

Christmas Giving Opportunity Midwest Mission Collection Nov. 28-Dec. 2



There are many charitable organizations that vie for our attention this time of year. While their intentions may be good, East Ohio Missions seeks to develop relationships and partnerships that are healthy and seek justice for the

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www.midwestmission.org is an opportunity within our UMC connection. The Board of Missions is encouraging all East Ohio congregations to collect items for MM, then bring to the drop-off site closest to you the week of Nov. 28-Dec. 2. MM is also one of our long-time Conference Advances which means they are reviewed each year by the Mission Awareness Committee.

ITEMS TO COLLECT FOR MMDC

- * All types of new sports balls (soccer, basketball, softball, baseball); inflated or deflated
- * Simple musical instruments like recorders, harmonicas, or percussion; gently used ok
- * Baby diapers
- * UMCOR Cleaning Kits https://umcmission.org/umcor-cleaning-kit/
- * UMCOR Hygiene Kits https://umcmission.org/umcor-hygiene-kit/
- * Please visit the UMCOR links for current kit contents and instructions, this can change from year to year!
- * Kits do NOT have to be complete, they will take items that go into the kits

Together, let's reconsider what God's generosity can look like during this

Thanksgiving, Advent and Christmas season!





General questions can be directed to Melanie at (330) 499-3972 Ext. 102 or mthomas@eocumc.com

MMDC COLLECTION SITES AROUND THE CONFERENCE

- Contact the site to confirm its drop-off times and instructions. The most up to date instructions can be found online at https://www.eocumc.com/missions/training.html
- No monetary donations at the drop-off sites, please. You can donate to Midwest Mission directly
 or donate through the conference using Fund 9944 Midwest Mission. Details about financial giving
 can be found online at https://www.eocumc.com/donate/index.html

CANAL | Tallmadge UMC | 207 N Munroe Rd, Tallmadge, OH 44278 | (330) 633-3734 Drop-off Nov. 28 OR 30 from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

FIRELANDS | Collins UMC | 4290 Hartland Center Rd #9703, Collins, OH 44826 | (419) 668-6203 Drop-off Nov. 28-Dec. 1 from 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.. Please bring to the door on the end marked "The Gathering at Collins."

MAHONING VALLEY | Boardman UMC | 6809 Market St, Youngstown, OH 44512 | (330) 758-4527

Drop-off Nov. 28-Dec. 2 from 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Enter from the main parking lot, take items to the Fellowship Hall located up the stairs and to the right (follow the signs posted).

MID-OHIO | Trinity UMC Mt Gilead | 75 East High St, Mt Gilead, OH 43338 | (419) 947-6040 Drop-off Nov. 28-Dec. 2 from 8:00-11:30 a.m. & 1:00-3:00 p.m.

NORTH COAST | Strongsville UMC | 13500 Royalton Rd, Strongsville, OH 44136 | (440) 238-6135

Drop-off in the pavilion (on the north side of the parking lot) anytime Nov. 28-Dec. 2. Due to construction, you may need to use the Webster Rd. entrance.

OHIO VALLEY | First UMC Carrollton | 253 S Lisbon St, Carrollton, OH 44615 | (330) 627-7671

Drop-off Nov. 28-Dec. 1 from 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. or Dec. 2 from 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. If these days/times are not convenient, items may be dropped off at any time and left in the glassed-in vestibule off the parking lot.

SOUTHERN HILLS | Old Washington UMC | 120 Old National Rd, Washington, OH 43768 | (618) 267-5226

Drop-off Nov. 28-Dec. 2 anytime during the day. Bring to the parsonage garage next to the church.

THREE RIVERS | Roscoe UMC | 475 High St, Coshocton, OH 43812 | (740) 622-7780

Drop-off Nov. 28-Dec. 2 from 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Use gym entrance at southwest corner of the building.

TUSCARAWAS | Bolivar UMC | 256 Poplar St./State RT 212, Bolivar, OH 44612 | (330) 874-2930 Drop-off Nov. 30-Dec. 2 from 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Donations can be left on covered front porch.

WESTERN RESERVE | Mentor UMC | 8600 Mentor Ave, Mentor, OH 44060 | (440) 255-3496

Drop-off Nov. 28-Dec. 2 from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Use the office entrance that is located on the northeast side of the church. This will be a no-contact drop-off site, if you need assistance unloading, contact the church office.

If none of the drop-off times work for you, contact the site to see if other arrangements can be made. You can use whichever location is closest, you do NOT have to drop-off in your district.