

Just as the Wise Men brought gifts to welcome the Baby Jesus, so can you. This year we are collecting the following items to be used to help those in need:

Gas and grocery cards (or cash donations) for Christ in Action fund:

Often people fall on hard times and need a bit of help to get them through this moment in time. Seeing someone humble themselves and walk in the door of Hope and ask for help is enough to make you want to skip Starbucks for the week. Ask anyone on staff who greets a weary face in the office seeking assistance, its heart breaking and yet sending them out with a bit of Hope is so rewarding. Feel free to write a note of Hope to be passed along with the card.

Night Angels Detroit and Foster Closet of Oakland County:

We are collecting new hats, mittens, gloves, and scarves, all sizes. As the weather changes and the days get colder and the night even colder, holding someone heads in the form of a mitten warms two souls at the same time.

Socks:

We take off our socks and wash them after a long day. When they get to the point of not being as soft and no longer make our feet happy, we toss them out. For those that do not have that option, a pair of socks is less about comfort and more about warmth. Any socks will do to keep you warm, but the feel of a brand new pair puts a smile on our face every time we put on a new pair. This year put that smile on the face of someone you might not ever meet this side of heaven. All sizes are needed, as socks makes the top three most requested items in a homeless shelter (underwear and razors are the other two).