

Pantry Paper - SEPTEMBER 2013

THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS WHO ASSEMBLED AND HANDED OUT SCHOOL SUPPLIES, especially Boy Scout Troops 1577 and 5346, who came in Sunday, August 11th and sorted supplies from a large donation.

THANK YOU SPELLMAN FAMILY FOR DONATING MARKET CONTENTS, and 25 Pantry volunteers for sorting, loading and delivering them with only 48 hours notice on Sunday, July 28th; 500 boxes went to the Pantry.

CONCERT TO BENEFIT THE PANTRY SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21 at 7 p.m. at Prince of Peace Episcopal Church, 5700 Rudnick Ave., Woodland Hills, CA 91367. Grammy Award Winner Barbara Bailey Hutchison will sing as well as play guitar and piano. Refreshments will be complimentary. Tickets are \$20 for adults, \$10 for those under 18. For info, call (818) 346-4140.

SAVE THE DATES NOVEMBER 16 – 17 Calabasas Drive-thru Food Drive We need experienced volunteers throughout the day to teach novices to sort.

SUPERMARKET FOOD DRIVE Help is needed Saturday, September 7th at Sprouts at Topanga/ Ventura and Saturday, September 14th at Albertson's on the south side of Victory west of Fallbrook. It consists of two hour shifts, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. To sign up for the 7th, call Jeff Albee; for the 14th, call Carol Lombard. Also, we need a back-up driver with a pick-up truck to pick up the food from both drives and transport it to the Pantry. Interested? Call Al Trumpler. We welcome Bruce Rider as our new primary driver.

WE APPRECIATE OUR AUGUST SHIFT LEADERS Antje Brunner, Jennifer Frost, Phyllis Henkin, Carol Lombard, Jill Rotner, Andrea Schwartz, Susan Steeb, Maxine Stevens, Lee Tishler, and Karen Zarachoff.

VOLUNTEER NEWS We recognize and appreciate **Glenn Ellis** for eleven years as our Senior Wednesday Coordinator. She recently

handed off this responsibility to Jill Rotner, a long-time Senior Wednesday volunteer.

IF A GROUP DROPS OFF A DONATION, please ask them if they would like to receive a thank you note. If so, pull a donation card from the envelope on the bulletin board, fill it out and sign it. You'll need to ask their name and postal or email address, describe what they donated and **MAKE SURE THIS INFORMATION IS LEGIBLE**. Then return the card to the envelope, where it will be passed on to a note writer. When someone drops off a personal donation, give them the card to document a charitable deduction.

TRIBUTES For a minimum donation of \$5, you can honor or remember someone and, also, help the Pantry. Please send the name of the person you wish to remember/honor, the reason for it, and the address of the honoree or their family, along with your check, to Madeline Lewis, 6036 Shirley Ave., Tarzana, CA 91356. We wish to inform the honoree or their family that they've been honored. Also, please let us thank you by including your name and address.

THE PANTRY WILL BE CLOSED SEPTEMBER 2 LABOR DAY

JULY 2013 STATISTICS

	<u>P.O.P.</u>	<u>Rescate</u>
TOTAL FAMILIES SERVED	763	417
PEOPLE SERVED: Adults	1,221	770
Children	<u>393</u>	<u>586</u>
	1,614	1,356

Total contributions from individuals for the month were \$1,530.

Senior Wednesday, Aug. 7, 186 people got large food bags.