Welcome to The Extended Family Classes

Feel good. Do good. Have fun while doing.

How to Make the World a Better Place by Helping Your Neighbors in Need.

Meal Preparation for Families Class: Food insecurity is growing at an alarming rate and too many of our neighbors are unable to put food on the table. Our local Food Pantries are experiencing the stress of meeting the weekly numbers of increasing families in need of relief. Be part of the solution! Learn how to create nonperishable meals that serve 4-6 yet require no additional ingredients. You will be taught how to prepare and pack a wide variety of nonperishable meals, as well as learn how to develop new recipes.

Meal Preparation for Students Class: Did you know that sadly there are too many students who are not getting nutritious meals on the weekends and during school vacations? There are 177 days when students are out of school, placing a burden on families who are struggling to put adequate food on the table. Learn how to make a variety of simple, kid friendly nutritious meals for the microwave.

Meal Delivery Class: Learn how to coordinate delivery schedule with local Food Pantries and determine quantity for each delivery. Experience on site deliveries to gain awareness and knowledge of how best to interact with Food Pantry Staff and Guests

ART WITH A PURPOSE

Appreciation Gifts for Essential Workers Class: Learn how to create beautiful, usable gifts for essential workers in our local communities utilizing a variety of art materials resulting in unique one-of-a-kind gifts.

<u>Decorated Packaging for Food Pantry Guests Class:</u> Learn to make beautifully decorated meal packaging for Food Pantry guests by utilizing a variety of art materials resulting in reusable unique shopping bags which contain meals.

<u>Feel Good gifts for Families Class:</u> Learn to make creative art expressions for families who are struggling to let them know they are not alone, utilizing a variety of art materials and mediums.

CAPITAL REGION COMMUNITY CLASSES

Call or email for more information, to try a complimentary class, or to sign up. 518.986.3074 / welcome@theextendedfamily.soultions

Center for Independence, 1716 Central Avenue, Colonie

Mosaic Village, 55 Sargent Street, Cohoes

Where those with and without disabilities come together to lift up our neighbors in need!

Com Habs Welcome

Join us In-Person or on Zoom 1-Hour Virtual Classes: \$60 [art projects only]

In-Person Community Classes: One, Two, & Three-Hour Sessions: \$60/hour; Half-Hour add-ons for any session: \$30

To date we have donated over 67,000 individual meals and other food items to grateful recipients.

Join us to be part of making a difference in our community.

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