

Dear Christ Church Members,

The day that we last were actually physically together in church, the question arose as to how we would continue to support the several organizations we aid with food donations and other tangible gifts which might further their cause. At our last Outreach Committee meeting, we decided it would be good to update everyone on the needs of those organizations and what our parishioners can do to continue their support during the continued social isolation we all are experiencing. Much of this support will have to be financial, as hands on efforts have become much more difficult if not impossible. Some of us may even have received government assistance which we don't need and could contribute to one of these organizations.

The following is a list of these organizations and their contact information:

1. FM Food Pantry- Cash donations are requested. Checks can be sent to P.O. Box 626, Manlius, NY 13104. Pet Food can still be dropped off at the church office door.
2. Grace Church Food Pantry- Cash donations. Checks can be sent to the Food Bank of CNY, 7066 Interstate Island Rd, Syracuse, NY 13209. Designate for Grace Church, Program #20183.
3. Samaritan Center- Our next planned visit is on Saturday, July 18th. This may or may not happen because of COVID 19. Cash donations would be helpful. Checks can be mailed to 215 N State St, Syracuse, NY 13203.
4. We Rise Above The Streets - financial donations may be sent to website ifweeattheyeat.org and checks can be sent 404 Oak St, Suite 111, Syracuse, NY 13203.
5. CNY Diaper Bank- Cash donations are requested. Send checks to P.O. Box 367, Manlius, NY 13104. Website for donations: cnydiaperbank.org.
6. Vera House - The White Ribbon Campaign was interrupted by distancing in mid-March. We will resume the drive when we congregate again.
7. Clear Path for Veterans - To support Clear Path's COVID-19 Task Force financially, go to clearpath4vets.com or mail checks to 1223 Salt Springs Rd, Chittenango, NY 13037
8. Cristosal- Led by former parishioner Noah Bullock, this organization continues to advocate for the human rights and safety of those threatened by gangs in Central America, including relocating them to safe communities in their own countries. Contributions can be sent to 5 Rock Point Rd, Burlington, VT 05408.

We thank you for your consideration!
The Outreach Committee