

Senior Mobile Meals Ministry

The following is the leader job description: 7-10 days prior to our delivery date, an email should be sent to all the volunteers to confirm their availability. An email account for the senior meal group has been created so it can be used by anyone who is taking over.

Once everyone responds to the email, the leader confirms that he/she has enough volunteers to cover the required jobs: cooks, brownie bakers and delivery drivers. The leader is part of the cooking crew.

The leader may, on occasion, have to deliver meals due to lack of delivery drivers/available alternates. The leader goes to Gordon Foods and buys the groceries for the meal which consists of pasta, spaghetti sauce, green beans, hamburger meat and mozzarella cheese. The leader will need to let the cashier know the purchase is for First Farragut UMC so it will be tax free. This shopping is usually done a few days before cooking.

On the Saturday morning that the meals are prepared, (first Saturday of the month before the first Sunday of the month), the leader will go to any grocery store and buy apples, bread and no sugar added fruit cups. This shopping is typically done on that Saturday morning as the bread is usually fresh baked. However, it can be done whenever is most convenient for the leader.

The leader will prepare route sheets and print out for the drivers. If a printer is unavailable, FFUMC's administrative assistant, can assist you in this effort.

The leader attends, on a quarterly basis, a meeting of all participating churches to discuss what is going on with the ministry, ideas on how to find new volunteers, etc.

If you are interested in serving as leader of this important ministry, please contact Stephen Richardson at scrinknox@gmail.com or Alvin Jenkins at a.l.jenkins@worldnet.att.net.