

SOCIAL ENTERPRISE IN ACTION CHECKOUT OUR CAFE ON SUNDAY MORNING



COFFEE WITH A MISSION









WHO WE ARE

Volente Coffee Roasters exists to train and educate clients of the Modesto Gospel Mission's New Life Program (NLP) in coffee best practices, equipment maintenance, customer service, sales and general business operations. It will serve as a valuable resource to teach vital business skills to individuals re-entering the workforce, to better equip them to provide for themselves and their families. All proceeds from sales will go directly to The Modesto Gospel Mission to support their youth, family, and men's and women's programs. We intend to impact our community and provide hope in the individual lives of the men and women we train.

\$9 from every bag of coffee sold goes back to the mission

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TRAINING



LIFE SKILLS

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT





BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

MEET MIKE



Before I got to the mission I was burnt out and empty. I had burned through my entire life savings. I was doing well for a fair amount of time after being in recovery for the last four vears after which I relapsed. When COVID-19 hit, I had stopped going to

church due to churches being closed, and so was the 12-step group that I had been a part of. I started hanging out with a close friend who had relapsed and began using again. it started off slow and then progressed into exactly what it always turns into, shame, guilt, and eventually spending time with the wrong people.

I had this "here I go again" moment where I was doing the same things that I had sworn never to do again. My addiction kept me from the people I loved the most. Shame kept me from my family. I could feel death knocking at my door. Something had to change! I reached out to a close friend, and he told me about the Modesto Gospel Mission. They opened their doors to me and made me feel welcome. I knew I was in the right place. Shortly after being here, I was given the opportunity to gain experience on how to roast coffee at Volente and fell in love with the process. I have found so much purpose since I have been at the Modesto Gospel Mission and since I have been a part of Volente Coffee.