



## *Holiday Food Baskets*

In 2008, Center of Hope supplied a holiday food basket to almost 500 families. This year, more than 400 new families have visited the Center for help. We anticipate giving a record number of Christmas food baskets during the holiday season.

*Please consider selecting 1 or 2 items for your group to provide for those in need in our community.*

Ham – canned or frozen  
Sweet Potatoes - can  
Green beans - can  
Instant Potatoes - box  
Gravy mix - packet  
Instant Stuffing – box or bag

Broth – can or box  
Rolls – fresh dozen  
Cake mix - box  
Frosting - can  
Canned fruit  
Box of Jell-o

*Instant Coffee*  
*Pancake Mix - box*  
*Syrup - bottle*  
*Sugar – 2 lb. or 4 lb.*  
*Oil - bottle*  
*Baking Mix (like Bisquick) - box*

We ask that you contact us before you start your food drive so that we can ensure **all** items will be collected by our deadline. Some items may already be completely donated, so please call!

Our food shelves are so low that we will have to purchase any items not collected by our community. Thank you for giving!

The last day to bring food items for Holiday Baskets is **12/10/09**.

*6-8 volunteers are needed to hand out food baskets from Dec. 14-17, 21-22 from 10am - 2pm. Please call to schedule a time you can volunteer.*

We look forward to hearing from you. Please contact:  
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