

# OUR DOORS AND HEARTS ARE OPEN!

## CREATE COVID-19 RED SHIELD BOXES



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### WHAT CAN I DO?

We are collecting items for seniors and vulnerable populations. You can help by creating care packs from the security of your own home and safely dropping items at our locations:

- Canned soups and other dry and canned foods
- Gift cards to Giant or Safeway
- Socks, hats, gloves and toiletries
- Large-font activity books like sudoku
- Diapers and baby wipes
- Sanitizing supplies
- Un-opened food to be cooked for 120 homeless neighbors served nightly by our Grate Patrol Program
- Donate online: [www.salvationarmynca.org/covid19](http://www.salvationarmynca.org/covid19)

### SAFETY FIRST

Safety is paramount. Please follow these precautions:

- Do not purchase items or prepare and drop-off items if anyone in your home is sick.
- While packing and dropping off goods, wash hands frequently and avoid touching your face.
- During drop-off, please leave food at the front and follow social distancing procedures.
- Donated items must be unopened and not expired.

### QUESTIONS? CONTACT:

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Note that "Red Shield Boxes" can be donated in boxes or bags (paper, plastic, reusable, etc). Thanks!



### DROP-OFF INFORMATION

We will receive donations Mondays, 1-4pm, at the following locations. Please leave donated goods outside the front door and call or text 202-345-2238, indicating the location where you are. We will check for drop-offs regularly, too.

#### DC

- 3335 Sherman Avenue, NW
- 2300 MLK Jr. Avenue, SE

#### Maryland

- 20021 Aircraft Drive, Germantown\*
- 4825 Edmonston Avenue, Hyattsville

#### Virginia

- 1804 Mount Vernon Avenue, Alexandria
- 518 South Glebe Road, Arlington
- 4915 Ox Road, Fairfax\*
- 1483 Old Bridge Rd, Ste 102, Woodbridge

To drop off at other times, please coordinate your preferred time and location via email, call, or text: [angela.soriano@uss.salvationarmy.org](mailto:angela.soriano@uss.salvationarmy.org) / 202-345-2238

\* Germantown and Fairfax locations are open M-F, 9-4 & also can receive shipped donations.

*"During these uncertain times, one thing is certain: We have neighbors who need our assistance today. While others' doors have been forced closed, our doors are open and—with your help—we will continue to serve those in the most need. Thank you."*

– Major Mark Woodcock, Area Commander

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