

Church of the Immaculate Conception – Morning of Service

ON-SITE OPPORTUNITIES – in the Parish Center Classrooms-November 3, 2018

Albany Med NICU

“Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.” (Matt. 19:13-14)

MEMORY BOOKS

Time Commitment: 1 ½ hours/session

An Albany Med staff member will lead the group in making scrapbook pages for distribution through the NICU as gifts to families who have children die who are never discharged to home.

Max # of Volunteers: 15/Session-Minimum age: 15

Bethesda House

Shelter the homeless.

FLEECE SCARVES

Time Commitment: 1 ½ hours /session

Volunteers will make fleece scarves for the homeless at Bethesda House.

Max # Volunteers: 15/Session-Minimum age: None

Booth Home, Salvation Army

Feed the hungry.

FOOD PREPARATION

Time Commitment: 2-3 hours ó 1 Session

Volunteers will make a lasagna meal for 18 in our kitchen and deliver to Booth Home in Schenectady.

Max # of Volunteers: 8 Minimum age: None

Christmas Cards for the Military

Blessed are the peacemakers for they shall be called children of God.

CRAFT - Time Commitment: 1 ½ hours/session

Volunteers will create Christmas cards using stickers, stamps, and cut-outs from cards. The cards will be sent to patients at the Stratton VA Hospital and the National Guard contingent from Glenville who serve in Antarctica.

Max # Volunteers:15/Session-Minimum age: None

Habitat for Humanity

Feed the hungry.

FOOD PREPARATION-

Time Commitment: 1-2 hours ó 1 Session

Volunteers will prepare lunch for 20 Habitat workers and deliver to the worksite by noon. Lunches will include sandwiches, fruit, chips, cookies, and bottled water.

Max # of Volunteers: 5 Minimum age: None

Jack's Place

Blessed are the merciful for they shall obtain mercy.

CRAFT ó

Time Commitment: 1 ½ hours ó 1 Session

Volunteers will create holiday decorations.

Max # of Volunteers: 3 Minimum age: None

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Northern Rivers Early Childhood Learning Center

“Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.” (Matt. 19:13-14)

FLEECE BABY BLANKETS

Time Commitment: 1 ½ hours/session

Volunteers will make fleece blankets for children 6 weeks to three years old. Donations will be welcome for sleepers and books.

Max # Volunteers: 15/Session Minimum age: None

Ronald McDonald House

“Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.” (Matt. 19:13-14)

WELCOME CARDS

Time Commitment: 1 ½ hours/session

Volunteers will make welcome cards for guests at Ronald McDonald House.

Max # Volunteers: 5/Session Minimum age: None

Salvation Army *Shelter the homeless.*

PLARN FROM PLASTIC BAGS

Time Commitment: 1 ½ hours/session

Volunteers will make plarn (plastic yarn) from recycled plastic bags. This plarn will be crocheted at a later date into water-resistant mats to be distributed to the homeless.

Max # Volunteers: 15 /Session Minimum age: 12

Saratoga County Animal Shelter

All things of creation are children of the Father and thus brothers of man. ... God wants us to help animals, if they need help. Every creature in distress has the same right to be protected. (St. Francis of Assisi)

PET TOYS

Time Commitment: 1 ½ hours/session

Using old t-shirts, volunteers will make pet toys for the cats and dogs in area animal shelters.

Max # Volunteers: 15/Session Minimum age: None