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As the holidays approach, take a few moments to carefully inspect all your holiday items to ensure everything is in safe, working order. Remember, extension cords are designed for temporary use and should never be used as a permanent or long-term solution. When working outside with a ladder, be mindful of the location of overhead power lines.

## HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

GREYSTONE'S OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON THESE DATES IN OBSERVANCE OF THE FOLLOWING HOLIDAYS: NOV. 23–24, THANKSGIVING; DEC. 25–26, CHRISTMAS; AND JAN. 1, NEW YEAR'S DAY, ENJOY THE HOLIDAYS! November 2023

## SPREADING GENEROSITY

It's November, and that means it's time for another GivingTuesday. Each year on the Tuesday following Thanksgiving, millions of Americans donate billions of dollars to U.S. nonprofits, with more than \$3 billion given in 2022. Now a global generosity movement, GivingTuesday was created in 2012 to encourage people to do good.

As a GreyStone member, you can give back to the community every month by simply rounding up your power bill to the nearest dollar. On average, members give 50 cents a month. When you combine all the members who participate in the program, the impact is great to the community GreyStone serves.

Through our Operation Round Up program, more than 28,600 of our members voluntarily round up to help their neighbors.

During the 12 months ending in August of this year, we have funded \$17,500 in scholarships and more than \$532,000 in assistance for groups like SHARE House, Special Olympics, Warehouse of Hope, the Good Samaritan Center, CASA of Douglas County, the Nichols Center, Helping Hands of Paulding County, Beyond the Front Porch and more.

Since the program's inception in 1998, GreyStone members have given more than \$6.5 million to support the program. "That small change adds up to make a big difference, and I thank each one of our volunteers who support this program," says GreyStone Board Secretary-Treasurer David Hagenow.

Those who would like to sign up to give may do so at *greystonepower.com/oru*. We encourage members to sign up on Nov. 28 for GivingTuesday!

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GreyStone employees visit schools throughout our service area to present Safety City, which teaches children about the dangers of electricity and how to be safe around it.

