



# MISSIONS CALENDAR 2023-24

## MISSION MEETINGS

(All meetings are at 6:30 pm and are open to anyone who desires to plan & serve)

September 11

October 2 (Mission BLITZ planning)

December 11

January 8, 2024

February 12

April 22

## MISSION TRIPS/EVENTS - (More information available on website)

- October 7-12, 2023 – Disaster Recovery, Moss Point, Mississippi
- November 8-12 or 10-12, 2023 – Harvest Camp, Fries VA
- November 17 - Craft Fair Set Up, Bake Sale Drop Off
- November 18 – Craft Fair
- November 19 – Shoppes of Concord
- January 12 – 15, 2024 – Mission BLITZ Weekend
- February 17 – 24, 2024 – Sager Brown UMCOR Mission Trip
- July 13 – 21, 2024 – Mission Team to Guatemala

**SHEPHERD OF HOPE FOOD PANTRY** – Local Food Pantry is sponsored by 4 churches - Faith Lutheran, Farragut Presbyterian, First Baptist Concord, Grassy Valley Baptist and Concord United Methodist. Located at Faith Lutheran Church, 225 Jamestowne Blvd. Volunteers are welcome and needed. A list of pantry needs is posted each month. Donations may be placed on the silver racks under the covered drive at the East Entrance. Open 1<sup>st</sup> Mondays 3 – 5 pm and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday's 3 – 6:00 pm

## MISSION COLLECTIONS - (Items collected posted on website)

- Toiletry Kits for Behavioral Health Unit at East TN Children's Hospital.
- Offering at the Altar (Items collected for Food Pantry – August 27, October 22)
- November/ December - Toy Drive for Morgan Scott and items for TREKK Ministry Children's Gifts
- Holston Home 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Offering –July 30, Oct 29 and Dec 31

## SPECIAL AND ON-GOING MISSION ACTIVITIES

- Garden Parties – Mondays @9am, Thursday @ 4pm, Saturday@9am,
- Gleaners Needed – Gather leftover veggies from local Farmers Markets or Bagel Shops to be donated to local feeding ministries.
- Volunteer Ministry Center Breakfast on Wednesdays
- Shepherd of Hope Food Pantry - 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays, plus stocking and collections
- Adopt-A-Mile - Meet behind Pinnacle Bank in the Kroger parking lot quarterly.
- Project Linus Ministry, Monthly 1st Wednesday at 5:00pm, Fellowship Hall
- Citizenship Classes – Wednesday, August 16 – November 23, 2023, 5:45 – 8:30



**Don't forget our Thrift Store NEEDS you! We need you to volunteer to work at the store and donate any items you can. Call the thrift store if you want to start volunteering or need large items picked up. THANKS!**

## THE THRIFT STORE – 8843 KINGSTON PIKE

**865-394-9741** <https://concordunited.org/thriftstore/>

Visit The Thrift Store Facebook & Instagram @thriftstoreknex

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 10am -6pm, Wednesday & Saturday 10am -3pm, closed Sunday

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