

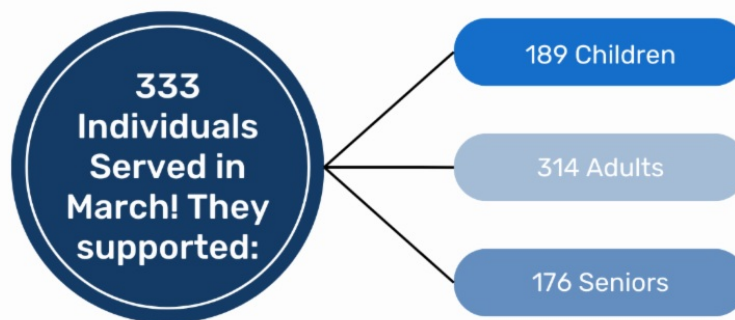


## April Newsletter



Our Monthly Community Dinner on March 4th was provided by Snappers Waterfront Cafe & Tiki Bar and hosted by our outstanding One Mission Volunteers!

**This Month, One Mission Cambridge Helped Feed 1,012 Neighbors In Need!**



### Purse Bingo Success!

Our Purse Bingo Fundraiser exceeded expectations! Our sold out event on March 24th was a huge hit and raised much needed funds for our mission center. Thank you to our sponsors, volunteers, and the Elks Lodge #1272

for pulling off a fantastic event!

*Pictured: Lauren Mikelson, Fundraiser; Krista Pettit, Director; Lynn Tanman, board member; Rhodesia Jackson, board member*



## Participate in our next fundraisers!

A colorful poster for the Cambridge Spring Craft Market &amp; Food Drive. The top features a banner of colorful triangles. The text reads: "Cambridge Spring Craft Market &amp; Food Drive", "April 26 3pm to 9pm", "Rain Date: May 3", "BLUE RUIN LOT 400 RACE ST.", "20+ VENDORS", "LIVE MUSIC &amp; BAR", "SILENT AUCTION", "RAFFLE FOR LOCAL GIFT CARDS", "FOOD &amp; MONETARY DONATION DROP OFF", and "ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT ONE MISSION CAMBRIDGE". Logos for "ONE MISSION CAMBRIDGE" and "Simmons Center Market" are at the bottom.

### Cambridge Craft Market & Food Drive

On April 26th, from 3pm to sundown, stop in to Blue Ruin at 400 Race St. in downtown Cambridge for a local artisan market, live music, amazing food and drinks, and a silent auction and raffle!

Shop from over thirty local crafters, vendors, and creators to the sweet tunes of local singer-songwriter Sam Pugh. From pottery to plants to pet supplies, we'll have something for the whole family!

To help us raise additional funds for our food pantry, enter our silent auction for handcrafted vendor items or participate in our raffle for local gift cards to your favorite businesses.

Before you head into town, consider cleaning out your pantry or stopping by the store to pick up some nonperishable food items. We will have food donation drop boxes at the One Mission booth!

A pink and white poster for the Mother's Day Flower Sale Fundraiser. It features floral illustrations and text: "ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT ONE MISSION CAMBRIDGE", "Mother's Day Flower Sale Fundraiser", "PREORDERS REQUIRED BY MAY 1ST", "Preorder online at onemissioncambridge.org, email fundraiser@onemissioncambridge.org or scan now!", "ONE DOZEN PINK ROSES \$35", "PINK VARIETY BOUQUET \$40", "PICK UP AT SIMMONS CENTER MARKET MAY 11 BETWEEN 12PM AND 4PM", and logos for "ONE MISSION CAMBRIDGE" and "Simmons Center Market".

### Mother's Day Flower Sale

Skip the box store this Mother's Day and shop for a great cause instead!

One Mission, with the help of the Dorchester Garden Club, are designing and selling two types of bouquets this Mother's Day: a dozen pink roses enhanced by gypsophila and greenery (\$35), and a pink and white floral variety that includes roses, carnations, spray roses, dianthus, and more (\$40).

Preorders MUST be in by May 1st to receive a bouquet. Pickup your bouquet from Simmons Center Market at 600 Race St. on Saturday, May 11th from 12pm to 4pm.

**PREORDER YOUR BOUQUET NOW!**



## Featured Volunteer: Cheryl Willey

Our outstanding volunteer, Cheryl Willey, along with a few other members from the Dorchester Garden Club, have stepped up to utilize their floral design expertise for our Mother's Day Flower Sale fundraiser! These wonderful women will be creating two gorgeous bouquet styles for this Mother's Day that you won't want to miss!

Cheryl has been a member of the the Dorchester Garden Club since 2017. The club, established in 1930 and federated in 1966, currently has 89 members who

gather monthly to listen to guest speakers, learn horticulture techniques, host floral design competitions, and so much more! Their annual luncheon, flower shows, and holiday wreath making workshop are just a handful of activities hosted by the Dorchester Garden Club. We are so pleased and grateful that President Kay Karminski, VP Sandy Lucas, and longtime member Karen Cartwright have also offered their floral design skills for our upcoming fundraiser!

Cheryl has been a dedicated volunteer of One Mission since shortly after our inception, having met our director Krista through Grace Methodist Church. She frequently helps us at the food pantry, has served at our community dinners, and was a generous Tricky Tray sponsor for our Purse Bingo event! Cheryl feels humbled by her work at One Mission, and enjoys listening to people's stories, encouraging clients to stay and mingle, and absorbing the kindness, individuality, and strength of the people that pass through our doors. Volunteers like Cheryl are what make One Mission possible! We are so blessed to receive her help. Thank you, Cheryl!



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