

**NORTH KENT CHURCH & COMMUNITY
CONTACTS & LIAISONS COMMUNICATIONS
November 2009**



North Kent Service Center
10075 Northland Dr.
Rockford, MI 49341
616-866-3478



Donation Hours

Monday-Thursday: 8:00~6:00
Friday 10:00~2:00
October~April Open the Last
Saturday of each month:
10:00~2:00
Closed Sunday



Holiday Giving

We will be distributing approximately 2000 Thanksgiving & Christmas Food Baskets.

***We are in need of
2000 turkeys!***

The deadlines for donating food for these baskets will be:

Thanksgiving ~ Mon, Nov. 9th
Christmas ~ Mon, Dec. 7th.

Donations for our Christmas Store deadline is also Monday, Dec. 7th. We hope to provide each of our families who shop at our store (at no charge) with the following items for each child in the family:

- Socks & Underwear
- Hats, Mittens, & Scarves
- A Book & Toy
- Stocking Stuffers

Along with one family gift!

Any business that wishes to make a donation of meat, We will be happy to pick it up! Give us a call at 866-3478

Star Trees

If your organization would like to do a star tree, contact Karen Sanders At 866-3478 Ext. 103



What is a Star Tree? We supply you with stars that have the names and ages of children. You choose a star and buy something age appropriate for that child.

Star Tree Collection Deadline: Mon, Dec. 7th

Adopt a Family

If you are interested in adopting a family for the Christmas Season This is what is involved.

- We give you the family contact info with all names and ages!
- You would supply them with the Holiday Meal and possibly for each member a book, toy, new clothing item, socks, hats, mittens, & scarf's.

Please visit us at www.nksc.net

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**Do You Know Someone
Who Could Use Our Services?
For Detailed Info Call 866-3478
And ask to speak to a case manager!**

Below are the Basic Guidelines:

- **Must live in Northern Kent County**
- **Based on number of people in household and total household income.**
- **Must have picture ID, current piece of mail (within 30 days).**
- **Social Security Cards for everyone in household.**
- **Proof in all income.**

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS:

- ~Hang Up Room
- ~Christmas Store
- ~Count Out
- ~Janitorial
- ~Front Desk
- ~Data Entry

**Call Karen Sanders,
Volunteer Coordinator to sign-up today!**

Thank You

***To our community for your
support of the following:***

- ***County Wide Food Drive***
- ***John Decker Oil Change***
- ***All of our gardeners both here and at Post Farms***
- ***Merrill & Mildred Post of Post Farms for their continuous donations of corn, apples, & pumpkins and 1 acre of land to plant a garden.***



New Baby Items Needed

We are low on baby items for our layettes. When a client has a new baby, we give them a package containing some of the necessary items needed for bringing the new addition home. Please help us full these layettes.

Suggestions for Baby Layettes

- ~Baby blankets, comforters, quilts
- ~Baby bottles, pacifiers, teething rings
- ~Diapers, diaper creams, wipes
- ~Baby Shampoo, lotions
- ~bibs and anything else that
Would help the new mom and baby!

Thank You!

***If you have any questions
feel free to contact:***

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616-866-3478

616-262-3096 (cell)

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Or

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