

An Afternoon of Service and Evening of Prayer at the Salvation Army Family House

As the Salvation Army of Polk and Barron Counties prepares to renovate and open the new Family House Emergency and Transitional Housing Shelter, there is a lot of physical and spiritual work to be done. The people of **Parkview United Methodist Church and St. Ann's Catholic Parish** invite **everyone and anyone** from the community to join us for the following event!

Anyone interested in helping clean and prepare the walls for painting at a future date can join Pastor Adam at the parking lot of Parkview UMC (236 Maple Street North, Turtle Lake) at 1:00pm on **Tuesday, November 23.** He will coordinate carpools and a caravan out to the Family House. We will work together to help prepare the building physically for the future families and individuals who will find shelter there. We invite afternoon helpers to bring painters tape, sandpaper, and household cleaning supplies to use that afternoon and then donate to the shelter.

For those unable to help during the afternoon, Deacon Steve from St. Ann's parish will coordinate carpools and a caravan out to the Family House at 4:00pm. Please meet him at St. Ann's located at 320 Pine Street South, Turtle Lake. You can also drive directly to the Family House instead of joining either the 1pm or 4pm carpool and caravan. Once everyone has arrived at the Family House, Pastor Adam and Deacon Steve will lead a brief prayer service and provide directions for ensuring all parts of the shelter will be prayed over and blessed that evening. Anyone who would like to stick around afterwards and continue to help clean and prepare the walls for painting at a future date are welcome to do so after the Prayer and Thanksgiving Worship time.

The Family House Emergency and Transitional Shelter is located at 1150 County Highway TT (12th Street) Barron, WI 54812. The Salvation Army organizers hope it will officially open in early 2022.

Items the Parkview United Methodist Women are collecting on behalf of the shelter during *Pop The Trunk for the Family House* on Saturday, November 13 from 10am-12noon at Parkview UMC.

Cleaning supplies...Paper towels...Toilet paper...Laundry soap...Dryer sheets...Brand new pillows... Shampoo...Conditioner...Body wash...Soap...Face cloths...Hand towels...Body towels... Shaving cream...Disposable razors (for both men and women)...Laundry baskets