

JESUS

JESUS CHRIST
IS THE LORD

JESUS
SAVES

HOUSE
OF
MERCY

573

New Year's Day

SOUP KITCHEN

1:PM - 2:PM

3rd and 4th
SATURDAYS

OF THE MONTH

Year B

Ecclesiastes 3:1-13

Psalm 8

Revelation 21:1-6a

Matthew 25:31-46

For everything there is a season,
and a time for every matter
under heaven ...

Ecclesiastes 3:1

The Four Seasons

Leonard French
La Trobe University
Sculpture Park
Melbourne,
Australia



"It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end."

Revelation 21:6a



Alpha and Omega -- Metalwork, Benton Chapel, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN

'Lord, when was it that we saw you
hungry and gave you food ...'

Matthew 25:37a

Seven Works of Mercy
(with Christ as one of
the recipients)

Master of Alkmaar
Rijksmuseum
Amsterdam



'... or thirsty and gave you something
to drink?'

Matthew 25:37b



Soup Kitchen at the House of Mercy Church, Winter 2009 -- Tony Fischer, Newark, NJ

'And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you?'

Matthew 25:38a



Sanctuary of the Divine Works of Mercy -- Guayaquil, Ecuador

"... or naked and gave you clothing?"

Matthew 25:38b



Works of Mercy -- Pieter Bruegel

'And when was it that we saw you sick
... and visited you?'

Matthew 25:39

THE EXTRA MILE

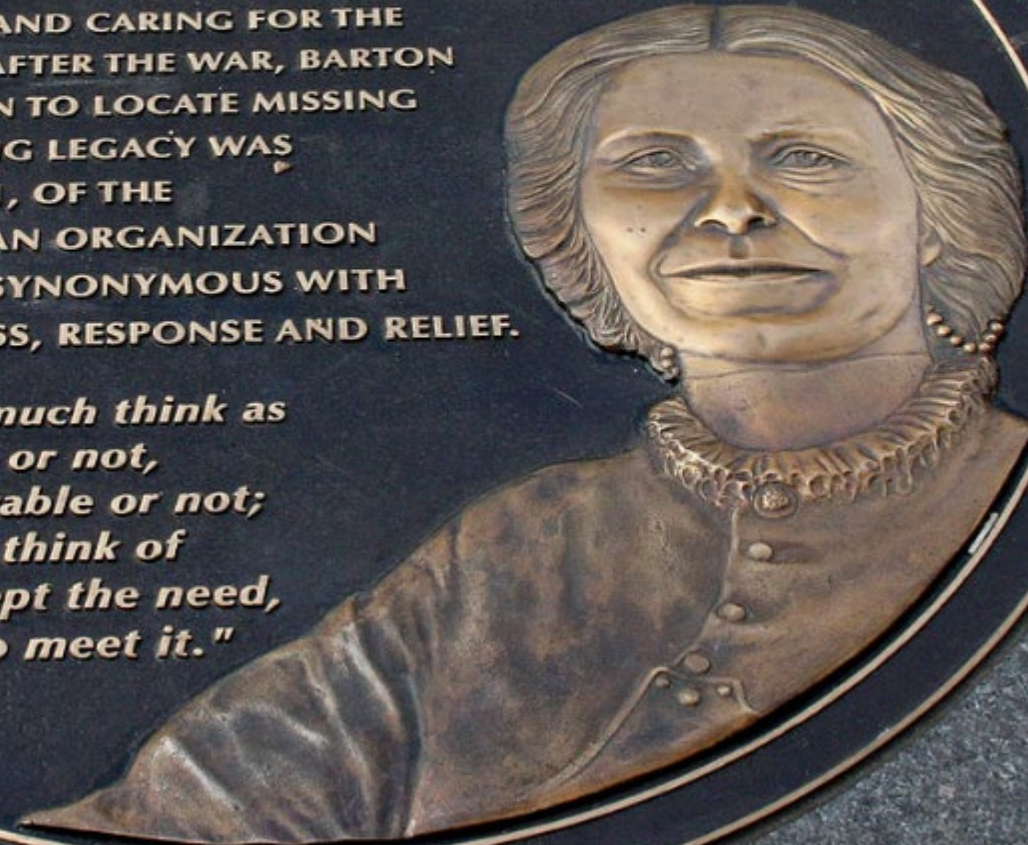
Clara Barton

1821-1912

CLARA BARTON LIVED A LIFETIME OF TIRELESS SERVICE TO OTHERS. DURING THE AMERICAN CIVIL WAR, SHE BECAME KNOWN AS THE "ANGEL OF THE BATTLEFIELD", DELIVERING SUPPLIES AND CARING FOR THE SICK AND WOUNDED. AFTER THE WAR, BARTON ORGANIZED A CAMPAIGN TO LOCATE MISSING SOLDIERS. HER ENDURING LEGACY WAS THE FOUNDING, IN 1881, OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS, AN ORGANIZATION WHOSE NAME BECAME SYNONYMOUS WITH DISASTER PREPAREDNESS, RESPONSE AND RELIEF.

"You must never so much think as whether you like it or not, whether it is bearable or not; you must never think of anything except the need, and how to meet it."

Points of Light Volunteer Pathway



The Extra Mile – Clara Barton, Founder of the Red Cross -- Washington, DC

Mary Eliza Mahoney

Founder of National
Association of
Colored Graduate
Nurses



'And when was it that we saw you ...
in prison and visited you?'

Matthew 25:39

Seven Works of Mercy
Diakonie Conference Center
Neuendettelsau, Germany



'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these ..., you did it to me.'

Matthew 25:40



Jesus Christ

Alexi von Jawlensky
Los Angeles County
Museum of Art
Los Angeles, CA



"Don't Look Down on a Man...Unless You Gonna Pick Him Up -- Mural, Washington, DC

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