

A SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD.....

For the last twenty years our Mission has been successfully directed by Jim and Lorraine Beatty who are retiring. Their loving leadership has set the pace for serving the needy in Springfield and laid an excellent foundation on which we will serve in the new millennium. As the Beatty's begin their retirement, we pray God's gracious blessings go with them.

We are pleased to welcome our new Executive Director and Associate Ken and Mary Mitchell. They bring a lifelong commitment of serving the needy, especially the many people in the Springfield area.

Your Washington Street Mission will continue to serve, with your help, setting priorities and goals consistent with our historic past but reflecting our changing times with the proclamation of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

I invite you to join with us in pledging prayer, finances and time. It is only with the aid of your gifts, large and small, that your Washington Street Mission is able to continue this God-pleasing work. Enclosed is a return envelope for this year's Easter contribution. Thank you.

In Jesus name,

Tom Kay

Thomas O. Kay, President
Easter 1999



Ken Mitchell has worked for the State of Illinois since 1986 while his wife Mary served as a preschool teacher. Ken has received a M.A. in Sociology from the University of Illinois in Chicago in 1975. Both have attended the Moody Bible Institute.

MARY AND KEN MITCHELL