

# St. Irene's Philoptochos Annual Christmas Toy Drive



*To benefit - HELPIS – Help Me Help Someone, Inc. (HMHS) is a social network for kind and charitable deeds. HMHS has a special focus on helping children and families in need and will work with other youth serving and family organizations to carry out their charitable missions.*

***PLEASE BRING A NEW, UNWRAPPED TOY TO THE  
CHURCH HALL BY DECEMBER 12, 2023.***

*Drop-off available during the week.  
ON CHRISTMAS DAY, A CHILD WILL BE SMILING BECAUSE YOU DID!!*

#### About Our Logo and Name



The ladybug was chosen as our logo since it symbolizes positive energy and is known as an emblem of luck and a symbol of protection.

A messenger of promise, the ladybug reconnects us with the joy of living.

Our name, HELPIS, comes from the word ELPIS. In Ancient Greek ELPIS meant hope. In Greek mythology, she was the goddess of Hope.