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- Plain Dealer Article by Steven Litt, in print on October 31, 2021: [Cleveland Landmarks Commission approved installation of bronze sculptures of suffering Jesus across West Side](#)
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Installation Timeline

Statue:	Location:	Delivery:	Installation:	Dedication:
<i>Homeless Jesus</i>	Saint Malachi Parish	December 2021	December 2021	April 3, 2022
<i>When I Was Sick</i>	Cleveland Clinic Lutheran Hospital	December 2021	December 2021	TBD
<i>When I Was in Prison</i>	Bridge CLE (formerly known as Family Ministry Center)	June 2021	June 28, 2021	September 16, 2021
<i>When I Was a Stranger</i>	The Refugee Response at Urban Community School	TBD	Spring 2022	TBD
<i>When I Was Naked</i>	Malachi House	December	March 18, 2022	TBD
<i>When I Was Hungry and Thirsty</i>	Old Stone Church		Installed already	

Artwork Details

These life-sized bronze sculptures are three dimensional. The original sculpture was made from clay at Schmalz's home, and from that he made a rubber mold. He uses the services of a foundry to make the bronze casts.

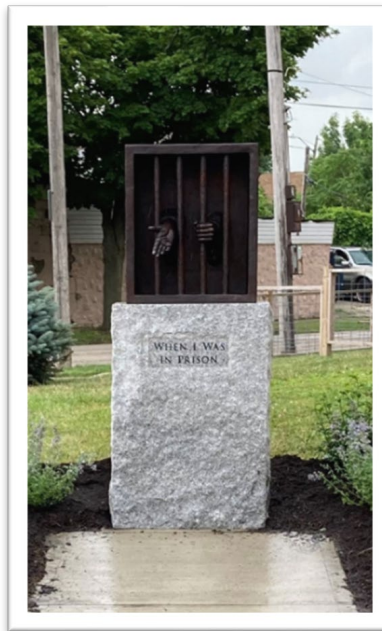
Homeless Jesus depicts the basic need for shelter and raises awareness of the homeless population in our community in need of care and compassion. Dimension: 36"H x 84"W x 24"D - Approx. 600 lbs.



When I Was Sick is representative of not just physical illness. This powerful piece shows the many ways illness can affect people including mental health, addiction, disability and abuse. Dimensions: 39"H x 78"L x 38"D - Approx. 200 lbs.



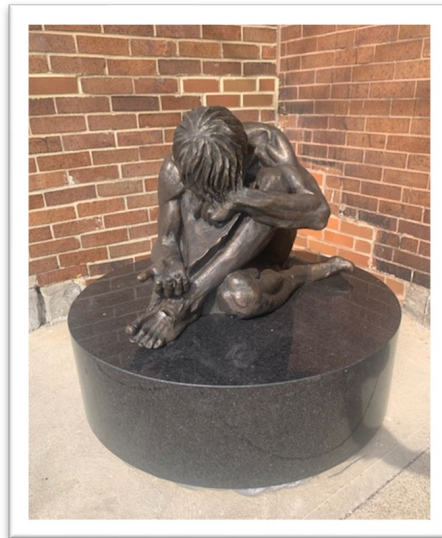
When I Was in Prison portrays the loneliness of people who are incarcerated and the struggles they face upon reentry into our society. Dimensions: 27"H x 23"W x 7.5"D - Approx. 75 lbs. (Sculpture only); Pedestal dimensions: 42"H x 29"W x 13"D - Approx. 1,300 lbs.



When I Was a Stranger urges us to understand the difficulty immigrants face when entering a new country. Newcomers need compassion, acceptance and patience. Dimensions: 42" H x 23" W x 39" D - Approx. 300 lbs. (Sculpture only)



When I Was Naked illustrates the vulnerability of the poor and those who live without their basic needs being met. Dimensions: 24"H x 36"W x 36"D - Approx. 200 lbs. (Sculpture only)



When I Was Hungry and Thirsty portrays the desperation and hopelessness that those who are starving experience.

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