



Church Bulletin News

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Mesh Shopping Bags, Sleeping Bags Among Special Needs at the Food Pantry

One of the food pantry volunteers at The Sharing Center has reported a need for “mesh shopping bags for people without cars because the plastic and paper kind don’t work so well for people who are walking.” She said sleeping bags and small tents also are needed for newly homeless people. The number of families needing help has soared 36% this year at The Sharing Center. There is a special need now for these items: pasta sauce, boxed potatoes and other sides, toothpaste, toothbrushes, shampoo, laundry detergent. Don’t forget to clip coupons and look for Buy One, Get One Free items to stock your own pantry while you help someone else who’s going through a hard time.

Volunteer Opportunities

Receptionists and client interviewers needed weekdays from 8:30 am – 1:30 pm. Both positions require good listening and people skills. Must be comfortable with a computer. One-on-one training. Boutique cashiers needed Monday – Saturday, morning or afternoon shifts. Easy-to-use register. One-on-one training. How else can you help people in need at The Sharing Center? Call Michael at 407.260.9155 ext. 114.

\$20 Buys Shoes and a Smile

Hundreds of low-income children in Seminole County will go back to school in the fall in worn-out shoes that are too small for their growing feet. Just \$20 will give a child new shoes on her feet and a smile in her heart. To provide shoes, send checks to The Sharing Center, 600 N. Hwy. 17-92, Ste. 158, Longwood, FL 32750, or make checks payable to your church, designated for “The Sharing Center Shoes.”

Help with Prescription Costs

Did you know that The Sharing Center can help to locate sources for life-saving prescriptions at low- or no-cost? Uninsured persons and patients in need of formulary prescriptions may call Daisy, the MedNet Navigator, direct at 407.260.2317.

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