

JALC Intergenerational Learning Volunteer Opportunity

Be a Holiday Helper

Several JALC Intergenerational learners have asked about volunteer opportunities. I thought you might enjoy participating in this one as there are several ways you can help. Lutheran Social Services of Illinois tries to provide a gift at Christmas for each of the children served by the agency. There are over 300 children now being served and many are new this year. You can help in any of three ways:

1. Provide a \$50 sponsorship
2. Shop with money donated by a sponsoring agency or patron
3. Wrap gifts that have already been purchased

Please call me at 985-3741, ext. 8552 if you would like to help in any of the three ways. Saturday, November 21 is the JALC volunteer shopping/wrapping marathon. We will kick off the day with a light breakfast, brief overview of LSSI, and distribution of gift cards and shopping list for the shoppers. At noon a light lunch will be served and wrappers will begin wrapping at 1 pm. The gifts are then stored and delivered to the children by LSSI staff.

Volunteers will meet at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church in Marion, Saturday, November 21, at 8:30 to receive gift cards to use to shop for children. Gifts will be returned to the church by 2 pm. Gift wrapping will be from 1 pm until 4pm.*

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** Our Redeemer Lutheran Church is located at 1500 East DeYoung St, Marion, IL. Take Rt. 13 east through Marion to the first left turn after the Fair Street intersection. ORL is the last church on the frontage road.*

We make a living by what we get, we make a life by what we give.—Sir Winston Churchill