

Dear Parent/Guardian:

We would like to offer your child the opportunity to participate in a program at Jenison Christian Elementary School called Hand2Hand. This program helps provide a child with food for the weekends and is intended for families who currently may be experiencing a financial burden.

At the end of the week (Thursday), students who are signed up for the program will receive 8-10 food items in a black school logo drawstring bag that will be provided at the first week of participation. These food items will be a combination of breakfast, snacks, lunch and/or dinner items. While the food items are meant for the student, they can be shared among the family as well. ***(Please note: if your child or any other family member has food allergies, it will be the responsibility of the parent/guardian to check the contents of the backpack each week to ensure the food doesn't contain ingredients which could cause an allergic reaction).***

There is no cost to participate! If you sign your children up to receive Hand2Hand, they will continue to receive the weekly bags each year they are at Jenison Christian Elementary School. However, if down the road you no longer need the assistance, simply write a note expressing your desire to discontinue receiving Hand2Hand bags and give this note to the school office. This opportunity is being provided by Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Jenison. To learn more about Hand2Hand, please visit their website: <http://hand2handbackpack.org>.

If you feel like your student would benefit from this opportunity, please complete the response form at the bottom of this letter and return it to your student's teacher and we will make sure that your student's name is added to the list. Your response will be kept confidential.

Sincerely,

Tim Paauw, Principal
Jenison Christian Elementary School



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IF YOU WOULD LIKE YOUR CHILD(REN) AT JENISON CHRISTIAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TO PARTICIPATE IN HAND2HAND, PLEASE RETURN THIS PORTION TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE.

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| Child's Name: _____ | Teacher: _____ |
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Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Dated: _____