

Hello Monastery Volunteers,

We continue to see high numbers of guests, which means that we have quite a few donation requests! Please feel free to share donation requests with friends and family near and far.

Clothing Room:

- Body lotion
- Baby rash ointment
- Receiving blankets
- Men's pants- small
- Boy's pants- all sizes
- Women's bras small
- Men's underwear- boxers small and medium
- Boy's underwear- all sizes
- Shoes for all
- Men's belts- small/medium
- Hairbrushes
- Foot cream or talc

Cleaning/Hygiene Supplies

- Spray bottles of lysol/disinfectant (not wipes)
- Laundry racks (like this one)



Activities Room

- Small sewing/mending kits

Kitchen

- sliced bread for sandwiches (plain white or wheat)
- cereal
- 55 gallon trash bags

Sign up to Volunteer!

We are looking for volunteers in all areas! Right now we especially need volunteers in clothing and travel. Please sign up for a shift, or come to the monastery to see what is most needed!

Volunteer Sign Ups for different areas:

- **Transportation, Departure volunteers :** Please drop by the travel room any time during the day to learn about this vital role and get started!
- **Food preparation and service :**
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a044eafa72ea4ff2-monastery14>
- **Laundry:** <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a054cacae2faafa7-volunteer>
- **Clothing/Donations:** <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090d49a9ac2fa7f85-sign>
- **Caretaker:** <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a044eafa72ea4ff2-caretakers>
- **Arts and Activities, ESL**
: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050c4eaaa729a3fa7-casa>
- **Intake:** intake has multiple needs for volunteers, both Spanish and non-Spanish speaking. Sign up for more info here: <https://forms.gle/QC44jmeCqEG8v7h39>

Overnight Volunteers: please see this sheet for a description of this essential volunteer role:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1WGAS_3HIzfznb9GauuxCJUAj7RJb7M9EemhkJStvF-E/edit?usp=sharing

Reception Area Volunteers Interest Sign Up

We're in need of more people trained and interested in helping be a major line of defense for our guests at the monastery. The Reception Area volunteer's responsibilities include monitoring that everyone that comes in signs-in, wears a name badge, and is screened for completing the Safe Environment Training among other tasks. Please fill out this form and we'll contact you with more information. <https://forms.gle/gSATJPiMmwMAj3o6>

Other ways to donate. Please share widely!

You can donate online through the Catholic Community Services website here and indicate that you would like to direct your gift to Casa Alitas:

<https://www.ccs-soaz.org/donate/form>

You can also mail a check to

[CCS Development Dept., 140 W. Speedway, Ste. 230, Tucson, AZ 85705](https://www.ccs-soaz.org/donate/form) .

Make out the check to Catholic Community Services of Southern Arizona and indicate "for Casa Alitas" in the memo line.

We also have a GoFundMe set up and you can donate online here:

<https://www.gofundme.com/casa-alitas-for-migrant-families>

And finally, you can purchase an item off of our Amazon Gift List. This will be sent directly to Casa Alitas:

https://www.amazon.com/registry/wishlist/1V7FBHL40U5SV/ref=cm_sw_r_cp_ep_ws_3Xg-Bb564E3XD?fbclid=IwAR00fOYKdRweDebX-rXeMykJm9s_3sFqqR8ID0ZQPlvCoDRaL9dMIYuKVFs

Best,
Katy
Volunteer Committee

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MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THIS EMAIL:

This email is monitored by a small team of volunteers. We try to respond as quickly as possible to requests for information, but please be patient if we are not able to respond immediately.

This email account is used to mobilize volunteers and resources to support temporary community-based shelters for migrant families released from ICE. If you would like to receive updates from this email address through the "alitas_community" google group, please send your information to casaalitasprogram@gmail.com.

The Casa Alitas Program, run by Catholic Community Services of Southern Arizona, provides a safe place for migrant families after they are released from ICE. Casa Alitas operates full-time, year-round shelters for migrant families and is always looking for volunteers . If you are interested in becoming a regular volunteer at the permanent Casa Alitas shelter, please email katherines@ccs-soaz.org.