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## Mission

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Its message is based on the Bible.

Its ministry is motivated by the love of God.

Its mission is to preach the gospel of Jesus Christ and to meet the human needs in His name without

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# PLYMOUTH CORPS VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES 2017

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# YEAR-ROUND

## Food Pantry



Assist with sorting & preparing of donations so they are ready for families in the community.

## Janitorial



Assist with building up-keep and maintenance activities that include vacuuming, mopping of floors, grounds upkeep outside, tree trimming, etc.

## Reception / General Office Assistance

Assist with general office duties such as greeting people as they enter the building, answering phones, copies, and faxing. Varied Days from 8:30am-12noon and/or 1-4:30pm



## Tuesday Youth Night

Volunteers are needed to assist with making a light dinner/snack from 4:30-6:30pm or assisting with grade specific youth scouting groups from 5:45-7:15pm. Groups meet every Tuesday based on the Plymouth/Canton School schedule. Additional training in Safe From Harm (1 1/2 hour class & video) is needed with our Tuesday Youth Night



# SPECIAL EVENTS



**Spring Outreach**—Assist with setting up, cooking, visiting with guests, craft/activity stations and clean-up. April 7-8



**MAY**— Assist with the collection, sorting, and boxing food donations from the Post Office and Northridge Church Food Drives. Prep begins in late April/early May. Collection is Saturday, May 13 from 11am-5:30pm. Sorting/ boxing is May 15-18 from 9am-4pm.



**May 24**—One time a year we host an invitation only Appreciation Event for Volunteers. Assist with setting up, working and cleaning up after the event.



**Ride for the Red Shield**— Motorcycle Fundraiser in conjunction with our office in Downriver. Volunteers will assist during a quick break in Plymouth during the ride.

Riders are encouraged to join. Registration begins at 10am in Wyandotte, stops in Plymouth and ends in Canton with lunch for riders/passengers. Event date is August 19.



Assist with application interviews, setting up gym, collecting, sorting and packing donated school supplies into backpacks, help on the distribution day and clean-up afterwards. Sorting/packing of supplies is August 29 and

Application Interviews/Distribution is on Aug. 30, Times vary based on day, 9am-3pm

# THANKSGIVING & CHRISTMAS NOVEMBER—DECEMBER 2017



**Thanksgiving/Christmas Applications**—Help interview families that are applying for Thanksgiving or Christmas assistance. You will verify income, expenses, and proof that children live in the home. You will also provide the family with their date/time when they will return to choose gift items. Nov. 1-3 and Dec. 5-7. Times are 10am-3:30pm.

## Kettle Kick-Off



Join us on **November 10** in Kellogg Park in downtown Plymouth as we help light the boulevard trees and kick off our bell ringing season. Volunteers are needed from 5:00-8:30pm.

## Bell Ringing

Ring bells at various store front locations in Belleville, Canton, Northville and Plymouth. *November 10-December 23; Monday through Saturday from 10am-8pm.*

## Thanksgiving Food Box Distribution

Assist us as we pack items for a Thanksgiving Dinner and then distribute to families. November 20, time 10:00am-3:00pm

## Toy Shop Set-Up



Sorting of toy donations and preparing to distribute to families. Dec. 12-14 9am-4pm.

## Toy Shop Distribution

Help us pass out gift items that have been donated to the families that we are assisting, and assist parents through our Toy Shop as they select gifts and receive food. Dec. 15, 18-19, times from 9:30am-5pm.

## Gym Clean-Up



Help pack away any left over gift items, put tables away and sort any additional food received. Dec. 20-21, 9am-4pm