

2018 LENTEN COLLECTION

FEATURING ITEMS FOR THE ROAD HOME APARTMENTS!

One of longest mission partners for Christ Presbyterian Church became a Tenney Lapham Neighbor this January when families served by The Road Home began moving into nine, 3-bedroom units, at The Breese Apartments, 1003 E. Mifflin Street. The Road Home is partnering with Stone House Development, Inc., a local real estate and consulting firm, to provide much-needed affordable apartments for larger families. The units are located on multiple bus lines, across the street from Lapham Elementary School, a block from Festival Foods, in a mixed-income neighborhood and in a prime spot for family activities.

This announcement is an appeal to help outfit these new living spaces with bedding, cleaning and laundry supplies as well as personal care items for the families who The Road Home invites to reside in the new dwellings as they move in this spring. Please review the list to learn what is needed or visit cpcmadison.org/serve, under the sign-up tab, to help you match your contributions to what is needed to welcome our new neighbors.

It's possible that for some of us, donating cash might be more convenient. Please place monetary donations into the marked "Road Home Offering" box in Gathering Hall. This will allow us the flexibility to purchase higher priority listed items that the drop off supplies do not deliver.

Donations should be dropped off in Gathering Hall.

Donations Due - Sunday, March 18

Delivery to The Road Home - Friday, March 23

A little history ... for years our congregation at Christ Presbyterian Church generously served in the Interfaith Housing Network (IHN) program which provided shelter, meals, and fellowship to The Road Home families with young children. CPC hosted this program inside the church, one week at a time, four times a year. As you may know, this IHN program concludes in the next few weeks as The Road Home focuses on housing solutions. The organization remains committed to its vision that every child deserves a home.

The 2018 Lenten Collect is an effort to support The Road Home's programming transition as well as a welcome nine incoming families to our neighborhood.

For More Information

The Road Home

<http://trhome.org/breese-apartments-welcomes-new-families/>

Cap Times preview of this affordable housing project

http://host.madison.com/ct/business/affordable-housing-proposed-for-downtown-area-where-luxury-high-rises/article_dea7e9fc-773b-540b-b50b-e0ab70636f16.html

General Property Information

<https://www.apartments.com/the-breese-apartments-madison-wi/510jfw/>

HOW CAN I HELP?

Each of the nine, 3-bedroom, apartments will need ...

- 2 - Shower Curtains
- 4 - Bars of Bath Soap
- Personal items such as: Shampoo, Conditioner, Lotion, Razors, Feminine Hygiene, Toothbrushes, and Toothpaste
- 4 - Rolls of Toilet Paper
- 1 - Toilet Brush
- 1- Bottle of Bowl Cleaner
- 1 - Plunger
- Additional bathroom items: Bath Towels, Face Clothes, and Bath Mats

- 1 - Laundry Basket
- 1 - Container of Laundry Detergent
- 1 - Box of Dryer Sheets
- 1 - Bottle of Laundry Spot Cleaner

- 1 - Bottle Dish Soap
- 1 - Dish Brush
- 2 - Dish Towels
- 1 - Box of Brillo Pads
- 2 - Kitchen Sponges
- 1 - Container of Cleaning Wipes (Lyscol)

- 1 - Mop
- 1 - Pail
- 1 - Broom and Dust Pan

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