

Pantry Paper – SEPTEMBER 2014

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THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS WHO GAVE OVER 300 BACKPACKS

filled with school supplies to Pantry clients August 9th. Also thanks to everyone who sorted supplies and packed the backpacks the day before. Besides our Pantry volunteers, organizations lending a hand were National Charity League and Woodland Hills Community Church.

SUPERMARKET FOOD DRIVE Help is needed Saturday, September 6th at Sprouts at Topanga/ Ventura. It consists of two-hour shifts, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. To sign up, call Jeff Albee. Also, we need a driver with a truck to pick up the food from the Sprouts Drive and transport it to the Pantry.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO PICK UP FOOD FROM A GROCERY STORE and deliver it to the Pantry? The Pantry needs volunteers to back up our current ones. You would be shadowing the main pick up/delivery person to understand the process and meet the grocery contacts. You would act as an alternate for vacations or substitutions. Interested? Contact Terri Seidman.

HELP BACK UP OUR CLIENT INFO We need volunteers to come into the Church office on afternoons of their choice for an hour or two to scan client cards into a computer. Please call Debbie Decker, our new Community Outreach and Development Officer, at (818) 346-6968 to schedule a time that works for you. Thank you so much!

THE PANTRY GARDEN NEEDS HARVESTING and volunteers who have a little time before or after a shift may call Debbie Decker to sign up.

A CONCERT TO BENEFIT THE PANTRY WILL BE SUNDAY, SEPT. 21 at 4 p.m. at St. Luke Community Hall, 5312 Comercio Way, Woodland Hills, CA 91364. Wine, soft drinks and snacks will be available for a \$10 donation. Canned and dry food donations are also appreciated. The band is local artists Keeping Fire.

VOLUNTEER NEWS We welcome our new in-Pantry volunteers Kimberly Levin, Becky Neufeld and Nancy and Lauren Tepper. Also, we thank their trainers Antje Brunner, Leah Marks and Diana Plotkin.

WE APPRECIATE OUR AUGUST SHIFT LEADERS Antje Brunner, Liz Chaneske, Phyllis Henkin, Nena Lefitz, Roz Leitner, Carol Lombard, Leah

