to mentor anyone taking any of these roles. Doing one thing is not that onerous but doing all is too much for us. Please call me 208-682-3240 Judy