

Wallingford Presbyterian Church

CHRISTMARKET

meaningful alternatives to traditional gifts



Christmas 2021

OUR COMMUNITY

1 **FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP** **\$10** **Broad Street Ministries : Philadelphia**

Serving more than 1,200 meals per week, Broad Street Ministry's Hospitality Initiative welcomes, serves, shelters, supports and befriends the homeless population in the Philadelphia community. In addition to serving meals, BSM staff and volunteers provide links to social service networks and help to meet the practical needs of clients like mending clothing, offering personal care items, distributing clothing, and providing mail services. **For more information, visit www.broadstreetministry.org**



2 **A SAFE PLACE FOR CHILDREN** **\$10** **Chester Eastside : Chester**

The Chester Eastside After School Program provides elementary school children with free homework tutoring, reading skills diagnosis, and a healthy snack in a friendly and stimulating environment. With a part-time staff of four and over 30 volunteers from area schools, colleges and churches, CEM is able to offer children one-on-one homework help and individual attention. Additional features of the program include music, crafts, computer skills development, and woodworking. **For more information, visit www.chestereastside.org**



3 **RELIEF FROM COVID-19 IMPACTS** **\$10** **The Foundation for DELCO : Delaware County**

The Foundation for Delaware County has established the COVID-19 Response Fund. The pandemic will have vastly disproportionate health, economic, and social impacts on vulnerable citizens, particularly disadvantaged communities - including older adults, people with compromised immune systems, low-wage workers, and the homeless. The Response Fund identifies local nonprofit organizations that have proven track records and are trusted by the communities that are most disproportionately affected by this crisis. The Response Fund's community-based strategy complements government actions and other response efforts and will provide both immediate relief and longer-term recovery initiatives for maximum impact. **For more information, visit www.delcofoundation.org**



4 **SHARE THE PLATE** **\$10** **Philabundance Community Kitchen : Philadelphia**

PCK promotes the self-sufficiency of its students by preparing them for and connecting them to work in the food service industry and allows them to give back by preparing needed meals for those in need. Another focus of the curriculum is on life skills, which helps students not only secure a job but provides tools to build a career and a second chance at life. **For more information, visit www.philabundance.org/pck/#learn-more**



EDUCATION & ENVIRONMENT

5 GIRLS WANT TO READ Developments in Literacy : Pakistan

\$10

Developments in Literacy is dedicated to providing quality education to disadvantaged children, especially girls by establishing and operating schools in the underdeveloped regions of Pakistan, with a strong focus on gender equality and community participation. The gift given in your honor helps provide textbooks. **For more information, visit www.dil.org**



6 DUCKS AND HUNDREDS OF EGGS Heifer International : Worldwide

\$10

Ducks are delightful creatures - good for both people and the environment. Ducks add protein to the gift recipient's diet from eating eggs, money in their pockets from selling eggs and ducks, and better crops in the fields, as ducks remove weeds and bugs and add fertilizer. In some areas of the world, ducks are as much as tripling some families' incomes. Some people began with a starter flock of ducklings, and now they manage hundreds of ducks that enable them to send their children to school and offer them secure futures. The money donated in your honor will go towards ensuring a bright future for people in need. **For more information, visit www.heifer.org**



7 PLANT A TREE Plant with Purpose : Burundi, Haiti, Tanzania

\$10

The Bible says "and the trees of the field shall yield their fruit (Leviticus 26:4). But in order to have the trees (mango or orange, for example), someone must purchase them. In your honor, this has been done – a tree or a grove has been purchased in Burundi, Haiti, or Tanzania. These trees will help prevent or reverse deforestation and will provide nutrition, extra income, shade from heat, and seedlings that can be shared to help others start their own tree farming. **For more information, visit www.worldvisiongifts.org**



HEALTHY CHILDREN

8 SERVICE DOGS FOR CHILDREN \$10 4 Paws for Ability : USA

4 Paws for Ability enriches the lives of children with disabilities by training and placing quality, task-trained service dogs. This provides increased independence for the child, and assistance to their families. Your support will be a life-changing act for a child, a family, a dog, and for you!
For more information, visit www.4pawsforability.org



9 SAFE, WARM & READY TO LEARN \$10 Cradles to Crayons : Philadelphia Region

Cradles to Crayons provides children living in low income or homeless situations, from infant to pre-teen, the basic essentials that they need to feel safe, warm and ready to learn. Cradles to Crayons is able to provide most of these essentials through the donation of gently used items that are carefully inspected and sorted by volunteers. However, there is always a great need for items that are not donated with great frequency or are not often in a condition acceptable to pass along, such as coats, underwear, socks and other essentials. The gift given in your honor will help provide these essentials to infants and children in need.
For more information, visit www.cradlestocrayons.org/philadelphia



10 VACCINATE A CHILD \$2 Medical Benevolence Foundation : Worldwide

The Medical Benevolence Foundation has supported healing ministries in more than 100 hospitals and clinics throughout the world for more than 50 years. Childhood vaccination rates are as low as 30-50% in developing countries, where up to 50% of children die before age 5. Your Christmas gift provides vaccinations for preventable diseases to a child.
For more information, visit www.mbfoundation.org



11 DIAPERS AND FORMULA FOR BABIES \$10 Mothers at Cityteam : Chester, PA

Cityteam Chester works with low-income parents to insure that their children maintain a healthy environment by providing diapers, formula, baby food, car seats, strollers, cribs, and emotional support to each mother and her children. They serve over 700 parents each year. For about \$20, Cityteam can provide a package of diapers and a case of formula to help a mother and child at the end of the month when finances get stretched.
For more information, visit www.cityteam.org



RESCUE & ASSISTANCE

12 HELPING FAMILIES **\$10** **Asociación Puertorriqueños en Marcha**

The Association of Puerto Ricans on the Move (APM) serves 40,000 Philadelphians annually, operates on a combined budget of more than \$65 million, employs 400 multilingual, skilled and dedicated professionals and offers an extensive range of bilingual and culturally sensitive services at 13 sites throughout North Philadelphia and Montgomery County. APM programs include affordable housing, food security, employment assistance, early child education and daycare, foster care and adoption, substance abuse treatment and behavioral health for adults. Although originally started for and by Latinos, APM provides services to everyone in their service area. **For more information, visit <https://apmphila.org>**



13 ASSISTING ERITREAN REFUGEES and **\$10** **ASYLUM SEEKERS in MANY COUNTRIES** **The America Team for Displaced Eritreans**

Eritreans continue to flee acute oppression (religious and political) and end up in a desperate situation with little food and security. The America Team assists now with a family of 8 in Uganda, 10 men stuck in war torn Yemen, families in Somali-land, two young women in Cuba, etc. Donations are also used to help Eritreans in process of seeking asylum in the United States: they are in federal detention and money is provided for making phone calls to family and lawyers, for postage and for bus fare, once released. The America Team is deeply involved assisting with the crisis of thousands of Eritreans trapped in Libya.



14 SUPPORTING FREEDOM FOR GIRLS **\$10** **New Life Center Foundation : Thailand**

The New Life Center Foundation works exclusively with young ethnic minority women throughout the Mekong sub-region (Thailand, Burma, China, and Laos) who are at risk for, or victims of, human trafficking, forced labor, and sexual abuse. Since its inception in 1987, the NLCF has partnered with the Royal Thai Government and international NGOs to provide legal, psychological, and repatriation assistance. **For more information, visit www.newlifecenterfoundation.org**



15 WPC MISSIONARY PROJECT SUPPORT **\$10** **Zambia**

In support of our missionary, Melissa Johnson, in Zambia to support projects such as infrastructure for the Chasefu Theological College. Establishment of the CTC has led to the education of pastors in holistic ministry that can lead to a reduction in poverty through sustainable agricultural practices and the building of healthier, self-sufficient communities. Donations will help support most critical needs.



CHRISTMARKET 2021 SHOPPING LIST

		Price	QTY	Total	# Cards
1	FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP Broad Street Ministries : Philadelphia Help provide food and fellowship for someone in need in Philadelphia	\$10			
2	A SAFE PLACE FOR CHILDREN Chester Eastside : Chester Help provide a child with after school tutoring and activities	\$10			
3	RELIEF FROM COVID-19 IMPACTS The Foundation for DELCO : Delaware County Help provide relief during the COVID-19 crisis	\$10			
4	SHARE THE PLATE Philabundance Community Kitchen : Philadelphia Help promote self-sufficiency and the development of life skills	\$10			
5	GIRLS WANT TO READ Developments in Literacy : Pakistan Help provide school supplies	\$10			
6	DUCKS AND HUNDREDS OF EGGS Heifer International : Worldwide Provide a duck or a flock of ducks to ensure a bright future for people in need	\$10			
7	PLANT A TREE Plant with Purpose : Burundi, Haiti, Tanzania Provide a tree or a grove of trees to help preserve land from deforestation and provide nutritious fruit to reverse poverty	\$10			
8	SERVICE DOGS FOR CHILDREN 4 Paws for Ability : USA Help a family offset the cost of a service dog for their child	\$10			
9	SAFE, WARM & READY TO LEARN Cradles to Crayons : Philadelphia Region Help purchase coats and other essentials for a child in need	\$10			

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	Price	QTY	Total	# Cards
10 VACCINATE A CHILD Medical Benevolence Foundation : Worldwide Help vaccinate a child	\$2			
11 DIAPERS AND FORMULA FOR BABIES Mothers at Cityteam : Chester, PA Help provide baby essentials and emotional support to low-income families	\$10			
12 HELPING FAMILIES Asociación Puertorriqueños en Marcha Help provide affordable housing, food security, employment assistance, early childhood support and behavioral health services for adults.	\$10			
13 ERITREAN REFUGEES and ASYLUM SEEKERS WPC/America Team for Displaced Eritrea Help with critical needs (food, housing, transportation) for families in many countries and individuals seeking asylum in the U.S.	\$10			
14 SUPPORTING FREEDOM FOR GIRLS New Life Center Foundation : Thailand Help provide legal, psychological, and repatriation assistance to victims of human trafficking	\$10			
15 WPC MISSIONARY PROJECT SUPPORT Zambia Support projects in Zambia led by WPC missionaries	\$10			

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Wallingford Presbyterian Church and
indicate ChristMarket in the Memo*

Select option below:

- No cards please
 I will pick up my cards at church
 Please email my digital cards
 Please mail my cards
(Add \$2 S/H for mailing)

The ChristMarket provides meaningful alternatives to traditional Christmas gifts, while raising awareness of the needs of others and funds to support those needs. You can support these projects in lieu of a tangible gift to family, friends and colleagues, and a descriptive card will tell the recipient of your generosity on their behalf. With 15 different projects to choose from, there is something for everyone on your shopping list! Mission and Service will match all gifts up to \$5,000.

SHOP IN PERSON

Sunday mornings in December after worship in Fellowship Hall

SHOP ONLINE

In the Church Center app by selecting the three dots at the bottom right-hand corner, entering “Events” and selecting the Christ Market option, or by visiting bit.ly/ChristMarketWPC

SHOP BY MAIL

Complete and mail enclosed shopping list

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