

ST. FRANCES X. CABRINI CATHOLIC CHURCH ANNUAL LENTEN CHRISTIAN SERVICE PROJECTS—2024

Items collected from Sunday, February 18 to Sunday, March 17

St. Frances will be collecting items to help those in need. Please bring your donations to the St. Frances parish hall after Mass or during regular business hours—Tuesday & Thursday from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm.

FOOD, CLOTHING, AND HOUSEHOLD ITEMS FOR MIGRANTS

Food: rice, white flour, corn flour (Maseca or Mass Brosa) pinto beans (dry), cooking oil, refried beans, black beans, salt, pepper, shortening, baking powder, tomato sauce, spaghetti sauce, spaghetti , macaroni, macaroni & cheese, cereal, jelly and peanut butter

Clothing (Summer Weight)

Men's and Women's long sleeve cotton or light flannel button down shirts, blue jeans and socks.

We are collecting clothing that the migrants will use when working in the fields. Please donate ONLY clothes listed above. Thank you.

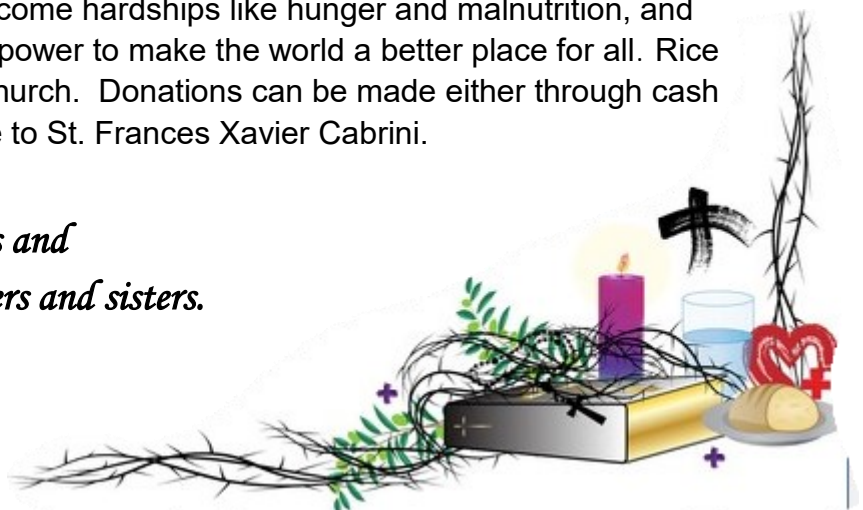
Household Items: laundry detergent, dish soap, lotion, shampoo, bar soap, single packaged toothbrushes, toothpaste, deodorant, towels, wash cloths, dish rags, dish towels, blankets and sheets (twin, full or queen).

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES - OPERATION RICE BOWL

Each Lent, Catholic families across the country unite to put their faith into action through prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Through CRS Rice Bowl, families learn about how our sisters and brothers across the globe overcome hardships like hunger and malnutrition, and how through Lenten alms, we have the power to make the world a better place for all. Rice Bowls are available in the back of the church. Donations can be made either through cash or check—please make checks payable to St. Frances Xavier Cabrini.

*May God bless you for your generous and
compassionate response to our brothers and sisters.*

See reverse for ongoing ways to
contribute



ST. FRANCES MISSION STORE

St. Frances Mission Store is here to help in the community by having available through the year, items that are needed to make a house a home. The store donates all its profits to the Local Food Pantries, Vassar Area Emergency Fund and other organizations that service the needy in Tuscola County.

Donate furniture and household items all year on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Your donated items help the environment while helping others by keeping these items from going to a landfill.

If you have any questions please call at 989-823-8803 during their regular business hours.

CAN TABS

Collect the pull tabs from beverages, juice, soup, vegetables, etc. to support Disabled Veterans. Place can tabs in the designated basket in the back of St Frances church or the designated basket by the St. Frances parish office.

VASSAR AREA EMERGENCY FUND

The Vassar Area Emergency Fund services all the needy of Tuscola County They are a 501c3 that is funded solely through donations. The VAEF helps with rent, electricity, wood, natural gas and propane. Appointments must be made in advance to receive assistance. Donations are always welcome.

VASSAR FOOD PANTRY

The Vassar Food Pantry provides boxes of food to those in need in the following communities: Vassar, Millington, Mayville, Reese, Richville and Frankenmuth. The food pantry is funding through both monetary and food donations. The Food Pantry is open on Tuesdays from 10:00 am—2:00 pm
Donations are accepted during operating hours.

CHARITY, OR ALMSGIVING, 
IS AN OUTWARD SIGN OF
CHRISTIAN LOVE FOR OTHERS.
