

OUTREACH MINISTRY CALENDAR 2025

January St. Paul's Foodbank – January 12 Community Breakfast – Jan. 4, 18 Socks Share • new socks and underwear for all ages • gently used and mismatched socks	February St. Paul's Foodbank – February 9 Community Breakfast – Feb. 1, 15	March St. Paul's Foodbank – March 9 Community Breakfast – March 1, 15 World Day of Prayer – March 7	April St. Paul's Foodbank – April 13 Community Breakfast – April 5, 19 Easter Sunday April 20 Earth Day – Tuesday April 22 Focus on the Environment • composting • decreasing single use plastics
May St. Paul's Foodbank – May 11 Community Breakfast – May 3, 17 Women's Month • My Sister's Place • anova	June St. Paul's Foodbank – June 8 Community Breakfast – June 7, 21 National Indigenous Day – June 21 Men's Month • Men's Mission • Unity Project St. Jude's Strawberries	July St. Paul's Foodbank – July 13 Community Breakfast – July 5, 19 Pride Parade – July 5 Back to School • backpacks • school supplies	August St. Paul's Foodbank – August 10 Community Breakfast – August 2, 16 Back to School • backpacks • school supplies
September St. Paul's Foodbank – September 14 Community Breakfast –Sept. 6, 20 Indigenous Orange Shirt Day – Sept.30 St. Jude's Breakfast Program • financial donations needed to support the program throughout the year	October St. Paul's Foodbank – October 12 Community Breakfast–Oct. 4, 18 Community Support	November St. Paul's Foodbank – November 9 Community Breakfast – Nov. 1, 15 St. Paul's Christmas Share Gift cards can be purchased through Rick.	December St. Paul's Foodbank – December 14 Community Breakfast – Dec. 6, 20 Rector's Discretionary Fund

➤ Your donations to the CRASH cupboard in the front entrance are welcome throughout the year.

St. Jude's Ministries for 2025 St. Paul's Social Services Foodbank: Monthly donations of food and cash are taken to the St. Paul's foodbank. Needs: fresh and canned foods, diapers, feminine hygiene products and toiletries are appreciated. January: Socks Share: Gathering new socks and underwear for all ages. Suggestion for socks is those with some wool that last longer than white cotton. Donations will be blessed during our service. These will be shared with Unity Project, St. Joseph's House with CCLC and My Sisters Place. April: Focus on the Environment: education on composting at the church and at home and eliminating single use plastic. May: Focus on Women My Sister's Place: Is many things to the 100 plus women who walk through its doors each day. It is Safety. It is Support. It is Sisterhood. Women who access My Sisters' Place range in age from 16 – 70 and come from diverse backgrounds. Most have experienced abuse, trauma, and isolation. More than 80% are dealing with mental health challenges. Needs: panties (all sizes), hats/mittens, small birthday gifts, hairbrushes, feminine hygiene products; craft items, wool, jewelry. anova: formerly Women's Community House (WCH) and Sexual Assault Centre London (SACL), anova provides safe places, shelter, support, counselling, and resources for abused women, their children, and all oppressed individuals to find a new start. Provide enhanced sexual violence and prevention work for youth, and an integrated 24-hour crisis and support line. Needs: pajamas, slippers, coloring books and crayons, makeup, sheets, craft items, wool. June: Focus on Men Men's Mission: providing emergency shelter for an individual or family, or caring for those with mental health needs, Mission Services of London is there with a message of hope through faith serving those who struggle with poverty and homelessness. They provide food, shelter, clothing, crisis intervention and rehabilitation. Needs: gloves, toiletries, razors, underwear, wallets Unity Project: working to stabilize people in their moment of crisis and to engage them in their own process toward stability while utilizing all available community resources. Housing (with supports) is the solution to homelessness and we will continue to develop our program around this outcome for participants. Needs: socks, bus tickets, t-shirts, small backpacks, razors, underwear, coffee mugs	June: Strawberries for St. Jude's: Financial donations appreciated to provide fresh strawberries for the community breakfast closest to Canada Day July: Back to School: school supplies and back packs for children and youth heading to school in September. Will be blessed prior to distribution to those in need. These go to Rotholme Family Services. August: Back to School: school supplies and back packs for children and youth heading to school in September. Will be blessed prior to distribution to those in need. These go to Rotholme Family Services. September: St. Jude's Breakfast Program: Cash donations go toward provision of a nutritious breakfast for guests here two Saturdays per month. October: Community Support November: St. Paul's Christmas Share: Financial donations are forwarded to St. Paul's Social Services to purchase gift cards to provide Christmas food and gifts for families in need. They are requesting gift cards or cash not gifts at Xmas time. Gift cards can be purchased through Rick. December: Rector's Discretionary Fund Gift cards and financial donations given on Christmas Eve are distributed throughout the year for those in our congregation and in the community who need help with groceries, bus tickets, and more.
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