



Holiday Giving for Youth in Detention – the Tradition Continues!

This holiday season—share some LOVE to bring HOPE & HEALING to the children in detention!

At Episcopal City Mission, we believe EVERY CHILD should know the magic of the holiday season, including those in St. Louis’ Juvenile Detention Centers. With your help, every child in detention will have at least one gift to unwrap.

The message they receive is the true gift:

They are beloved children of God! They are NOT forgotten! There IS hope for a good future!

How you can help:

❄ Provide gift cards for ECM to purchase what is needed for the children in the juvenile facilities:

Target

Walmart

Amazon

Old Navy

Gift cards help us make sure each child receives exactly the same item and allows us to shop holiday sales.

❄ Purchase items needed:

Games: Connect 4, Scrabble, Jenga, Sorry, UNO, SkipBo, Playing Cards, Ping Pong Balls & Paddles (NO games with loose dice, please.)

Jigsaw Puzzles (50 - 200 pieces)

Coloring Books & Crayons (Super Hero & Teen-themed)

Composition Notebooks for Journaling: Black covers only with NO spiral/wire binding

Word Search Books: no wire/spiral binding (NO Sudoku or Crosswords)

Individually Wrapped Candy (NO gum or lollipops with sticks)

Children’s-version Bible Trivia



❄ Leave the shopping to us and send a check. No gift is too small, and there’s no deadline!

Please note “Holiday Gifts” and mail to: Episcopal City Mission, 1210 Locust Street—Suite 306, St. Louis, MO 63103.

ECM will pick up donations from your church through Thursday, December 15.

Call 314-436-3545 or email ECMDirectorSTL@gmail.com to arrange for pick-up.