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Form **990-EZ**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Short 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 \$500,000 and total assets less than \$1,250,000 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.

OMB No 1545-1150

2009**Open to Public Inspection****A** For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning January 1, 2009, and ending December 31, 20 09**B** Check if applicable:

- ☐ Address change
☐ Name change
☐ Initial return
☐ Terminated
☐ Amended return
☐ Application pending

Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.

C Name of organization**Acts4 Ministry, Inc**

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

P.O. Box 1026

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

Middlebury, CT 06762**D** Employer identification number**20-3676244****E** Telephone number**203-574-2287****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) ▶**I** Website: ▶ **www.acts4.org****J** Tax-exempt status (check only one) — ☒ 501(c) (3) ◀ (insert no) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527**H** Check ☒ if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).**K** 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 Form 990-EZ or Form 990 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 \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ ▶ \$ **70941****Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances** (See the instructions for Part I.)

Revenue	1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	61530
	2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	0
	3	Membership dues and assessments	3	0
	4	Investment income	4	121
	5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	0
	b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	0
	c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c	0
	6	Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G). If any amount is from gaming, check here <input type="checkbox"/>		
	a	Gross revenue (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1)	6a	4818
	b	Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	6b	3954
c	Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)	6c	863	
7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	4473	
b	Less: cost of goods sold	7b	40	
c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	4433	
8	Other revenue (describe ▶)	8	0	
9	Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8	9	66947	
Expenses	10	Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule)	10	0
	11	Benefits paid to or for members	11	0
	12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	39656
	13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	2081
	14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	21009
	15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	1373
	16	Other expenses (describe ▶ vehicles, supplies)	16	6167
17	Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	17	70286	
Net Assets	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	(3340)
	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	32027
	20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	20	0
	21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20	21	28687

Part II Balance Sheets. If total assets on line 25, column (B) are \$1,250,000 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	32751	30267
23 Land and buildings	0	0
24 Other assets (describe ▶ box truck)	400	200
25 Total assets	33151	30467
26 Total liabilities (describe ▶ payroll taxes)	1125	1780
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	32026	28687

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Expenses

(Required for section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts; optional for others.)

28	Clothing - provided over 2500 families with clothing and school uniforms that they could not afford to buy on their own. Provided these items for free. _____ _____ (Grants \$ 13700) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	28a	30000
29	Furniture - provided hundreds of families with beds and dressers and home furnishing essentials who were in need and had family members sleeping on the floor. These families could not afford to purchase these essentials. _____ _____ (Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	29a	15000
30	_____ _____ _____ (Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	30a	
31	Other program services (attach schedule) (Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	31a	
32	Total program service expenses (add lines 28a through 31a) ▶	32	45000

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

	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	✓
34 Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes	34	✓
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 why the organization did not report the income on Form 990-T.		
a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more or was it subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?	35a	✓
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?	35b	
36 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N	36	✓
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions. ▶ 37a 0		
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	37b	✓
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 outstanding at the end of the period covered by this return?	38a	✓
b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved	38b	
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9	39a	
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities	39b	
40a Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ▶ 0 ; section 4912 ▶ 0 ; section 4955 ▶ 0		
b Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or is it aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	40b	✓
c Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 ▶ 0		
d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization ▶ 0		
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.	40e	✓
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed. ▶ CT		
42a The organization's books are in care of ▶ Karen Greene Telephone no. ▶ 203-729-0397 Located at ▶ Naugatuck, CT ZIP + 4 ▶ 06770		
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)?	42b	✓
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶ _____ 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	✓
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	✓
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	✓

Part VI **Section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts only.** All section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must answer questions 46–49b 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	46	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
47	Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	47	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
48	Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	48	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
49a	Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	49a	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b	If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?	49b	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
50	Complete this table for the organization's 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."			

(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				

f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 **0**

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

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

d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000 **0**

Sign Here	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.			
	<i>Karen M. Greene</i> Signature of officer		10/29/2010 Date	
Paid Preparer's Use Only	KAREN M. GREENE Type or print name and title			
	Preparer's signature	Date	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	Preparer's identifying number (See instructions)
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4	EIN		Phone no
	May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			

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) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(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 through 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) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(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 2009 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	%
15 Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	%
16a 33⅓% support test—2009. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33⅓% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
b 33⅓% support test—2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33⅓% 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—2009. 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—2008. 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) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	7977	14560	26021	52364	61530	162452
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	539	387	1985	3083	4433	10427
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513	0	0	0	0	0	0
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge	0	0	0	0	0	0
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5	8516	14947	28006	55447	65963	172879
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons	0	0	0	0	0	0
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year	8300	12600	21350	16300	15216	73766
c Add lines 7a and 7b	8300	12600	21350	16300	15216	73766
8 Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						99113

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6	8516	14947	28006	55447	65963	172879
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	0	0	34	304	121	459
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975	0	0	0	0	0	0
c Add lines 10a and 10b	0	0	34	304	121	459
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on	0	0	0	0	0	0
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)	0	0	0	0	0	0
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12)	8516	14947	28040	55751	66084	173338
14 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2009 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2009 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	%

- 19a 33⅓% support tests—2009.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33⅓%, and line 17 is not more than 33⅓%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ► ☐
- b 33⅓% support tests—2008.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33⅓%, and line 18 is not more than 33⅓%, 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 ► ☐

Part IV

Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; and Part III, line 12. Provide any other additional information. See instructions.

Area with horizontal dashed lines for supplemental information.

Acts 4 Ministry, Inc.

Sharing God's Love by Providing for Those In Need

ACTS 4 - BOARD MEMBERSHIP

Mike Gaynor, Chairman

Home – 35 Greenbow St., Waterbury, CT 06708 (203) 573-8160

Business – Director of Supported Development, Easter Seals of Waterbury, 203-236-0188

Mike has tremendous knowledge of the City of Waterbury and experience job development and in helping families in need.

John Russo

Home - 104 Woodside Avenue, Waterbury, CT 06708 203-573-1133

Business – Manager, Drug Regulatory Affairs, Boehringer-Ingelheim, Danbury, CT 203 791-6812
Cell: 203-640-7935

John brings to the Board his business experience including his talents in organizational structure, material development, public relations and more.

Brian Gibbons

Home – 178 Faber Ave., Waterbury, CT

Business – Homeless Outreach Supervisor, Department of Mental Health & Addiction Services, Waterbury, CT 203-805-5387
Cell: 203-910-6430

Brian has over a decade of experience in working with the homeless population and has worked hard at getting people off the streets of Waterbury.

Bob Green,

Home - 37 Dunn Ave, Naugatuck, CT

(203) 729-0397

Business- retired

Bob has had careers in journalism for the Waterbury Post and in computers with IBM and brings many talents to the Board.

Karen Green, Treasurer

Home - 37 Dunn Ave, Naugatuck, CT
Business- Retired

(203) 729-0397

Karen, a long time "IBMer", has helped us establish a data base so we can maintain client and volunteer records and is currently developing a Web site -- www.Acts4.org
She also has training in bookkeeping and is taking accounting classes.

Bill Dowling

Home - 9 Peck Ln, Watertown, CT 06795

(860) 417-3763

Business - Manager, External Affairs, Bristol-Myers Squibb, Global Pharmacovigilance
Wallingford, CT 06492 203-677-6703

Cell: 860-575-2627

Bill is a former emergency room nurse who brings his caring for people and his business acumen to our ministry and the Board.

Pastor Brian Bywater,

Home - 108 Whitman Ave, West Hartford, CT 06107

(860) 521-2646

Business - Pastor, New Hope Anglican Church, 250 Colonial St, Oakville, CT
(860) 631-5170

Cell - 860-205-5150

Before joining Acts 4, Brian quietly ran his own sharing ministry out of his home. He brings his international development experience (Africa) and his long time passion for helping those in need.

Ellen Rogers, Secretary

Home - 345 Sorghum Ridge Rd, Cheshire, CT 06410

(203) 272-9675

Business - Homemaker

Ellen has years of church volunteer and committee experience. She works with the ministry in a variety of roles and brings her administrative skills to the Board.

Don Coffin

Home - 30 Mountain Edge Ct., Cheshire, CT 06410

(203) 271-1839

Business - Investment Advisor, ING Financial Partners, 110 Washington Ave., North Haven, CT 06473

(203) 234-6365

Cell: 203-605-6359

Don brings experience in organizational development and urban ministry to the Board. He has served for Acts 4 from delivering furniture to sorting clothes.

Ray Reynolds

Home - 346 Quassapaug Rd. Woodbury CT. 06798 203-263-7550

Work: Service Delivery Technician, AT&T, 555 Lakewood Rd. Waterbury CT. 203-560-3007

Cell: 203-525-7077

Ray is a long time Acts 4 volunteer who now manages the furniture warehouse. Ray adds his wit & wisdom along with his "get it done" attitude to the Board.

Laura Coffin, Executive Director

Home - 30 Mountain Edge Ct., Cheshire, CT 06410 (203) 271-1839

Business - Acts 4 Ministry, Inc., 150 E. Aurora St, Waterbury, CT (203) 574-2283

Cell: 203-927-6761

Laura is the Executive Director of Acts 4 overseeing weekly operations and ministry development. She is a licensed clinical social worker who maintained a private counseling practice for many years.