



November 15/16

Donation Drive at St. John for Valley Mission and WARM

In response to the gospel to love our neighbor and to take action to help our neighbor, we are sponsoring a donation drive to help the homeless in our community, who especially need our help in the cold weather. These are our neighbors who need our help. Two organizations provide this help:

Valley Mission in Staunton and WARM in Waynesboro.

Valley Mission provides the following services:

- Safe shelter for individuals and families experiencing homelessness
- Hot nourishing meals and emergency food boxes
- Critical case management and mental health support
- Educational opportunities like afterschool lessons
- Spiritual guidance and pastoral support.

WARM is the Waynesboro Area Refuge Ministry. They accomplish the following:

- Organize cold weather shelter during the winter months at local area churches.
- Operate the Ruth Van Cleve Anderson WARM House, which helps moms work toward financial, emotional, and spiritual stability that ensures their long-term success.

Items requested include:

Food Staples

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Coffee• Tea• Sugar• Salad Dressings• Ketchup• Mustard• Chili beans• Soups• Cereals | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pop Tarts• Other Dry Breakfast Items• Hot chocolate• Kool-aid packets• Microwave popcorn• Snack foods• Creamer | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Jelly• Peanut butter• Canned non-perishable foods (fruit, vegetables, spaghetti-Os, soups, tuna, chicken, beans, juices) |
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- Dry pasta
- Bottled water
- Cooking oil
- Condiments
- spices (especially salt & pepper)
- hamburger helper (boxes)

Toiletries

- Heartburn Medicines
- Shampoo
- Deodorant
- Body wash
- Lotion
- Shaving cream
- Toothpaste
- Toothbrushes (adult & child)
- Children's shampoo
- Antibacterial liquid hand soap
- Feminine hygiene products
- Conditioner

Kitchen Supplies

- Liquid dish soap
- Automatic dishwasher detergent
- Aluminum foil
- Storage bowls with lids
- Zip lock bags
- Paper towels
- Trash bags

Laundry Supplies (hypoallergenic)

- Laundry detergent
- Fabric softener

Baby Supplies

- Diapers (all sizes)
- Wipes
- Baby food (all stages)
- Bottles
- Sippy cups
- Pacifiers
- Formula (cans or coupons)
- Baby lotion
- Baby powder

Cleaning Supplies

- Any and all cleaning supplies
- Glass cleaner
- Toilet cleaner
- Bleach
- Lysol (or generic disinfectant spray)
- Hand sanitizer
- Trash bags

Linen (new or very Good)

- Bath towels
- Wash cloths
- Pillowcases
- Twin linen
- Twin blanket

Household Supplies

- Paper towels
- Toilet paper
- Ziplock bags (various sizes)
- Rubber gloves (Heavy duty & single use)
- Light bulbs (LED only please)
- Batteries (AA/AAA)

Office Supplies

- Postage stamps
- Staples
- Copier paper
- Pens
- Scotch tape
- Paperclips
- Colored folders
- Spiral notebooks

Medications (alcohol Free)

- Cold medicine
- Flu medicine
- Allergy medicine
- Cough syrup
- Neosporin
- Cough drops
- Acetaminophen, Ibuprofen,
- Pepto Bismol, Imodium
- Band-Aids

Cold Weather Items

- Hand Warmers
- Hats
- Gloves