

# Children's Sock & Underwear Drive

## July 28 - August 5

*Imagine back to the first day of school when you were a kid - new crayons, new backpack, new shoes, maybe new everything!*

*Unfortunately, some children in our community aren't as lucky as we are and depend on the charity of others to meet their basic needs for the new school year.*

The Humans Concerns Committee is collecting packages of children's socks and underwear for the Ladies of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul.

**Boys' & girls' socks – all sizes and lengths**  
**Boys' & girls' underwear – sizes 6 - 16**  
**(New items only please.)**

*The Milwaukee area Ladies of Charity was established in the late 1950's.*

*Volunteers stock and staff the **Children's Clothing Center** on 4<sup>th</sup> and Brown, on the campus of St. Francis of Assisi Parish.*

*Next to rent, the Ladies of Charity's **biggest expense** related to carrying out their mission is the purchase of socks and underwear.*

*All school age children coming to the center whose family has a voucher and current ID are issued:*

- ❖ A winter coat, scarf, and hat
- ❖ 2 pair mittens/gloves
- ❖ A light weight jacket or hoodie
- ❖ 3 pair of jeans/pants
  - ❖ 4-5 tops
  - ❖ 1 pair of pajamas
  - and
- ❖ 5 pair of new socks & 5 new underwear items

Please place donations in the collection box in the meeting room hallway.

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