

# Winter Care In-Gathering

As we reflect upon the abundant blessings that God has provided, let us remember that the harsh winter conditions can bring much suffering to the homeless and others in need.

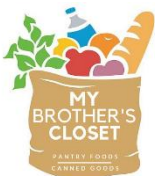
We recently donated a large number of items from **My Brother's Closet** to a downtown church's severe winter shelter that was in desperate need of supplies.

**Salvation Army** is also distributing winter care kits at this time.

To help with these efforts the following items may be placed in the marked bins in the narthex through **Sunday, February 2** and will be passed along for distribution by those organizations:

- winter coats
- stocking hats
- gloves
- scarves
- socks
- hot hands
- lip balm
- fast food gift cards
- snack crackers
- hand wipes
- travel-sized shampoo

Although the most urgent need is in these next few weeks, items will be accepted throughout the winter for ongoing needs. Thank you for your support and generosity!



*Jesus said, "...Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did it for me."*  
Matthew 25:40

