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PADS UPDATE

To all St. Raymond volunteers who support PADS this year, we have an update!

Most of the PADS guests are currently being sheltered in local hotels. St Mark is participating along with other churches in supplying food for these guests.

There are PADS guests who cannot be accommodated within the scope of the hotel program. Currently, three churches are open and supplying shelter to these guests on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday evenings. Journeys is working now to open the Hope Shelter in Palatine to these guests on the other evenings for the rest of the PADS season – through April 30.

YOU CAN HELP!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

TWO WAYS TO HELP

There are shortages of volunteers for these programs. Please review the information below. If your schedule permits, please consider volunteering to help staff these volunteer positions.

Journeys is looking for volunteers to help staff the Hope Center in Palatine as a shelter site on Monday, Wednesday, Friday, and Sunday evenings. Please use this link to view the open volunteer positions:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0E4AAAAA23A0FF2-april7>

First Presbyterian Church of Arlington Heights is providing shelter to these PADS neighbors on Tuesday evenings. This link shows their open volunteer slots:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c044dadaf29a7fb6-pads12>

St Alphonsus Church in Prospect Heights hosts these guests on Saturday evenings. They have open needs for volunteers to work between 3:00-7:00 am on Sunday mornings. If you are willing to help with this shift, please contact Frank Mattison at 224-402-1964 or frank-mattison@comcast.net.

If you are considering volunteering but have questions or would like more information, please contact Mike Mokate at 847-846-6576 or mike.mokate56@gmail.com.

At this time, we do not yet have information on how our homeless neighbors will be supported during the 2022-2023 PADS season. We will send out other notes as those plans become clearer.

links online are clickable