feed the hungry, give drink to the thirsty. clothe the naked, shelter the homeless. visit the sick, visit the imprisoned, bury the dead.

# ST. MARK'S HUNGER MINISTRIES

St. Marks serves meals at two different Ramsey County Catholic Charities locations to help our neighbors in need.

The first site, the **Family Service Center** in Maplewood, serves families experiencing homelessness. On average, there are around 30 guests. St. Mark's sends volunteers on the 1st Wednesday and 3rd Thursday of each month to prepare and serve a meal. All volunteers must be at least 16, and those under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. No special skills are required. Veteran volunteers will bring you up-to-speed on everything you need to know. In addition, volunteers are needed to shop for the food and deliver it to the service center on volunteer days.

The second site, the Dorothy Day Campus in downtown St. Paul, serves adults experiencing homelessness in conjunction with Loaves and Fishes-feeding anywhere from 150-350 people. St. Mark's sends a team of volunteers to prepare and serve dinner on the 4th Tuesday of every other month (Feb, April, June, Aug, Oct, and Dec). All volunteers must be at least 16, and those under 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

# Family Service Center 1st Wednesday Team (each month)

Team coordinator: John Shrake shrake@usfamily.net Sign-up Genius link: 1st Wednesday Team

Family Service Center
3rd Thursday Team (each month)

Team leader: Patrick Camilleri camil004@umn.edu Sign-up Genius link: 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday Team

# Dorothy Day Campus

4th Tuesday Team (every other month)
Team coordinator: Faith Pawl
fkglavey@gmail.com
Sign-up genius link:

4th Tuesday Team

You do not have to commit to volunteering every month to be part of a team, and you are most welcome to serve at multiple sites. Just volunteer for the dates you are available. Should you have to remove your name from the calendar, be sure to notify the site's team leader. Feel free to contact the site team leaders with any questions or suggestions.

## **Family Service Center Information:**

Site address: 2001 Van Dyke Street, Maplewood, MN 55109

### Both Family Service Center teams need 7 volunteers each month:

1 shopper (this is usually one of the people doing prep/cooking) 2 food prep/cooks 3-4 servers/clean-up

- Anyone 18 or older may volunteer. Volunteers that are 16-17 may also work if accompanied and supervised by an adult.
- The food prep team arrives at 3:45 for the 1st Wednesday team and 4:30 for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday team. Food prep wraps up by the time the meal is served at 5:45pm. The server/clean-up teams should arrive by 5:15pm and are usually done by 7pm.
- Dress code for kitchen volunteers is "casual clothing" with closed-toe shoes, long pants, cloth face mask and a hat unless you want to wear a hairnet.

### **Dorothy Day Center Information**

Site Address: 422 Dorothy Day Pl, St Paul, MN 55102

The volunteer entrance is located on the east side of the building. You enter the parking lot from St. Joseph Lane. Once in the lot you can park in any available spot. Contact Faith Pawl (fkglavey@gmail.com) for the entry code that's required for the lot and the building. Once inside the building go immediately to the right. You will need to again enter the access code into the keypad to access volunteer area. Once through the door proceed down the hallway to the second door on the left, which is the Volunteer Center. There are lockers to stow personal belongings. You will also need to sign in and put on a volunteer badge. Proceed to the kitchen via the back door.....not through the one you just entered. You will have to also sign out when you leave.

### The Dorothy Day team needs between 7 and 12 volunteers every other month:

1 shopper (who coordinates with the food prep team) 2-3 food prep/cooks 6-8 servers/clean up

- Anyone 18 or older may volunteer. Volunteers that are 16-17 may also work if accompanied and supervised by an adult
- The food prep team typically arrives around 2:00 and finishes by 4:30 when serving begins. The servers arrive at 4:15, wrap up serving at 5:15, and then wipe down tables. The job is usually finished by 5:30.
- Dress code for kitchen volunteers is "casual clothing" with closed-toe shoes, long pants, cloth face mask and a hat unless you want to wear a hairnet.

