

FUEL BAGS

A Day of Service December 19, 2020

For there will never cease to be poor in the land. Therefore, I command you, 'You shall open wide your hand to your brother, to the needy and to the poor, in your land.' Deuteronomy 15:11 NIV

Christmas is typically a festive time, with breaks from the routine, meals with loved ones, maybe even some gifts. But for many families, the season comes with intense stress: some families with children in Williamson County are not getting enough food. St. Andrew Lutheran Church is collecting Fuel Bags to be distributed to children in our area over the holidays. Fuel Bags will be assembled at home and dropped off at St. Andrew on **Saturday, December 19**. This is a day of service for our congregation, as we are also delivering Christmas Baskets on December 19. If you choose, drop off your Fuel Bags and help deliver Christmas Baskets. Read details about Christmas Baskets in other communications. Or, simply drop off your Fuel Bags at the roundabout near the administrative entrance. There will be signs to direct you. Please stay in your car if you are dropping off Fuel Bags only, and wear your mask. A Faith Formation team member will get your Fuel Bags from your car. Items for Fuel Bags can be purchased at stores and packed at home. Have fun with it and make it a family project! The contents for each Fuel Bag are:

MUST HAVE:

- 2 Milk (Shelf stable milk – not powder milk) Brands include Horizon, Hershey's, Natrel
- 2 Meat/Entrée – Microwaveable meat meals, Spaghetti's, Chili, Ravioli, Beef Stew 7.5 ounce containers
- 2 cereal – individual size, not large boxes
- 2 Fruit Cup/Applesauce
- 2 Mac & Cheese
- 2 Juice Box

Like to Have:

- Granola Bars
- PB Crackers
- Fruit Snacks/Raisins

Good Substitutes:

- Pudding/jello cups
- Salty Snacks
- Peanut Butter to-go
- Sweets
- Ramen

Each Fuel Bag should contain 15 items

Thank you for your willingness to serve others during this holiday season!

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