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CHRISTMAS JOYOUS SEASONS FOR ALL OF OUR CLIENTS! PLEASE HELP US MAKE EACH OF THESE A Š HALLOWEEN, THANKSGIVING,



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Donate Your Dollars:

On our website projecthopeomaha.org or send to us in the mail.

Direct your Thrivent Choice Dollars to Project Hope.

Donate Food and Clothing:

Bring food and your gently used clothing to our main pantry site. Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

PROJECT HOPE **HAPPENINGS**

Autumn Edition October 2018

Share your food with the hungry . . . Give clothes to those who need them.

Isaiah 58:7

Project Hope, Inc. is a non-profit food pantry which provides food and clothing assistance at no cost to families in need.

Pantry Locations and Hours Main Pantry Location:

Monday, Wednesday & Friday 11:00 a.m. - 2:45 p.m.

Satellite Pantries: **Holy Cross Lutheran**

4117 Terrace Dr 3rd Thursday of the Month 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

St. Matthew Lutheran

1725 S 60th St 3rd Saturday of the Month 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

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WINE TASTING & SILENT AUCTION

PROJECT HOPE raised **\$2,000** on September 29, 2018 with our first wine tasting and silent auction event at Vino Mas to help us cover a portion of our operating cost for 2018.

THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING BUSINESSES WHO DONATED ITEMS FOR OUR SILENT AUCTION!

AKSARBEN CINEMA \$25 GIFT CARD
BEACON HILLS RESTAURANT IN AKSARBEN VILLAGE \$50 GIFT CARD
BONEFISH GRILL IN REGENCY \$25 GIFT CARD
CAMP CAROL JOY HOLLING \$350 YOUTH CAMPING CERTIFICATE
JIMI D'S IN AKSARBEN VILLAGE \$15 GIFT CARD
OMAHA SPORTS PROPERTIES 2 FREE UNO HOCKEY GAME TICKETS

THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS WHO DONATED ITEMS FOR OUR SILENT AUCTION!

LEE AND JEAN JOHNSON ~ NOTE CARDS & SERVING BOWL SET
NANCY LINDSEY ~ THE EAT, DRINK, & BE SCARY HALLOWEEN GIFT SET
REV. DIANA KUHL & KATHY NELSON ~ GRILLING SET & \$50 FAREWAY CARD
BRENT THOMSEN ~ WINE RACK, WINE GLASSES, & 4 BOTTLES OF WINE
KENT & SUE TIES ~ INSTANT POT SET & COOKBOOKS

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO ATTENDED AND PURCHASED OUR SILENT AUCTION ITEMS. IF YOU ENJOY THESE TYPE OF EVENTS, PLEASE SEND US AN EMAIL AND WE WILL ADD YOU TO OUR INVITATION LIST FOR NEXT YEAR.

Thanksgiving Baskets

Reservations are currently being taken for our 2018 Thanksgiving Baskets!

Qualifying households may register @ Project Hope during our October regular pantry hours Monday, Wednesday, & Friday or at our satellite locations during scheduled pantry.



Clients choosing to receive a Thanksgiving Basket will not qualify for a regular pantry during the month of November

@ Project Hope.





PUMPKIN SPICE CAKE

Recipe will be provided to clients with the Thanksgiving Baskets.
Servings 15 / 157 calories per serving.

1 (18 oz.) box spice cake mix 1 (15 oz.) can pumpkin

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F. Generously grease a 9x13 inch baking pan.

In a large bowl, mix together the spice cake mix and canned pumpkin until well blended. Spread evenly into the prepared pan.

Bake for 25 to 30 minutes in the preheated oven, or until a knife inserted into the center comes out clean. Cool and serve, or store in the refrigerator. This tastes even better the next day.

Frost with Cream Cheese Frosting if desired.

PANTRY NEEDS

YOUR food donations go directly to our clients and we thank you for your kindness in sharing your resources.

OUR GREATEST NEEDS AT THIS TIME ARE:

FOOD: Cream Soups, Canned Meats (Tuna, Spam, Sardines, Chicken, Salmon), Crackers, Canned Tomatoes, Canned Pasta Meals, Seasoning Packets (Taco, chili, gravy, etc.), Crispy Onions, Pancake Mix, Cornbread Mix, Cake Mixes including Spice, & Canned Pumpkin.

BABY NEEDS: Diapers sizes 4, 5 & 6; Tear Free Shampoo

Personal Care Products: Deodorant, Shampoo, Conditioner, Body

Wash, Lotion, Toothpaste, & Toothbrushes

PAPER PRODUCTS: Toilet Paper, Facial Tissue, & Paper Towels

HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTS: Small Bottles of Liquid Dish Soap and Small

Bottles of Laundry Detergent.

CLOTHING: Gently used infant, children and plus size adult clothing. Long sleeve shirts, sweaters, sweatshirts, hats, gloves, boots & coats.



WANTED

Winter Clothes, Coats, Boots, Hats & Gloves

Now is the time to bring your Fall & Winter Items to Project Hope!

Drop them off at the pantry on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.



Direct Your Dollars from Family Fare: Give your Family Fare receipts to Project Hope!

DIRECT YOUR DOLLARS is a receipt-based program. We can raise money simply by doing something we all do each week—going to the grocery store.

Every time you shop at your local Family Fare store, save your receipts and encourage your friends and family to do the same. Bring your Family Fare receipts to the pantry or mail your original receipts to Sue Ties, 19011 Lake Street, Elkhorn, NE 68022.

When we've collected and submitted \$150,000 in receipts, we receive \$1,000 for Project Hope!

Keep them coming! Thank you!



Halloween Costumes

Needed for Children!

Deliver to Project Hope no later than Wednesday, October 24 @ 3:00 p.m.



THANK YOU to Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church for our new concrete delivery pad!

Church groups, individuals and other organizations that donate food, clothing, paper products, personal care and household items will enjoy our new cement pad at our delivery entrance. Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church volunteers prepared the ground and installed the cement to improve the access and safety at this entrance.

Thank You!



THANK YOU!!



THANK YOU to the church members who have provided food for Project Hope during July, August, and September. The need is great in Omaha to assist struggling families provide adequate nutrition on a daily basis. Please continue to help us with our mission.

St. Michael Lutheran Church Lutheran Church of the Master Liberty Christian Church St. Paul Lutheran Church LCMS St. Mark Lutheran Church Lord of Love Lutheran Church Holy Cross Lutheran Church Mount Calvary Lutheran Church St. John Lutheran Church

Luther Memorial Lutheran Ch. Immanuel Lutheran Church **Bethel Deliverance Ministries** Zion Lutheran Church LCMS Mount Olive Lutheran Church Augustana Lutheran Church St. Thomas Lutheran Church Pacific Hills Lutheran Church Bethel Lutheran Church

Resurrection Lutheran Church Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church

Blessings to all of you for remembering our neighbors!



CHURCH DONORS THIRD QUARTER 2018



THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING CHURCHES SUPPORTING US FINANCIALLY.

BETHEL LUTHERAN WOMEN MOUNT OLIVE LUTHERAN CHURCH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF SCHALLER, IA St. Mark Lutheran Church Women's Guild

St. Matthew Evangelical Lutheran Church

Thank You to the following Churches **Donating Nonfood Items this Quarter:**

Lutheran Church of the Master Immanuel Lutheran Church Augustana Lutheran Church Mount Calvary Lutheran Church Resurrection Lutheran Church Lord of Love Lutheran Church St. Timothy's Lutheran Church

St. John Lutheran Church St. Michael Lutheran Church Bethel Lutheran Church Zion Lutheran Church Liberty Church St. Mark Lutheran Church Rejoice! Lutheran Church









Thank you to these groups for their donations!

Farm Credit Service of America providing a \$2,000 grant for dairy products. Florence Food Mart donating plastic bags.

Phil's Cash Super Saver Store for donated food & misc. items. Donations made through AmasonSmile, TAGG (Together a Greater Good), Thrivent Choice Dollars and United Way of the Midlands. Lord of Love Lutheran Church who has provided us with produce from their large garden all summer.

BP Energy Office @ 158th & Dodge for 2 truck loads of food & other items. Kiewit Construction Business Center @ 127th & I donating children's clothing. Siena Frances House donating clothes, paper products and personal care items.

Montessori Summer Co-Op donating food & money. Mount Olive Lutheran Church donating produce. Special thanks to all of our volunteers who put in many hours of service to our program.