

Opportunities for

Outreach



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ventura missionary church

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WINTER/SPRING OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES

JANUARY

Trashcans Can Make a Difference Focus: Pasta

Family to Family: January 23

FEBRUARY

Trashcans Can Make a Difference Focus: Peanut Butter

Family to Family: February 27

MARCH

Trashcans Can Make a Difference Focus: New Socks

Family to Family: March 26

APRIL

Trashcans Can Make a Difference Focus: Canned Food

Family to Family: April 23

MAY

Trashcans Can Make a Difference Focus: Hygiene Products

Family to Family: May 28

Trashcans Can Make a Difference Items are distributed through Project Understanding for those in need. Bring your donations to the labeled trashcans in the VMC lobby.

VMC serves hot lunch at Family to Family (303 N. Ventura Avenue) the fourth Monday of each month. If you would like to help serve, come at 10:30 am. Questions: Dave or Jan Schmutte, 654-8151.

COMING UP:

Royal Family Kids Camp: August 5-10

Teen Reach Adventure Camps: Girls, July 6-9; Boys, July 12-15

These camps for children in our local foster care system are an incredible opportunity to share the love of Jesus with those who have been neglected and abused. Watch for ways to help.

From feeding programs and recovery homes to foster youth and Bible distribution VMC is passionate about sharing the transforming love of Jesus with our community. Contact us with questions or interest and we'll guide you through the opportunities!

General Outreach Ministry Team

Contact: Mike Cushing, mbcushing@gmail.com; Jesse Giglio, jesse@vmc.net
Create opportunities for engagement in outreach ministry. Educate the body on outreach ministry and facilitate the advancement of VMC's outreach projects.

Foster Care Ministry Team

Contact: Debbie Barber, debbie.barber@gospellight.com
Serve the foster care ministries of VMC (Royal Family Kids Camp, Teen Reach Adventure Camp and Foster Care Parent Support/Training).

Supportive Housing Ministry Team

Serve the needs of local housing ministries. Opportunities include:
The Kingdom Center: Becky Peterson, bpeterson@thekingdomcenterventura.com
Casa de Vida Recovery Homes: Bob Allen, boballenproductions@gmail.com
Tenderlife Maternity Home: Kelly Laird, kellylaird.kennedy@gmail.com

Basic Needs Ministry Team

Serve ministries that meet basic needs in our community. Opportunities include:
Project Understanding: Janine Dykstra, jdykstra@projectunderstanding.org
Operation Embrace (Harbor Homeless Ministry): Dan Swim, dswim@cofirepro.com

Evangelism Ministry Team

Opportunities include:
Beach, Campus and/or Prison Ministries: Kathleen Parsa, kathparsa@gmail.com
Young Life: Dave Afman, daveafman@gmail.com