



THANK YOU CUUC!

Thank you for making many used clothes available to many people, as well as bags of toiletries. The spirit of The Mitten Tree was alive and well, thanks to your support.

Going forward donations need to be tailored to current needs. I spoke with Rev. Addolfo Moranta who leads the God in Action Food Alliance at Grace Church in White Plains. Grace Church provides food through their soup kitchen both to individuals in-house as well as take-out meals. Every Thursday the soup kitchen turns into a food pantry which provides food, toiletries, and household products directly to 300 individuals. If you would like to support their soup kitchen or food pantry financially, you can donate to Lifting Up Westchester on their website. CUUC has worked with [Lifting Up Westchester](#) in the past.

Currently Grace Church can no longer accept used clothes due to lack of storage space. However, new socks and new underwear for men, women, and children are much needed, as well as toiletries and household products.

I will plan to pick up any donations that are left at CUUC. Please call me with any questions at 914-592-4497.

Thank you for all your support over the holidays and for all continued support through Grace Church's direct outreach and for any monetary [donations to Lifting Up Westchester](#).

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