

HOPE'S CORNER

SHARING MEALS, BUILDING
COMMUNITY

DECEMBER 2023 NEWSLETTER

Hope's Corner serves a hot and nutritious meal every Saturday 8am-10am, Monday 8am-9am and Wednesday 8am-9am at the corner of Hope and Mercy in Mountain View.

"December is a month of invitation to forget ourselves in the service of others."

Robert Louis Stevenson



Hope's Corner celebrates 12 years of service!

Hope's Corner celebrated its 10th anniversary, two years late! Excited volunteers were finally able to welcome guests into the dining room to enjoy this milestone celebration. Hope's Corner founding members in attendance accepted an award for service from County Supervisor Joseph Simitian's office. Saturday morning guests enjoyed a fabulous turkey dinner, festive table decorations, cake for dessert and loads of good cheer!



Ring in the Cheer - Spread the Hope!



Donate to our children's holiday event! Hope's Corner guests have made reservations to shop for new toys, clothing, books and gift cards. **We are especially in need of \$25 gift cards to stores that older teens would like!** See **FLYER** for details. Donations accepted until December 13th.

[Holiday Toy Drive Flyer](#)

Shop Target - Support Hope's Corner

Not done with your holiday shopping? **An older teen would love a Target gift card!** Plus, you can support Hope's Corner while you shop! Become a Target Circle member and vote for your favorite nonprofit with points received from shopping. If you don't have a Target account, create one with the link below.



[Join Target Circle](#)

Volunteer Spotlight



Natalie is one of our teen volunteers you can find at Hope's Corner almost every Saturday, and sometimes Friday evenings. She started volunteering with us due to school service requirements, but soon discovered that she truly enjoyed volunteering at Hope's Corner. What keeps her coming back is the close-knit community that Hope's Corner fosters. She enjoys serving the hot food and the Friday food prep shifts. When she's not teaching swimming, she likes to cook, make jewelry, thrift, read and listen to Radiohead.

We appreciate you Natalie!

Thank you! **GivingTuesday was a huge success!** Hope's Corner counts on these funds to keep our meal, shower and laundry programs going! This year we raised over \$30,000! **We are always grateful and thankful for your support!**

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We are grateful for all the support we receive!

Please consider volunteering or donating. show your support by helping us meet our funding needs as we give a hand up t those who are hungry and hurting in our community.

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