



Did you know that your clothing donations are helping with Missions? Community Aid makes a monetary contribution to Faith when they pick up the clothing items that folks drop in our collection box. I encourage friends, coworkers and family members to bring their clothes to me so I can drop them in our bin and Faith UMC gets credit. 🎄

Did you know that when we have fund raisers, a portion of the proceeds are designated to support Missions? So when you're buying baked goods or Christmas cookies or shopping the decorations table at Breakfast for Santa, enjoying a pork BBQ sandwich, or snacking at Faith Day a portion of the proceeds is directed to Missions. ❄️

Because of the generous support of the community and our church members, the Missions team is looking at supporting the local community that surrounds us here at Faith Church and specifically the families of Manheim Township through the purchase and donation of new items. They have asked for personal care items, small toys, grocery gift cards, children's books and stuffed animals.

**You've already done your part** – you've placed clothing in our Community Aid donation box in our parking lot, you've baked and donated and volunteered and generously shared of your time and your faith. You've brought friends to enjoy the baked goodies and pork bbq. So Missions will be purchasing the new items from our budget. For more information, please see the flyer. If you want to participate by either shopping for items or making donations, let me know. I am always happy to make someone else go shopping!!! If you would like to support this effort with additional contributions, just keep in mind that the items must be in new, unopened condition. Time is of the essence as the drop off for donations is Wednesday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at the Manheim Township School District, District Office. (Anyone around that could drop off what we collect?)



This Sunday is THE day to assemble shoe boxes to support College Students on several local campuses. Donations of snacks, personal care items and cards to let them know we're thinking of them and covering them in prayer will be collected, and disseminated via Campus ministries.

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