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Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue ServiceShort Form  
Return of Organization Exempt From Income TaxUnder section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code  
(except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

► Sponsoring organizations of donor advised funds and controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990. All other organizations with gross receipts less than \$1,000,000 and total assets less than \$2,500,000 at the end of the year may use this form

► The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

A For the 2008 calendar year, or tax year beginning \_\_\_\_\_ and ending \_\_\_\_\_

B Check if applicable

Address change

Name change

Initial return

Termination

Amended return

Application pending

Please use IRS label or print or type  
See Specific Instructions

C Name of organization

Christian Service Centers, of  
Covington County, Inc.

Number and street (or P O box, if mail is not delivered to street address)

403 South Three Notch Street

City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4

Andalusia AL 36420

D Employer identification number

20-3056007

E Telephone number

334-222-3840

F Group Exemption Number

►

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

G Accounting method  Cash  Accrual

Other (specify) ►

H Check ►  if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

I Website: ► N/A

J Organization type (check only one) —  501(c) ( 3 ) (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527K Check ►  if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. A return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return

L Add lines 5b, 6b, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts, if \$1,000,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ ► \$ 307,282

## Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See the instructions for Part I.)

1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	
2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	307,056
3	Membership dues and assessments	3	
4	Investment income	4	226
5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
b	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a) (attach sch )		
6	Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G) If any amount is from gaming, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	6a	
a	Gross revenue (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1)	6b	
b	Less direct expenses other than fundraising expenses		
c	Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)	6c	
7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	
b	Less cost of goods sold	7b	
c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	
8	Other revenue (describe ► )	8	
9	Total revenue Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8	9	307,282
10	Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule)	10	70,000
11	Benefits paid to or for members	11	
12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	71,279
13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	1,663
14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	70,636
15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	7,653
16	Other expenses (describe ► See Statement 2)	16	57,150
17	Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	17	278,381
18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	28,901
19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	36,763
20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	20	
21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 18 through 20	21	65,664

## Part II Balance Sheets. If Total assets on line 25, column (B) are \$2,500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ

(See the instructions for Part II )

	(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
22	Cash, savings, and investments	51,637 22 84,494
23	Land and buildings	23
24	Other assets (describe ► )	24
25	Total assets	51,637 25 84,494
26	Total liabilities (describe ► See Statement 3)	14,874 26 18,830
27	Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	36,763 27 65,664

**Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments** (See the instructions for Part III.)

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose?

See Statement 4

Describe what was achieved in carrying out the organization's exempt purposes. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, or other relevant information for each program title

28 See Statement 5

(Grants \$  ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ►  28a 138,925

29 See Statement 6

(Grants \$  ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ►  29a 25,143

30 The Christian Service Center provides christian counseling for needy individuals and families.

(Grants \$  ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ►  30a 12,000

31 Other program services (attach schedule) See Statement 7

(Grants \$ 70,000  ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ►  31a 70,000

32 Total program service expenses (add lines 28a through 31a) ► 32 246,068

**Part IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees.** List each one even if not compensated. (See the instructions for Part IV)

(a) Name and address	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
Dwayne Seay 403 South Three Notch St.	Andalusia AL 36420 Moderator 2	0	0	0
James C. Garner 403 South Three Notch St.	Andalusia AL 36420 Vice Moderat 1	0	0	0
Kittyte Wyatt 403 South Three Notch St.	Andalusia AL 36420 Secretary 2	0	0	0
Danny Bess 403 South Three Notch St.	Andalusia AL 36420 Treasurer 2	0	0	0
Micah Garner 403 South Three Notch St.	Andalusia AL 36420 Assoc. Treas 1	0	0	0
Clyde Northrop 403 South Three Notch St.	Andalusia AL 36420 1	0	0	0
Missy Zessin 403 South Three Notch St.	Andalusia AL 36420 1	0	0	0
Joyce Sightler 403 South Three Notch St.	Andalusia AL 36420 1	0	0	0
Bill Pritchett 403 South Three Notch St.	Andalusia AL 36420 1	0	0	0
Lea Cooke 403 South Three Notch St.	Andalusia AL 36420 1	0	0	0

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## Part V Other Information (Note the statement requirements in the instructions for Part VI.)

	Yes	No
33 Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of each activity	33	X
34 Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents but not reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes	34	X
35 If the organization had income from business activities, such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a (among others), but not reported on Form 990-T, attach a statement explaining your reason for not reporting the income on Form 990-T		
a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more or section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?	35a	X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?	35b	
36 Was there a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N	36	X
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instr	37a	
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	37b	X
38a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still unpaid at the start of the period covered by this return?	38a	X
b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved	38b	
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations Enter.	39a	
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9	39b	
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities		
40a Section 501(c)(3) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under section 4911 ► _____, section 4912 ► _____, section 4955 ► _____		
b Section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or did it become aware of an excess benefit transaction from a prior year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	40b	X
c Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958		
d Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization		
e All organizations At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T		
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ► _____	AL	COPY
42a The books are in care of ► Danny Bess 403 South Three Notch Street Located at ► Andalusia, AL	Telephone no	334-222-3840
b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	ZIP + 4	36420
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ► _____	42b	X
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U.S.?	42c	X
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ► _____		
43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041—Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year	43	
44 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44	X
45 Is any related organization a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	45	X

**Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations only.** All section 501(c)(3) organizations must answer questions 46-49 and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51

46 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I Yes  No  46  X

47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II 47  X

48 Is the organization operating a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E 48  X

49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? 49a  X

b If "Yes," was the related organization(s) a section 527 organization? 49b

50 Complete this table for the five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None" None

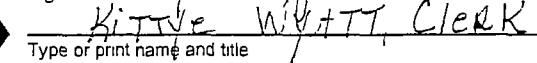
(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$100,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
None				

Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 ►

51 Complete this table for the five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None" None

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
None		

Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000 ►

<b>Sign Here</b>  	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge		
	Signature of officer	10-14-10	Date
<b>Paid Preparer's Use Only</b>	Preparer's signature Phillip G. Jones, P.A., E.A.	Date 10/12/10	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/> Preparer's Identifying Number (See instr) P00924516
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 Jones & Associates, P. C. P O Box 990 Andalusia, AL 36420	EIN 63-0990430	Phone no ► 334-222-3138
	May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions	► Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

**SCHEDULE A**  
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

**Public Charity Status and Public Support**

OMB No 1545-0047

**2008**

Open to Public  
Inspection

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

To be completed by all section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1)  
nonexempt charitable trusts.

► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ► See separate instructions

Name of the organization **Christian Service Centers, of  
Covington County, Inc.** Employer identification number  
**20-3056007**

**Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) (see instructions)**

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (Please check only one organization)

- 1  A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).
- 2  A school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Attach Schedule E)
- 3  A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). (Attach Schedule H)
- 4  A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii) Enter the hospital's name, city, and state
- 5  An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Complete Part II)
- 6  A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)
- 7  An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II)
- 8  A community trust described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II)
- 9  An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3 % of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3 % of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 See section 509(a)(2) (Complete Part III)
- 10  An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety See section 509(a)(4). (see instructions)
- 11  An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2) See section 509(a)(3). Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h.
 

a  Type I      b  Type II      c  Type III—Functionally Integrated      d  Type III—Other

e  By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2)

f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box

g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?

- (i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization?
- (ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above?
- (iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?

h Provide the following information about the organizations the organization supports.

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col (i) organized in the U.S.?		(vii) Amount of support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Total									

**Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**  
 (Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I)
**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants")						
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1-3						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc (see instructions)						12
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here						<input type="checkbox"/>

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

14 Public support percentage for 2008 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	%
15 Public support percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 26f	15	%
16a 33 1/3 % support test—2008. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3 % or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	<input type="checkbox"/>	
b 33 1/3 % support test—2007. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3 % or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	<input type="checkbox"/>	
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	<input type="checkbox"/>	
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2007. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	<input type="checkbox"/>	
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions	<input type="checkbox"/>	

**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)**  
 (Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I.)
**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 <b>Total.</b> Add lines 1-5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of 1% of the total of lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12 for the year or \$5,000						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 <b>Public support.</b> (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 <b>Total support.</b> (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						
14 <b>First five years.</b> If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here						

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

15 Public support percentage for 2008 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 27g	16	%

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

17 Investment income percentage for 2008 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 27h	18	%
19a 33 1/3 % support tests—2008. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3 %, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3 %, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		
b 33 1/3 % support tests—2007. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3 %, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		
20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a or 19b, check this box and see instructions		X

**Part IV Supplemental Information.** Complete this part to provide the explanation required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; or Part III, line 12. Provide any other additional information (see instructions).

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**Federal Statements****Statement 1 - Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 10 - Grants and Similar Amounts Paid**

Name and Address	Relationship to Organization		Class of Activity	Date of Gift		
Description of Property	Cash Contribution	Noncash Contribution	Book Value	Book Value Explanation	FMV Explanation	Purpose
Covington Baptist Association 18350 US Hwy 84 Andalusia, AL 36420						
Total		<u>70,000</u>				

**Federal Statements****Statement 2 - Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 16 - Other Expenses**

Description	Amount
Expenses	\$
Education, Public Relations	2,238
Maintenance & Renovation	15,463
Facilities Maintenance Di	1,485
Pest Control	541
Worksman Comp. Ins.	280
Food/Household, Pickup/De	25,143
Counselor Expense	12,000
Total	\$ <u>57,150</u>

**Statement 3 - Form 990-EZ, Part II, Line 26 - Total Liabilities**

Description	Beginning of Year	End of Year
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses	\$ 14,874	\$ 18,830
	<u>14,874</u>	<u>18,830</u>

## Federal Statements

### Statement 4 - Form 990-EZ, Part III - Organization's Primary Exempt Purpose

#### Description

The Corporation has been organized to transact any and all lawful business for which nonprofit corporations may be incorporated under the laws of the State of Alabama for specifically charitable, eleemosynary, and religious purposes in accordance with Code of Alabama, Section 10-3A-4(a). The primary activity of the Corporation shall be to provide food and clothing to those in need and to operate thrift stores known as Christian Service Centers in the cities of Andalusia, Opp, and Florala in Covington County, Alabama.

### Statement 5 - Form 990-EZ, Part III, Line 28 - Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

#### Description

The Christian Service Centers earns revenue through its thrift stores by selling donated items of clothing, household furnishings, and miscellaneous items. This allows the corporation to provide assistance to needy individuals, families, and other worthy organizations with similar missions.

### Statement 6 - Form 990-EZ, Part III, Line 29 - Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

#### Description

The Christian Service Centers accepts food and/or monetary donations which it uses to aide needy individuals, families, and other worthy organizations with similar missions.

### Statement 7 - Form 990-EZ, Part III, Line 31 - Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

#### Description

The Christian Service Center makes donations to other christian organization with similar missions.