



Don Eskes, Chief Executive Officer

## God Blesses the Mission with Stellar Leadership

Our Board of Directors has voted to appoint Don Eskes the new Chief Executive Officer of the Fresno Rescue Mission.

Don is a former corporate executive and business owner who has lived in Fresno since 1965. As a graduate of CSU Fresno, he has served on many community boards and ministries after coming to Christ in his late 20's.

Since retiring from business in 2004, Don focused his efforts on Kingdom ministry, using his leadership skills, his business savvy and his heart-felt love for people to not only support his church as a member of their staff, but to likewise work for One by One Leadership Foundation, Habitat for Humanity, Chapel of Grace at Valley State Prison, and as a hands-on team member in a number of mission trips to Africa and Asia. Don has served as Board Chairman of the annual Fresno Clovis Prayer Breakfast for many years. In 2010 Don started working as a volunteer for the Fresno Rescue Mission. In 2011 he came on staff at the Mission, working in Development and Donor Relations.

Don and his wife, Betty, of 47 years, are active members of the Bridge Evangelical Free Church of Fresno. They have three grown, married children and seven grandchildren.

Please join us as we celebrate with Don in his new appointment as our ministry's leader. We know that God has chosen Don for His purpose and His plan, "... for such a time as this." *Esther 4:14*

~ Steve Ocheltree, FRM Board Chairman

## Baptized in Christ

On the 14th of May, 26 men openly celebrated their commitment to Christ through water baptism.

