## **Donations are needed for God's Work Our Hands Sunday!**



Immanuel, along with other Evanston congregations, will engage in service in our community on Sunday, Sept. 12th. We are one of over 9,100 congregations participating in "God's work. Our hands" performing service work to make a positive change in our communities, build and deepen relationships and share God's love. Join us as we do God's work with our hands!

Because of the pandemic, we are encouraging donation of items to three important local service efforts. This is an especially good way for families to be involved in God's Work Our Hands in a safe and comfortable way. So that you can begin getting these items now, we've listed the organizations and their needs below. You can **drop off the items at the Grace Lutheran Church parking lot at 1430 South Blvd on Sunday, Sept. 12th from 1:00 to 3:00.** Volunteers will be there to receive the items. Monetary donations are also welcome!

1. **Interfaith Action of Evanston Hospitality Center**, open mornings Monday to Friday all year, provides a nurturing environment for guests from Hilda's Place and Entry Point. They need:

Toiletries Pre-packaged Snacks Earbuds E-Readers

2. Grace Lutheran Little Free Pantry needs:

Canned Goods Other Non-perishable Food Items Pet Food

3. **Connections for the Homeless** is the leading agency in the northern suburbs delivering essential services to people facing homelessness and housing insecurity during the pandemic. They need the items listed below, especially canned good, toiletries, and adult socks and underwear.

## CANNED + SHELF-STABLE FOODS

Chips, Goldfish, Pretzels in Individual Packages
Individual Milk
Other individually packaged snacks
Protein Bars
Soup in a cup
Microwavable food
Canned food with pop-tabs

## ADULT CLOTHING

Adult Men's Summer Clothing Adult Underwear & Boxers Pants & Shorts size 30 and Above T-Shirts Sneakers size 9 and Above Ponchos & umbrellas

## OTHER ITEMS

Can openers
Backpacks
Rolling Suitcases
Razors

Unopened Travel & Regular-Sized Toiletries: deodorant, body wash, shampoo, and lotion

NOTE: We are NOT currently accepting women's clothing besides underwear and t-shirts.

Those people comfortable performing a service project in person will be able to work at **Lutheran Campus**Ministry at Northwestern University on indoor cleaning and outdoor painting. More details to follow!