

2007 Iowa Winter Holiday Programs

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Holiday Baskets

Christmas Holiday Baskets, St. Anthony's Church

Open to City of Davenport and some surrounding areas.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY BASKETS Program provides Christmas baskets for needy residents of Scott County. Caller will be informed as to when the basket will be delivered. Delivery is from St. Anthony's Church parking lot to homes and recipient must be home to receive basket. There are no pick ups.

Eligibility: Open to residents of the service area. Please call for more information.

Hours: Sign up dates/times for 2007 are: December 3, 4, and 5 from 1pm-3pm (or until 1,200 names are taken). Delivery is Saturday, December 15, beginning at 8am.

Address: 417 Main Street, Davenport, IA
Phone: (563) 324-9579 (Basket Requests),
(563) 322-3303 (Main - Information Only)

Contact Person: Father John Gallagher, Pastor
Intake: Calls for sign up are generally accepted about a month before the holiday. Callers may not call in on the main church number and may not leave a message to be called back or a message to request a basket. Walk-in registration can be done at the school building located behind the church during the same registration dates and times as phone requests.

Holiday Baskets, Friendly House

Open to City of Davenport (west of Brady, south of Central Park, and east of Lincoln).

HOLIDAY BASKETS provides Christmas baskets to residents in a targeted area of Davenport. The holiday basket includes a food basket as well as gifts for children ages 16 and under.

Eligibility: Must be registered in a Friendly House program and/or reside in service area. Gifts are provided for children ages 16 and under.

Hours: Sign up for 2007 is October 29 through November 2 from 9am-Noon & 1pm-3pm. Baskets will be distributed at the Friendly House on Wednesday, December 19.

Address: 1221 Myrtle Street, Davenport, IA
Phone: (563) 323-1821 (Main)
Contact Person: Jodi Stock, Family Services Supervisor
Intake: Must complete application. Picture ID, proof of address, and Social Security cards for all household members are required.

Holiday Food Assistance (Must contact individual programs before the end of November for sign-up dates)

Angel Food Ministries/ St. Alban's Episcopal Church

Open to Quad Cities and surrounding area.

ANGEL FOOD MINISTRIES provides a box of food for \$25, which is valued between \$45-\$70 and contains both fresh and frozen food items. There are no income restrictions.

Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:30am-3pm. Program offers additional operating hours during the last week orders are taken (Friday 10am-2pm and Saturday 10am-Noon). The last day to order and pickup days vary each month but generally pickup is the second Saturday of each month.

Address: 3510 West Central Park Avenue, Davenport, IA
Phone: (563) 386-4087 (Main)
Contact Person: Vern Murdock, Angel Food Coordinator
Intake: Walk-ins accepted.



S.H.A.R.E. Iowa

Open to Iowa residents.

S.H.A.R.E. IOWA (Self Help and Resource Exchange) is a supplemental food program. S.H.A.R.E. is a community based, self help program which builds community through service and the distribution of a monthly food package. For \$18 and 2 hours of volunteer service, participants can receive a wide variety of food with a retail value of up to \$36 (some sites may ask for \$1 extra for host site expenses). The food packages include: frozen meats, fresh fruits, fresh vegetables, grocery items, and a monthly newsletter that provides more information and recipes.

Hours: Monday-Friday 8am-4pm.

Phone: (800) 344-1107 (Toll Free), (641) 673-4000 (Main)
Contact Person: Jim Striegel, Director
Intake: Please call for more information.

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Holiday Carnival for Children with Disabilities & their Family

Open to Rock Island, Mercer and Henry counties in Illinois; Scott, Clinton and Muscatine counties in Iowa.

HOLIDAY CARNIVAL FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES AND THEIR FAMILY is a completely accessible Santa's workshop with activities for all the children including Santa's ice fishing pond, grandma's kitchen, craft rooms, and much more! Santa will be accessible to all children including those who use sign language.

Eligibility: Open to all children with disabilities, and their family.

Hours: The 2007 Carnival takes place Saturday, December 8, from 11am-3pm.

Address: 3708 11th Street, Rock Island, IL

Phone: (309) 793-0090 (Main)

Contact Person: Roberta Garrison

Intake: Walk-ins accepted.

Seasonal Assistance-Davenport, Davenport Corps Community Center

Open to Scott County in Iowa.

SEASONAL ASSISTANCE provides numerous holiday programs for the community including Christmas food boxes and gifts for children under age 12 (call for application, dates, etc.), Christmas Angel Tree, and Christmas Baskets. Client will receive a denial letter if signed up for assistance in more than one location. Sign-up dates for 2007 are: November 2-20 and 26-30. Sign-up hours during these dates are: Mondays 1pm-6pm, Tuesday-Friday 11am-2pm, and one Saturday (November 3) 1pm-6pm.

Eligibility: Not eligible if family has applied elsewhere.

Hours: See program description.

Address: 3400 West Central Park Avenue, Davenport, IA

Phone: (563) 391-5325 (Main)

Contact Person: Captain Carter

Intake: Applicants must bring picture ID for self, recent proof of address, Social Security cards for all adults, certified birth certificate or medical card for all minors, proof of income, and bills.

Toys for Tots

Open to Quad Cities and surrounding areas.

TOYS FOR TOTS is designed to help support local families in supplying presents to their children for Christmas. All toys and donations come from local families and businesses.

Eligibility: Open to children ages 0-12 who reside in the service area.

Hours: Sign up for 2007 is November 1 through December 9.

Days/hours during these dates are: Thursday-Saturday 9am-5pm and Sunday 9am-Noon.

Address: 1607 West River Drive, Davenport, IA

Phone: (563) 323-3570 (Main)

Contact Person: Sergeant Hand, Coordinator

Intake: Parents/guardians will need to provide the following: picture ID, Social Security number of parent, proof of current address, current phone number, and children's birth certificates or medical cards. If foster parent or guardian, proof of custody is also required. Records from other agencies will be checked to avoid duplication in registration.

