

Citrus Heights Winter Sanctuary- *Winter 2022*

A program of Citrus Heights HART-Homeless Assistance Resource Team

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INTAKE SITE: Messiah Lutheran Church

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Host Church Name	Actual Dates:	Contact person and Info
Week 1 Fair Oaks Presbyterian Church 11427 Fair Oaks Blvd Fair Oaks CA 95628	Dec 26 Sunday – Jan 1	Lauri Balbi 916-967-4784
Week 2 Advent Lutheran Church 5901 San Juan Ave Citrus Heights CA 95610	Jan 2 Sunday- Jan 8	Lanny Johaneck 916-834-8814
Week 3 Celtic Cross Presbyterian Church 5839 Dewey Dr Citrus Heights CA 95621	Jan 9 Sunday- Jan 15	Jan Souza 916-903-7961
Week 4 Divine Savior Catholic Church 9079 Greenback Lane Orangevale CA 95662	Jan 16 Sunday- Jan 22	Jen Yearwood 916-215-5553
Week 5 A Church for All 4704 Roseville Rd, Ste 110 North Highlands CA 95660	Jan 23 Sunday- Jan 29	Shirley Biggins 916-251-9036
Week 6 LDS Church, Citrus Heights Stake At Celtic Cross Presbyterian Church 5839 Dewey Drive Citrus Heights CA 95621	Jan 30 Sunday- Feb 5	Karen Telford 916-607-0789
Week 7 Antelope Road Christian Fellowship 7951 Antelope Rd Citrus Heights CA 95610	Feb 6 Sunday- Feb 12	Pastor Greg Kaiser 916-960-3869
Week 8 Holy Family Catholic Church 7817 Old Auburn Rd Citrus Heights CA 95610	Feb 13 Sunday- Feb 19	Irene Hronicek 916-220-3615
Week 9 Fair Oaks Presbyterian Church 11427 Fair Oaks Blvd Fair Oaks CA 95628	Feb 20 Sunday- Feb 26	Lauri Balbi 916-967-4784
Week 10	Feb 27 Sunday- Mar 5	

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- Winter Sanctuary is a free nightly program at local churches offering emergency shelter for 20-25 homeless guests in our City, age 18 or older.
- 9 weeks Dec 26 to Feb 26, perhaps 10 weeks! **Our 6th year!**
- Host Churches provide a hot dinner, a safe dry place to sleep, a to-go breakfast and friendly volunteers.
- CH HART provides volunteer training, sleeping bags & cots, guest registration and screening, transportation.
- The support of individuals, churches, City leaders, Citrus Heights Police Dept, Sacramento Self Help Housing, Citrus Heights Navigator, Merchants and Businesses- and many others make Winter Sanctuary possible.

Churches and Volunteers needed for CH HART Winter Sanctuary

1) **CH HART Volunteers- 1-2 hour commitment once a week**

- a) Intake team- 4:30 pm- 6:00 pm register guests at Intake Location
- b) Welcome Desk at Host Church- 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm welcome guests, check out sleeping bags and cots
- c) Early Morning Risers- 6:00 am- 7:00 am help wake guests, collect sleeping bags, distribute prepared to-go breakfast

2) **Host Church- Providing space and volunteers**

- a) Accommodation space- Provide a room or hall, 6:00 pm til 6:30 am for one week, to accommodate 20-25 overnight guests, plus a hot meal and some socialization area (35 people total)
- b) Host Church Volunteers- training provided
 - i) Church leader- On-site volunteer (5:30-9:00 pm) serving as point of contact to Host Church and CH HART Volunteers, answering questions, ensuring program runs smoothly
 - ii) Meal Teams- 6:00 pm- 8:00 pm- Provide meal to serve 30-35 people (20-25 guests + 10 volunteers)
 - iii) Overnight Team (Night Owls) -8:30pm- 6:30am- 3-5 volunteers in shifts interact with guests and provide overnight security at Host Church.

3) **Helper Churches**

Members can join as CH HART volunteer, or come alongside a Host Church which needs support. Provide a meal once a week or provide one meal. Provide to-go breakfast. Example: 2 churches can join forces to provide Meal Teams and Night Owls.

4) **Helper Organization or Business**

Civic organizations or business volunteer teams are welcome to sign up to help as Meal Teams and Night Owls at a Host Church.

Donations help make Winter Sanctuary possible!

- \$5000 budget for supplies and equipment. Donate online at www.citrusheightsHART.org

Need more details, Questions? Schedule a meeting?

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Thank you for your consideration!