



**HERE'S HOW YOU CAN PARTICIPATE IN
DOVE & NORTHEAST COMMUNITY FUND'S
2017 CHRISTMAS BASKET DRIVE**



DONATIONS OF:

Canned goods and other non-perishable food items

Please deliver to Northeast Community Fund by Thursday, December 14th.

Frozen hams, turkeys, and fresh fruit - perishables

Please **notify** Northeast Community Fund of **intended** donations before December 14th; need to deliver on Friday, December 15th.

NEW ONLY: hats, gloves, mittens, for children and adults

NEW ONLY (NOT WRAPPED): toys for infants and youth up to age 18

WRAPPING SUPPLIES: rolls of tape, rolls and folded packages of wrapping paper.

Donations of gift items, tape, and wrapping paper can be delivered to **DOVE, 302 S. Union St.** (Program Level East Entrance - Back of the building) **PRIOR** to December 15th.

**AFTER the 15th please deliver to
FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 201 W. North Street.
We would like all donations for the baskets to be in by the 19th.**

CASH DONATIONS

All contributions are used 100% to purchase food and gifts for needy families. Please make checks payable to either: "Northeast Community Fund" or "Dove Christmas Basket Drive".

ADOPTIONS

Adopt a family by **providing and delivering** a complete comparable Christmas Basket including food and gifts for the entire family. [An itemized list of our basket is available on request] Please call Angie at Dove (428-6616) to arrange. Names will not be available until December.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Volunteers are needed to help **sort & count** gifts, stockings, hygiene packs, hats, mittens, and gloves on the 18th, 19th, and 20th. Volunteer shoppers will be needed to **purchase** gifts when donations do not meet our needs.

Volunteers are needed to **assemble** baskets on the 21st and 22nd and **deliver** food / gift baskets on the 23rd.

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL:

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Decatur, IL 62522
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