



September 18, 2022

Restoration & Purpose Community Outreach, Inc is designed to collaborate, coordinate, and challenge the community to reduce public health issues, provide resources to individuals and families and build strong relationships among our community and families. Caring and Connecting, Creates Change.

Restoration & Purpose Community Outreach plays an important role in improving and extending service through different outreach activities, such as (1) advocating for public health issues, (2) obtaining resources through partnerships, (3) connecting with the community, and (4) caring for individuals and families.

Each year, we are committed to providing meals to families during the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays. We are selecting 10 families to bless during the 2022 holiday season. The 10 families consist of 5 families from an underserved school district, 2 families from a faith-based community, and 3 families from an underserved community. Anyone can nominate a family to receive a Christmas and Thanksgiving Holiday basket. Please visit our website [www.restorationandpurpose.org](http://www.restorationandpurpose.org), click the Community Projects Tab, then click Thanksgiving and Christmas Holiday Baskets, and submit the application or Scan the QR Code below. The application/nomination deadline is **October 30, 2022**.



## 1) Holiday Recipients

Families that are selected to receive a Thanksgiving/Christmas Holiday basket will be notified **NLT November 1, 2022**.

### I. Thanksgiving & Christmas Holiday Basket

Families will pick-up their Thanksgiving baskets on **Saturday, November 19, 2022**, at **2:00 pm**. Families will pick-up their Christmas baskets and gifts on **Saturday, December 18, 2022**, at **2:00 pm**. The pickup location will be at Restoration & Purpose Community Outreach, Inc, 1085 E Brandon Blvd., Brandon, FL 33511 (*behind Famous Tate Appliance and Bedding*).

### II. Christmas Gifts List for the Children

Parents/Guardians must submit their child(ren) Christmas list to Restoration & Purpose Community Outreach, Inc via email, [admin@restorationandpurpose.org](mailto:admin@restorationandpurpose.org) **NLT November 14, 2022** (*only if there are changes to the submitted application*) We will post the children's wish list on our website. Each family will be anonymous and assigned a number.

## 2) Holiday Donors/Donations

Our organization enjoys building partnerships in the community to ensure families can have a wonderful meal during Thanksgiving and Christmas. All donations are welcomed and appreciated. Donations can be dropped off at Restoration & Purpose Community Outreach, Inc, 1085 E. Brandon Blvd., Brandon, FL 33511 between the hours of 9:30-4:00 pm, Tuesday-Thursday or by appointment call (813) 657-0117.

We will start accepting Thanksgiving donations on **Tuesday, November 1, 2022**, through **Friday, November 18, 2022**. We will start accepting Christmas donations on **Saturday, November 19, 2022**, through **Thursday, December 15, 2022**

### I. List of Donated Items Needed for the Thanksgiving & Christmas Holiday Baskets

Each basket will be stocked with the following items:

Ham \*\*  
Turkey \*  
Dressing  
Gravy (Jar)  
Elbow Noodles  
2lb Bag Shredded Cheese  
Green Beans (Lg Can) \*  
Glory Greens (Lg Can) \*\*  
Corn (Lg Can)  
Sweet Potato

Yellow Rice  
Milk (Gallon)  
Baking Potatoes  
Rolls  
Jiffy Corn Bread  
Cranberry Sauce \*  
Pie  
Cake  
Eggs  
Orange Juice  
Apples  
Oranges  
Water (1 Case)

\* Thanksgiving Only

\*\* Christmas Only

## II. Christmas Gifts for the Families

### Recommended Gifts

Mothers – Spa Gift Cards

Fathers – Lowes/Food Gift Cards

Children – List of items that will be provided by their  
parents/guardian **NLT November 14, 2022.**

**NOTE: We are a 501(c)(3) organization; therefore, donations are tax deductible. We will provide you with a charitable donation letter for tax purposes.**

Sincerely,

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