# help the hurting

TRULY I TELL YOU, WHATEVER YOU DID FOR ONE OF THE LEAST OF THESE BROTHERS AND SISTERS OF MINE, YOU DID FOR ME. Matthew 25:40

# What can you give?

Fort McCoy in Tomah, WI is now at full capacity with over 13,000+ refugees from Afghanistan. Nearly all the Afghan families are arriving at Fort McCoy with only the clothes on their backs, so the needs are immense. Would you consider giving to our brothers and sisters to show Christ's love? Your generosity and support is greatly appreciated!

#### **WE WILL BE COLLECTING DONATIONS:**

Thursday, September 16 / 10am-3pm Roseville Campus 2120 Lexington Ave N / Roseville, MN 55113

Bruce Adamson, an Impact (outreach) partner with Calvary Church has an Afghan contact at Fort McCoy who has given us the following list of needs:

#### **Immediate Needs**

- O Bread
- O Jam (NO PEANUT BUTTER, please!)
- O Electric teapots
- O Both green and black tea
- O Sugar
- O Old cell phones that can be re-activated and computers for use in connecting with family back in Afghanistan.

#### **General Items Needed**

- O Clothing (bulk items accepted):
- O Winter scarves
- O Head coverings
- O Men's—unbranded, modest clothing like shirts, pants, socks, shoes, under garments in various sizes
- O Women's—unbranded, modest long-sleeve crew neck shirts, long pants, socks, shoes, under garments to remain culturally-appropriate in various sizes
- O Plastic bags for clothing
- O Children's—follow gender-appropriate recommendations above in all age ranges and sizes.

## Child-specific items (some bulk items accepted)

- O Children's toys
- O Diapers of assorted sizes
- O Wipes
- O Baby Shampoo
- O Baby Lotion
- O Formula / Bottles
- O Blankets / Swaddles
- O Food / Water (individually packaged wherever possible)
- O Shelf-stable and ready-to-eat foods with minimal preparation requirements
- O Bottled water
- O Water-soluble electrolyte, hydration, and vitamin powders/liquids

### **Hygiene** (individually packaged)

- O Bars of soap (no liquid soap)
- O Shampoo
- O Deodorant
- O Towels
- O Toothpaste/Toothbrushes
- O Shower Shoes

#### **Miscellaneous** (all unbranded or minimally branded)

- O Bedding, including pillows and warm blankets
- O Reusable, durable water bottles
- O Feminine hygiene products
- O Backpacks
- O Hats

