CAPUCHIN COMMUNITY SERVICES
Milwaukee
House of Peace
St. Ben's Community Meal

Capuchins' Holiday Service Opportunities

▲ *Guests lined up outside to receive Holiday Gift Boxes, Toys and Gift Cards for their families last year.*

Can your group support Capuchin Community Services as we help those in need this holiday season?

We are holding Holiday Gift Box and Christmas Toy Drives this year. CCS is also collecting gift cards to respect donors and guests not comfortable shopping in-person for food, clothing or toys. (We refer to the people we serve as guests.) Here's how your group can help our guests:

- **Holiday Gift Boxes or Supermarket Gift Cards**, distributed during November and December. See the description below and the shopping list on the back. Supermarket gift cards are accepted in any amount. One box for a family, with turkey and all the fixings, is valued at $50. Pick 'N Save Supermarkets serve many of our guests. Cards are welcome in any amount up to $50. Please use a check for gifts over $50.

- **Holiday Toy Drive or Gift Cards**, distributed during the two weeks before Christmas. See the description below and a detailed shopping list on the back. Major retailers like WalMart or Target are accessible to most guests.

Holiday Gift Boxes

Capuchin Community Services provides food boxes to 1,000 senior households for Thanksgiving and 1,000 family households at Christmas. Qualifying guests are served at our two sites, the House of Peace and St. Ben's Community Meal.

Many guests served at the Meal at St. Ben's have access to a kitchen but don't always have food. Many of those served by the House of Peace are working people who have to rely on our Emergency Food Pantry to help feed their families.

We provide food boxes with a shopping list printed on it. Your group holds a food drive. The food box "packing event" works with groups of all ages and abilities.

A detailed shopping list is printed on the back of this flyer. For donated food boxes, the House of Peace adds a gift card to help pay for perishable foods and a turkey.

Toy Drive

The 1,000 households that sign up for the Christmas Holiday Gift Boxes include 2-3 children each. We are seeking gifts of new, unwrapped toys for children ages birth to 10 years of age, boys & girls. A detailed shopping list is printed on the back of this flyer. Gifts and/or gift cards should be delivered to the House of Peace site no later than 2 weeks prior to Christmas.

Holiday Service Support Materials

Capuchin Community Services provides many versions of support materials. To learn more about Holiday Food drives please visit:

www.capuchincommunityservices.org/ways-to-help/special-drives/holiday-food-box-program

To learn more about Holiday Toy drives please visit:

www.capuchincommunityservices.org/ways-to-help/special-drives/christmas-toy-drive

To help feed a family or provide gifts, please call us at 414.933.1300, xt. 1151 or email:

CapHolidayDrives@thecapuchins.org

(Reply slip on back of flyer)

Holiday Gift Boxes

Please donate one or more canned or boxed goods to help complete a Holiday Meal Box for a needy family. Capuchin Community Services will distribute food boxes to guests served at two sites: House of Peace & St. Ben's Community Meal. Please bring the items on:

- 1 box of mashed potatoes
- 1 bag of stuffing
- 1 box of cake mix
- 1 can of frosting
- 4 cans of green beans
- 4 cans of corn
- 2 boxes of pudding or Jell-O
- 2 boxes of cornbread mix
- 2 boxes of macaroni and cheese
- 2 cans of cranberry sauce
- 1 32 oz. can of sweet potatoes or yams
- 1 can of gravy (No glass jars, please)

Thank you for supporting our outreach to feed the hungry. We will fill the boxes at an upcoming program.

Holiday Toy Drives

Please donate one or more new, unwrapped toys to Capuchin Community Services. The friars will distribute toys at Christmas to families served at their two sites: House of Peace and St. Ben's Community Meal. Please bring the items on:

- Playdoh Sets
- Scooter
- Hot Wheels Cars & Track
- RC Car or Truck
- Music Head/Earphones
- Coloring Set & Easel
- Action Figures
- Jumbo Character Stuffed Plush Animal
- Etch-A-Sketch
- Basketball, Football, Baseball or Soccerball
- Children's Books
- Other toys for children birth to 10 years of age

Thank you for supporting our outreach to help families in need celebrate Christmas.

Capuchin Holiday Food Box & Toy Drives

A Capuchin Community Services ministry at two sites: House of Peace & St. Ben's Community Meal

Our business, group, church or school:

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will sponsor: (circle any number of drives)

Holiday Food Drive ***Christmas Toy Drive***

If food drive, # of food boxes needed: _____

Please drop boxes off on: _____

Please pickup boxes on : _____

Our contact person will be:

Name: _____

Daytime Phone # or Email:

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We will confirm day/time of food box pick up's. You can also RSVP by phone (414) 933-1300 , ext. 1151 or email to:

CapHolidayDrives@thecapuchins.org.

Holiday Gift Cards

Due to the current health emergency some donors and guests prefer to make their supermarket purchases online. You can support the Capuchin Holiday Food Box Drive by purchaing a Pic 'N Save gift card here:

https://giftcards.kroger.com/our-store-cards/pic-n-save

Please choose a gift amount of $50 or less. For gifts over $50 we ask that you send a check. Pic 'N Save will ship the card for free and doesn't charge a fee. 100% of your gift goes to our guests.

You can have the gift card shipped directly to the House of Peace when you fill out the online form. The address to use is:

First Name:	Linda
Last Name:	Barnes
Address Line 1:	House of Peace
Address Line 2:	1702 W Walnut St
City:	Milwaukee
State:	WI
Zip:	53205-1616
Phone Number:	(414) 933-1300