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Sunnyvale Community Services

Working to Prevent Homelessness and Hunger

A Message from our Executive Director

What Recovery?

As Sunnyvale's economy booms, something else is happening all around us—*most people are getting poorer*. The cost of living in Sunnyvale is skyrocketing, with average rents now over \$2,000/month. But low-income workers and seniors living on fixed incomes have not received raises.



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working poor. 17,000 households in Santa Clara County now face increased rents, at a time while other benefits are being slashed.

Our statistics tell a sad story. The escalating cost of living is forcing many families to leave Silicon Valley, while those who remain are falling into a widening income divide due to lack of affordable housing and a living wage. While the number of clients coming to our doors has plateaued, **the need per capita has increased.**

- Compared to five years ago, the amount of financial aid distributed by Sunnyvale Community Services for rent, utilities, and other financial emergencies **increased by 39%.**
- The amount of food we distributed to low-income families and seniors **increased 104%** in five years.

Until there is truly a recovery for all, we need your support. Thank you for being part of our work to prevent homelessness and hunger in Sunnyvale, the "heart" of Silicon Valley. ■

Marie Bernard
—Marie Bernard

Federal Government Sequestration is slashing food and housing benefits for the most needy. The 2009 Recovery Act's temporary boost to Food Stamps, known as the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), ended on November 1st. The Food Research and Action Center (FRAC) reports this equals an average benefit cut of \$36/month for every SNAP household. This average cut of 5.5% per household will cause hardship for many families and seniors already stretched to the limit. Learn more at <http://frac.org>.

To make matters worse, Sequestration has meant increases in housing costs for thousands with Section 8 housing vouchers. Section 8 supplements housing for the most vulnerable in our community—the disabled, seniors, and the

Admission is Free!

2013 Holiday Auction



SAVE the DATE!

Thursday
December 5th
5:00 – 7:30 PM

Mark your calendars! The MSCS Holiday Auction is just

around the corner! We are grateful to the Sunnyvale Elks Lodge for donating their lovely venue for the second year in a row. Be sure to bring your holiday list and shop for one-of-a-kind items including sports tickets, spa packages, vacation getaways, and delicious wine.

Many thanks to all who donate food and gifts. We are also grateful for our many dedicated volunteers who give hundreds of hours to make this event a great success. All proceeds benefit the SCS Community Christmas Center. ■

Please

Bring what we need most:

- Unwrapped gift for a child (ages 7 – 12)
- Gift card for a teen child
- Cans of tuna or jars of peanut butter
- Meals-in-a-Can with pop-top lids

SPONSORS



Join our Holiday Drive!

We help clients all year long, but the holidays can be especially difficult for so many. We especially need:



Donations can be dropped off during normal office hours, M-F 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM. For more information, please call **408.738.4298** or email mtran@svcommunityservices.org. Please bring your donation any time up to December 13. Our Community Christmas Center runs from December 3 – 13. ■

Message from the Board President

It is a privilege and an honor to be the new Board President at Sunnyvale Community Services. I have served on the Board for 10 years and have been an enthusiastic volunteer and supporter for longer than I can remember.

Sunnyvale Community Services provides essential support to those in our community who need a helping hand, an extra meal, or a referral to useful resources. There is a disparity that exists all around us, between the high-tech workforce filling our office spaces throughout the city, and the low-wage workers who support this growing business infrastructure. Studies show that for every full-time high-tech employee, it takes 4 - 5 service workers to support him or her, from the Starbucks barista, to the sanitation worker, to the gardener.

The clients who come to Sunnyvale Community Services are hard-working families and individuals who are often one paycheck away from disaster. An unexpected medical emergency, car trouble or rent increase can make the difference between being safely housed or being homeless.

I urge you to consider making a donation to this wonderful agency here in our community. Your support can make the difference for a family struggling to stay in their home when rents skyrocket, or having to make the difficult choice between buying food for the week or paying medical bills. We cannot help our clients without the generosity of our donors and our volunteers.

We are especially encouraging those of you who are thinking about estate planning to consider leaving a legacy gift to SCS. Your kindness today can be the source of hope for someone tomorrow. Thank you for your support and your continued engagement with SCS. ■

—Debbie Lyn Owens



Work First Sunnyvale

Sunnyvale Community Services is the lead agency in the "Work First Sunnyvale" program with Downtown Streets Team. You may have seen Team members in their bright yellow shirts keeping streets and parks in Sunnyvale clean!

In the first year, 50 individuals graduated from Job Search Skills classes, 13 people moved into regular employment, and 10 people moved into housing—it's working! This year, NOVA Workforce Development joins the program, helping clients build job skills and increase their earning power. ■

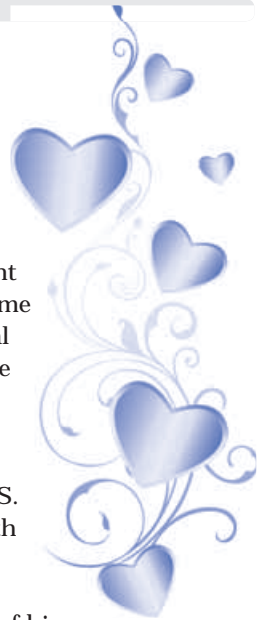


Jessica, David and Martha fill a shopping cart with household items for a newly housed DST client.

Paying it Forward An SCS Legacy Gift

At SCS, we never know when an angel will smile on us and bring much-needed relief to our continually stretched budget. This past year, we lost former client and angel, Paul Walkowiak. When Paul came to us over 30 years ago, he was in financial straits and asked for help with his rent. We sent him off with one month's rent and food assistance. With changes in staff and the passing of time, SCS lost sight of Paul, but in all these years Paul never forgot SCS. Just a few years ago, Paul reconnected with SCS as a donor.

We learned this year that Paul died unexpectedly at the age of 67. At the time of his death, Paul had been a successful businessman, having worked at Lockheed-Martin and other Silicon Valley companies during his career. We found out that upon his death, Paul left a very generous portion of his estate to our agency. His gift will go toward ensuring our building is well maintained and capable of serving thousands every year. In honor of his gift, we will rename our warehouse, which serves so many every day, the Paul Walkowiak Warehouse. His legacy gift to SCS will ensure that low-income Sunnyvale residents will have a place to come for food and financial aid for many decades to come. ■



Leave a Legacy

We are fortunate that from time to time we have been the beneficiary of one of our donor's estates. If you would like to start planning now to leave a legacy gift to SCS, you can talk to your estate planner or contact Executive Director Marie Bernard for a confidential discussion.

You can reach her at 408.738.0121 or mbernard@svcommunityservices.org.

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"After 298 days in a homeless shelter, I am enjoying the good life here in my studio apartment. Again, I sincerely appreciate when you came to my rescue on my rent in Sunnyvale." —SCS Client

Yahoo! for SCS



Marie Bernard and Roger Williams, Yahoo Director of Program Management

The Yahoo Employee Foundation (YEF) awarded Sunnyvale Community Services a grant of \$150,000 in support of our work to prevent homelessness and hunger in Sunnyvale. We are honored to have been selected for this generous grant in what

we understand was a very competitive process.

Across the company, Yahoos! (as the employees are affectionately known) were encouraged to give back to the community during the "Summer of Service" this year. After awarding the grant, over 80 Yahoos! from the company's Search Division volunteered at Sunnyvale Community Services to bag produce and distribute food to over 600 families. Many of the Yahoo! volunteers were bagging groceries alongside other Yahoos! they had never met, and the bustling physical activity was a big change from the typical work day at Yahoo! ■

Christmas Stockings Stuffed with Love

Expert seamstress and crafter, Brenda Trimble of Crosswalk Church, was kind enough to hand-sew 100 Christmas stockings for some lucky families this holiday season. Brenda's colorful Christmas stockings will be given at our annual Community Christmas Center, along with two weeks worth of food and new toys and gifts for every family. *Thank you, Brenda, for adding a little extra joy to the holidays this year!* ♥



Kate VanLinden and Marie Bernard showing a few of Brenda's handiwork.

A Wonderful Holiday Affaire

The SCS Auxiliary held their annual holiday boutique this past October, selling beautiful one-of-a-kind ornaments, jewelry, gifts, and more. Their quilt was a stunning black and white design this year and went to lucky raffle winner John Bokelman. All of the proceeds benefit the SCS Community Christmas Center. ■



Backpack Day a Big Success!

Every year children look forward to the start of school with a little excitement mixed with trepidation. What teachers will I get? Who will be in my class? Will I do well? Thanks to our annual Backpack Day, students can cross one worry off their list. This August, 1,078 young clients at SCS were given a brand new backpack stuffed with age-appropriate school supplies, along with a \$25 Payless Shoes voucher helping them get ready for school from "head to toe."



Backpack Day would not be possible without the generous donations from so many. We are especially grateful to **Intuitive Surgical** for their significant contribution. We also thank:

Alpha Delta Kappa
AMD
Avalon Silicon Valley
Casa de Amigos
CSR Technologies
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EnerVault
Family Giving Tree
Frances Street
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Orchids
Payless Shoe Source
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Church

Sunnyvale FISH
Sunnyvale Lions
Sunnyvale Presbyterian
Church
Sunnyvale Rotary
Texas Instruments
Toyota of Sunnyvale
US Bank
and
countless individuals

Finally, we could not have this event if it weren't for our hundreds of hard-working volunteers who work tirelessly to ensure every child leaves with a new backpack on their back and a smile on their face. ■

Welcome New SCS Staff

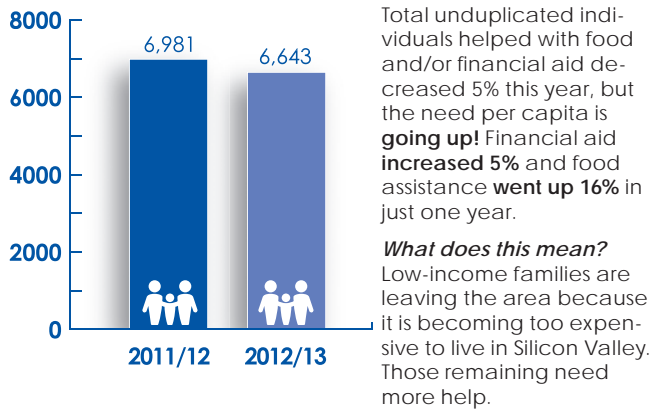
We are happy to introduce two new staff members here at SCS. Long-time volunteer Ed Roberson joined our staff in April as the Warehouse and Facilities Specialist, ensuring that our incoming donations flow in a quick and orderly way right back out to our clients. We also welcomed David Hernandez to our staff this summer. David is a Case Manager, focusing his efforts on a subset of clients who need sustained guidance and support as they work toward self-sufficiency. ■



SCS Annual Report FY 2012 / 2013

With the generous support of our donors, we are able to help everyone, never turning any eligible away because we lack financial resources.

Total Unduplicated Clients Served

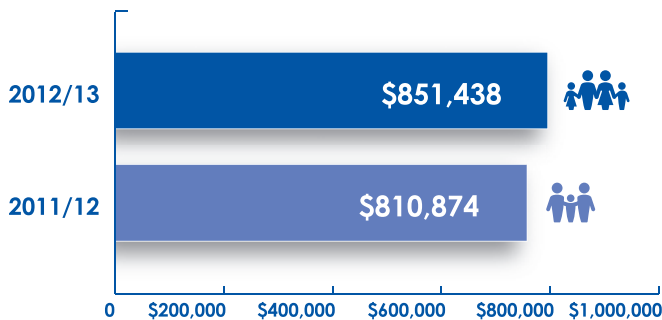


Financial Assistance*

With rising rents, gas prices and utility costs, the need is deeper than ever.

The amount of financial aid **increased 5%** from 2011 - 12. *What does this mean?* The need is deeper than ever before, with rents rising while income is staying flat for low-income workers and seniors.

Amount Spent on Financial Aid to Clients



	2011/12	2012/13
Cases	1,678	1,675
Individuals	3,163	3,073
Financial Assistance	\$810,874	\$851,438

*Includes aid for rent, rental deposits, utility bills, medical bills, bus passes, gas vouchers, and pass-through direct assistance of \$15,320.



We are always grateful for the generous donors and volunteers who support Sunnyvale Community Services year-round. You are the hearts and hands of our mission to prevent homelessness and hunger here in Sunnyvale.

Food Assistance

We continue to give out more food in our bags/servings, and more healthy food. Food prices keep going up, including the fresh produce we distribute every Monday.

We are distributing more than double the food from 5 years ago, which means we need more volunteers to bag groceries, stock shelves, run food drives, pick up donations, and keep our warehouse humming.

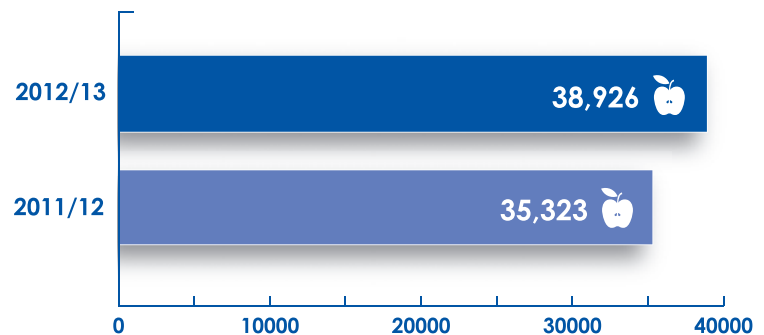
● **Food Servings:** We count each time an individual receives food as a "serving." These **increased 16%** from 2011 - 12.

● **Produce Mondays:** Launched in October, 2011, has increased from 320 families/week to over 700 families/week—an increase of 119%.

● **Volunteer Power:** Our talented and dedicated volunteers currently equal 15 full-time staff equivalents.

A family of four coming to SCS can receive healthy food and produce valued at \$308 per month, giving needed nutrition and room in their budget for other necessities.

Duplicated Food/In-kind Cases



Number of Duplicated Clients/Cases Receiving Food

	2011/12	2012/13
Food/In-kind Family Visits	35,323	38,926
Individual Visits	84,742	98,132
In-kind Emergency Assistance*	\$2,428,583	\$2,678,027

*Includes weekly Produce Mondays, monthly food, twice-weekly bread, Kids' Summer Food program, school backpacks and shoe gift cards, emergency/homeless food bags, bicycles, and other in-kind services.

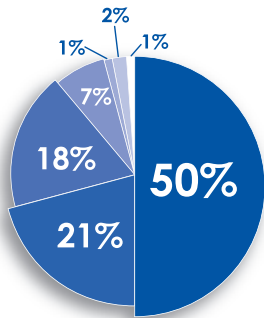
Cake4Kids Creates Birthday Smiles!

Thanks to our partnership with the volunteers at Cake4Kids, SCS distributed 123 birthday cakes to low-income children this year.



any single client and family eligible for financial aid, and we are grateful for your support. Please help us continue this perfect track record.

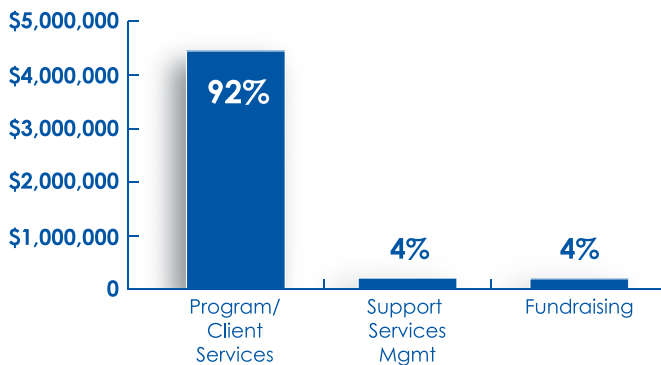
Revenue Sources



In-kind	50%
Community Support	21%
Corp./Foundation Support	18%
Government Grants	7%
United Way	1%
Other	2%
Investment/Interest	1%

In-Kind Donations	\$ 2,711,571
Community Support (See Financial Note #1)	1,152,594
Corporate / Foundation Support	996,139
Government Grants	364,789
United Way	65,900
Other	93,377
Investments / Interest	74,849
TOTAL	\$5,459,219

Where Our Money Goes



Program / Client Services	\$ 4,452,282
Support Services Management	205,898
Fundraising	191,494
TOTAL	\$4,849,674

Financial Notes

1. Community Support includes a generous bequest of \$419,711 from the estate of Mr. Paul Walkowiak. The SCS Board of Directors has designated the bequest to be restricted for capital expenses. The bequest is included in the total Change in Net Assets of \$609,545.
2. Our supporting services overhead for the year was 8%, very low for nonprofits, especially smaller ones with fewer cost centers to distribute overhead. (The nonprofit standard is 25% or lower.)
3. The 2012-13 audit from Deborah Daly, CPA was 100% clean (no findings).
4. Our audited annual financial statements are available on the SCS website for anyone to view.

Neighbors in Need

● A medical emergency can cause eviction

A 77 year-old Sunnyvale senior and caretaker of her grandchildren since their mother died years ago, had an emergency dental extraction in order to prevent an infection from getting worse. Although it took some convincing, this proud family matriarch came to Sunnyvale Community Services to help her pay the \$219 balance for her dental emergency. Because we were able to step in and help, she was able to get the medication she needed for a full recovery while remaining in her home without the risk of eviction. In addition, we were able to provide her with emergency food, helping her stretch her already very tight monthly budget. ■

● Homeless man gets a new start

Through our partnership with Downtown Streets Team, we met "Bill," who had been homeless for over one year. He joined the Downtown Streets team and found in it a new purpose and a new beginning. After working on the team for a year Bill was able to move into a new apartment, the first home he had in over a year. SCS was able to help Bill with food and basic household items like dishes, detergent, and linens. Bill was so grateful for our help and still stops by once in a while to help clean our windows and say hello to the staff at SCS. ■

● Two full-time jobs and a home

High rents throughout Silicon Valley means that it takes more than one minimum wage job to afford a place to live, even a tiny apartment. A family whose husband was working two full-time minimum wage jobs came to us for help with the deposit on their first home, a modest trailer for a family of four. With one-time rental deposit assistance, this family was able to move out of a motel and into a permanent home. The mother was teary-eyed with gratitude and tremendously relieved that her children could have their own beds and feel safe again. ■

● Father and son—sticking together

A single father of a five year-old boy lost his job in July and has been working hard to find a new job ever since. While this was happening his medical bills were mounting with his own care as well as his son's. Sunnyvale Community Services was able to help this father get his MediCal reinstated so that his medical bills were covered. In addition, we enrolled him in our food program and gave his son a nice new backpack with school supplies along with a Payless Shoes voucher so that his son could start kindergarten with everything he needed. Our help has enabled this dedicated father to focus on his job search without worrying about staying healthy and providing food for his son. ■

We Couldn't Do It Without Our Volunteers!



TorreyPoint packed and distributed over 20,000 lbs. of fresh fruits and vegetables on Produce Monday



Texas Instruments volunteers were all smiles as they helped distribute backpacks on Backpack Day



Yahoo! distributed monthly groceries to families



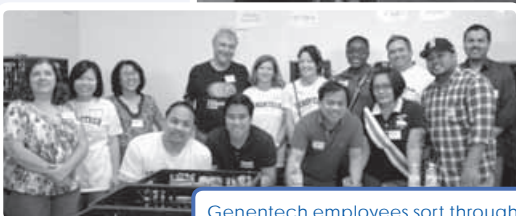
Homestead Interact and Sunnyvale Rotary packed hundreds of backpacks



SCS volunteers assembled and set up shelves for the toy room just in time for Xmas. L-R: Ed Roberson, Terry Nakashima, Jim Lee, David Reaves, Richard Gee, Michael Gutierrez



Unitarian Church packed food for the Monthly Food Program



Genentech employees sort through over 500 lbs. of donated food during Genentech Gives Back Week



Sunnyvale Public Safety packed groceries for over 450 senior families



Sunnyvale Presbyterian Church delivers over 1,000 lbs. of canned foods every month

Healthy Eating, Healthy Living at Full Circle Farm



This past June SCS held its second annual Healthy Eating, Healthy Living Fair at Sunnyvale's 11-acre community Full Circle Farm. Crowds of people were able to visit with over 20 participating agencies, eat fresh-from-the-farm fruits and vegetables, and take part in interactive games and activities. We are grateful to all of the volunteers who helped on that sweltering day, and we thank our sponsors: **El Camino Hospital District, Genentech, Kaiser Permanente, and Palo Alto Medical Foundation** for making this important event possible. ■

A Moving Documentary Event

In September, SCS hosted a screening of the documentary, *American Winter*, co-produced and directed by Harry and Joe Gantz. The documentary follows the personal stories of 8 families struggling in the wake of the worst economic crisis since the Great



(L-R) Griselda Orozco, Joan Scott, Marie Bernard, Jim Gantz

Depression. The screening was an opportunity for us to highlight the impact the economy is having on our own community, where budget cuts to social services and a shrinking of the middle class are dramatically impacting our most vulnerable. We are grateful to our host for the evening—**Texas Instruments**—and **PG&E, Wild Palms Hotel, and Nothing Bundt Cakes** for sponsoring the event. ■



Thank you to our Intel Fellow, **Penny DaVilla**, who joined us as an administrative assistant this past spring thanks to a generous grant from Intel Corporation.

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United Way Silicon Valley
Village Harvest
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Paul Walkowiak
West Valley Elementary
Paul & Deborah Whitney
The Willis Foundation
Yahoo! Employee Foundation
YMCA Northwest
Tad & Florence Yoshikawa

Adopt-a-Day Honor Roll

Underwriting SCS' \$1,000 a day operating costs not covered by grants or contracts

1 Week = a year of monthly food for 17 families (or 200 filled bags of groceries)

Anonymous
Stephen and Mary Ellen Barasch
Clay Foundation - West
Lynn & Bill Crane
Dimensional Research
Jim & Celia Dudley
Jeannine Feldman
Diane M. Hagglund
Infirera
Jockers Family Foundation
Law Foundation of Silicon Valley
Jay Kay Paul c/o Jay Paul Co.
Sunnyvale Elks Lodge/B.P.O.E. #2128
Sunnyvale Martial Arts Academy
Alan Templeton

4 Days = 2000 meals-in-a-can

Jeffrey Andrews
Bruce and Vivian Euzent
Dan and Donna Hafeman
Olaf Hirsch and Melinda Hamilton
Melissa & Sekeol Kim
Curtis McKinney & Julia Rogers
Eileen Paulsen
Jim and Janet Reynolds
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3 Days = 3,000 quarts of milk

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Ali Abedini & Roksana Sadraei Manjili
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Pine Cone Lumber
Pine Press
Gregg and Belle Pullano
Ivan Soleimanipour
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St. Luke Lutheran Church
Wild Palms Hotel

2 Days = 1260 cans of tuna

Anonymous (2)
Applied Materials Political Action Committee (AMPAC)
Valerie Armento
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2 Days (cont.)

Nicholas and Anna Brosnahan
Casa de Amigos Bingo Club
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Anita Clemetson
Congregational Community Church
John and Maya Clifton
The Domain Hotel
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Raymond & Yvonne Skitt
Sandi Spires
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Sunnyvale Singers
Robert N. and Florence Slinger Foundation Fund
Star One Credit Union's Community Involvement Committee
Committee to Elect Ron Swegles in memory of Ron Swegles
Tim Teichman
Trinity United Methodist Church - Church Society Committee
Tim and Linda Vachon
Bill and Jo Vanderbeek
Joe and Connie Vereceles
Peter & Joy Wallack
Brad and Debbie Wetmore
David H. Whittum
Judith Petroski & William Wiegand

1 Day = 300 jars of peanut butter

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Sandy and Holly Agbayani
Alpha Delta Kappa, Alpha Lambda Chapter
Elizabeth and Paul Archambeault
Carol Arnett Charitable Foundation
Alfred Artis
Baan Thai Spa - In honor of Baan Thai Spa
Howard Baldwin and Monica Delzeit
James Barnette
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Gurpreet (Kitoo)
Terry Wight & Robert Groppo
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John Harrison Photography
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Robert Heath
Mr. & Mrs. Julio Herdocia
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Richard and Diane Horn

1 Day (cont.)

IBM
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Ann Infeld
Raymond and Irani
Louis Isbitz
In memory of Phyllis Jeckell and Barbara J. Mordy
Kalpatharu Foundation
Denise Kato
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Keith and Ellen Kitchen
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Stephen and Lois Smallwood

1 Day (cont.)

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Esther Wong and Shayne Stubbs
Sunnyvale Service Athletic Club
Biao Tang
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Working to Prevent Homelessness and Hunger

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Programs and Services

- Financial assistance for rent, utilities, medical care, prescriptions, other critical bills, and rental deposits for homeless families moving into housing
- Daily emergency food, weekly "Produce Mondays," monthly food for families and seniors, and Kids' Summer Food distributions
- Community Christmas Center, affording clients the dignity of selecting a two-week supply of food, new gifts for infants through teens, and a practical household gift
- Bus passes and gas vouchers
- Budgeting assistance, support counseling, and advocacy
- Referrals to medical, mental health, employment, shelter, education, and legal programs
- Clothes, backpacks/school supplies, household items

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Upcoming Events



SCS Community Christmas Center

Open House

Location: Sunnyvale Community Services

Sunday, December 1st
1:00 - 4:00 pm

Annual SCS Holiday Auction

Location: Elks Lodge, 375 N. Pastoria Ave.

Thursday, December 5th
5:00 - 7:30 pm

Rides for Toys

Location: Toys 'R Us

130 E. El Camino Real, Sunnyvale, CA

Sunday, December 8th
10:00 am - 1:00 pm

Sunnyvale Singers Holiday Benefit Concert

St. John Lutheran/Trinity United Methodist Church
581 East Fremont Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA

Sunday
December 8th
4:00 - 5:00 pm

A "free will" offering will be collected benefitting SCS.



SCS Wish List

Check out our website for the most needed items.

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