

Trinity Mission Team “A Safer Home and a New Flag”



Mr. Albert survives on Social Security and a modest check from the Department of Veteran's Affairs. He manages his fixed income well enough to pay for his own home. But he has never had the extra funds needed to make urgent repairs. In February, a work crew from the Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church in Rocky Point, New York came to Wilmington on a mission trip. They were the perfect match to complete Mr. Albert's home repairs.

The work crew went above and beyond their call to service. They installed handrails so that Mr. Albert could safely get in and out of his home, replaced the toilet and faucet, and repaired the floors to alleviate any tripping hazards in the house.

When they found out that Mr. Albert was a veteran, volunteers from Trinity took it upon themselves to purchase a flag and install a flag holder on the front of Mr. Albert's home to thank him for his service. They presented the flag to him as a group (pictured above).

These volunteers did so much more than make safety repairs and accessibility upgrades. Yes, the repair work will make a safer home for Mr. Albert, but their kindness has restored his hope

that he is valued by those he fought for. That, my friends is the small miracle.

Volunteers of the Month

Trinity Lutheran Evangelical Church Rocky Point, New York



One of the Trinity work crews that traveled out to Atkinson each day.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church from Rocky Point, NY brought down a mission group of 32 people. The group spent one full week in February working on home rebuilds in Pender and New Hanover Counties. Their willingness to travel, all the way from New York to Wilmington, and then out to rural Pender County allowed hard to reach homeowners the opportunity to receive service.

During their time in the Wilmington area, the group completed repairs for 8 of our low-income neighbors. Through their fellowship and hard work, 8 homeowners had their homes repaired and their hope restored.

