

# **Operation Christmas Child**

#### **DROP-OFF LOCATION**

### THE JOURNEY STARTS HERE

NEW for 2021, Crosspointe is designated as an Area Drop-Off location for Operation Christmas Child shoebox gifts during National Collection Week.

As an Area Drop-Off we will need volunteers to greet, unload, count, and package shoeboxes from November 15—22 to fill the following schedule:

Weekdays 9 a.m. to Noon Saturday 9 a.m. to Noon

Noon to 3 p.m. 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Sunday 3p.m to 6 p.m.

Individuals, families, or community groups are welcome to serve. Choose your day, your shift, and your position online.

OCC Area Drop-Off Volunteers Sign-Up By November 14



Scan or Visit www.YourC3.org/OCC



Operation Christmas Child is a project of Samaritan's Purse that shares the love of Christ with children around the world through the gift of a shoebox. Shoebox gifts are delivered into the hands of children through local churches, every shoebox gift is an opportunity to share about Jesus Christ and God's love.

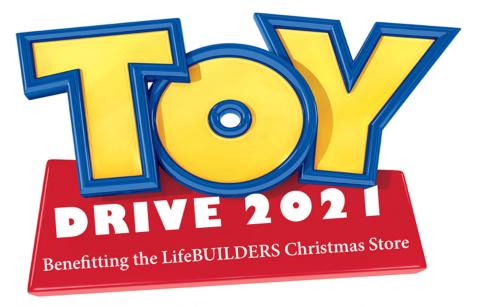
Since 2009, more than 26.5 million children who have received a shoebox gift have participated in The Greatest Journey—a 12 desson discipleship program where they learn what it means to follow Jesus.

Shoebox gift idea sheets, cardboard shoeboxes, and labels are available in the main hall. Include \$9 in your box for shipping or purchase a follow my box label online. OCC also offers an online build a box option starting at \$25.

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes Due November 21



Scan or Visit www.YourC3.org/Shoebox



LifeBUILDERS is a Christ-centered community of hope located on Detroit's east side. They host a special Christmas Store for families. Each Christmas, Crosspointe partners to help stock the shelves of the store with NEW, UNWRAPPED toys.

#### Suggested Toys Include:

Sports Items Board Games

Craft & Art Supplies Baby & Toddler Toys

Card Games Models

Building Sets Action Figures

Ethnic Baby Dolls Puzzles

Handheld Games Science/STEM Kits

Drop-off new, unwrapped toys at the display in the main hall or scan/visit the Amazon Toy Drive Wish List to shop online and have items delivered directly to LifeBUILDERS.

## **LifeBUILDERS**

The mission of LifeBUILDERS is to restore dignity and provide hope to the residents of Regent Park, a Northeast Detroit neighborhood. This is accomplished through empowering youth with life skills, reclaiming an entire neighborhood and providing high quality affordable housing, and building a community of shared values, trust and hope for the future, all grounded in the Truth.

LifeBUILDERS Annual Christmas Store provides an opportunity for

Regent Park residents to have a full Christmas shopping experience. LifeBUILDERS program attendees and selected residents are invited to shop and purchase new items provided by

supporters at a significantly reduced percentage from the original suggested retail price. Shoppers are invited to have their gifts wrapped and enjoy a time of fellowship celebrating the birth of our Savior! All the funds received go back into the community to meet ongoing program needs.

LifeBUILDERS Toy Drive Toys Due By November 28



Scan or Visit www.YourC3.org/TOY



Since 1996, Incarcerated Youth Ministries has provided spiritual retreats, prayer visits, worship services and special events to youth detention centers in Metro Detroit.

One of the special events offered is the annual Christmas Cookie Party. Through the gift of a Christmas cookie, YM has the opportunity to offer the True meaning of Christmas and a chance for some of the youth to taste and enjoy their very first homemade Christmas treat.

Donated, homemade cookies are packaged and delivered to the centers sharing the love of Christ and Christmas cheer to over 600 residents and staff each December.

Cookie donations are due to Crosspointe no later than Sunday, December 5. Scan/visit the YM link for additional details and opportunities to serve with IYM.

IYM Cookie Drive Cookies Due By December 5



Scan or Visit www.YourC3.org/Cookies



For over 100 years, the Detroit Rescue Mission Ministries has been focused on rebuilding lives one at a time, with the help of partners, donors, volunteers, and community groups.

You can impact the lives of those in need by donating the following basic essential items:

Warm Knit Caps Gloves (not canvas)

Crew Socks Razors

Sweatshirts (XL, 2XL, 3XL) Washcloths

Hand Lotion (small) Tissue Packs

Deodorant Chapstick

Soap

Deposit items in the green collection bins or scan/visit the DRMM Amazon Wish List to shop online and have your items delivered for you. Gift bags will be assembled and delivered to DRMM during the Christmas season.

DRMM Essentials Drive Drop-Off By December 12



Scan or Visit www.YourC3.org/DRMM





Service comes in many forms at Crosspointe. It can be on this campus through volunteer opportunities, in our community by partnering with local outreach programs or around the world through partnerships with foreign

missions. Serving can be as simple as praying wholeheartedly for someone or as complex as flying to a foreign land to help on a missionary's farm.

To learn more about Christmas Impact or other service opportunities at Crosspointe, visit www.YourC3.org/Serve