



**Poverello
House**

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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Wanted: Santa's little helpers!

Fresno, CA- Poverello House needs your help! We just received notice that we are short 1,500 toys for children of needy families. Help us bring joy this Christmas Day by donating an unwrapped toy between now and Christmas Eve from 8am-5pm. Toys will be distributed on December 25th starting at 7am. "We need at least 1,500 toys donated to insure that every child who comes to Poverello House is given a wrapped present and has the opportunity to experience the anticipation and joy of Christmas" says Cruz Avila, Executive Director for Poverello House.

If you would like more information on the toy distribution please contact our office at 559-498-6988 or email info@poverellohouse.org.

Please be advised of the following events which will take place during the holidays at Poverello House.

Thursday, December 24, 2015

Regular Hours of Operation 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Volunteers will be wrapping Christmas gifts from 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.
A special lunch including Christmas tamales will be served at noon.

Friday, December 25, 2015

Holiday hours observed 8 a.m. – 2 p.m. for clients and volunteers

Christmas gifts distribution to children ages 0-16 at 7 a.m.
Breakfast menudo will be served at 8:30 a.m.
Christmas lunch will be served at noon featuring a special holiday meal of:
Meatloaf, mash potatoes, green beans and salad.

Hours of Operation

Monday – Friday 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. for clients and donations
Poverello House will resume normal office hours Monday, December 28, 2015

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