



Faith Connections School Supply Dive

Faith Connections is looking for volunteers for the school supply drive. This project runs from **May-August each year, to collect and then distribute new school supplies to needy students in the Damascus-Clarksburg area schools.**

Volunteers are needed to contact churches, businesses and organizations to request donations, work with school counselors, enter recipient names into a database, distribute collection bins, collect and sort supplies, and then pack and deliver supplies to local schools. **We are in need of 2-3 adult volunteers** to manage the project as well as teen and other adults to assist with collection, sorting and packing.

Please contact Jill Ochs 240-994-8979 or jillbochs@gmail.com if you are able to help.



Holiday Giving Project

Each year, Faith Connections works as part of the Holiday Giving Coalition of Montgomery County to provide a Thanksgiving meal and Christmas gifts and food to needy families in the Damascus-Clarksburg area. We work in coordination with local churches, businesses, organizations and individuals to match sponsors with families in need.

Sponsors provide the food and gifts for Christmas while reaching out to our neighbors in need to brighten their holidays and bring them hope for a better future. For Thanksgiving, a community dinner is held to bring the community together for a celebratory meal, again providing hope and encouragement, and to share in God's provision for us all.

Faith Connections is in need of a 1-2 adult volunteers to assist with this project, including someone who would be interested in leading the team in the future. The project begins in September and continues through December. We have a very proven process, documents that guide the entire project and several dedicated volunteers to support the project leader.

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