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**East Hamilton County Community Thanksgiving Service**

The East Hamilton Ministerial Association invites the community to attend a special Thanksgiving Service at the Collegedale Community Seventh-day Adventist Church on Tuesday, November 24 at 7 p.m. This interdenominational service will provide a time for community members to express gratitude for God's many blessings.

Pastor Jerry Arnold, pastor of the Collegedale Community Seventh-day Adventist Church will share the Thanksgiving message. Musical selections will be presented by the East Tennessee Symphony Orchestra and will be accompanied by a community choir conducted by Jeremy Francisco.

The Samaritan Center invites those attending the service to bring donations of nonperishable and canned food that is not out of date. During the service, a food donation offering will be taken to provide food for those in need in our community during this holiday season.

**[Press Info:** Community Thanksgiving Service on Tuesday, November 24, 7 p.m. at the Collegedale Community Seventh-day Adventist Church (9305 Four Corners Place, Collegedale, TN 37315). Please bring a nonperishable or canned food donation. For more information, call Eddie Schwisow at 423.238.7777 ext. 20.]

The Samaritan Center is the only social services agency in Ooltewah, providing essential emergency aid services to approximately 4,000 people in 2013. Since 1986, the Center has helped residents of East Hamilton County, providing assistance with food, rent, utilities, Christmas toys, and school supplies.

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