

# ***SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES FOR FAMILIES FOR FAITH FORMATION GROUPS***

## **1. MAKING CARDS FOR NURSING HOME RESIDENTS AND PEOPLE WHO ARE HOMEBOUND:**

Cards can be made on construction paper. Envelopes are not needed.

<b><u>HOLIDAY</u></b>	<b><u>GRADE LEVEL</u></b>	<b><u>DATE DUE*</u></b>
Halloween	6	October 13
Thanksgiving	5	November 6
Christmas	4	December 7
Valentine's Day	3	February 4
St. Joseph's Day/St. Patrick's Day	2	March 3
Easter	1	March 18

**\*Cards must be delivered to the Faith Formation Office by 2pm on or before the date listed above so that Eucharistic Ministers can pick them up over the weekend to give them to our parishioners who are homebound.**

## **2. FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS**

**Weekly:** Containers for food are located at the entrance of each worship area. The Sunday Bulletin lists needed items.

**Holiday Baskets:** Faith Formation groups or individual families desiring to make holiday baskets are asked to make arrangements with the Parish Social Ministry at 669-4544 from 9:30-1:30pm weekdays prior to collecting.

## **3. THRIFT SHOP DONATIONS**

Donations of clothing, household items, baby items and toys may be brought to the Thrift Shop in the convent building on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 10:00am-3:00pm. For information please phone 669-5574.

## **4. SODA CAN TABS: CAMP FOR KIDS CAMPAIGN**

Stony Brook University Hospital Transplantation Services sponsors this program to send children on Long Island who suffer from kidney disease for a short stay at summer camp. Soda can tabs can be brought to Good Samaritan Thrift Shop, 179 Deer Park Avenue, Babylon - Monday through Friday from 10:00am to 4:00pm.