



Pictured above: Students from Francis Parker visit Interfaith's Betty and Melvin Cohn Center to make sack lunches as part of their Summer Service Learning Plunge

Francis Parker School students give back at Interfaith

On June 19th, 15 students from Francis Parker School came to our headquarters to assemble sack lunches and tour the facility. In less than an hour, the group made nearly 150 sack lunches to be handed out to hungry neighbors after our morning meal service. As part of an optional Summer Service Learning Plunge, Francis Parker students have the opportunity to give back to local organizations by completing various volunteer projects. By the time they visited Interfaith in the early afternoon, the students had already volunteered at two other organizations that same morning. Thank you to the entire Francis Parker group, led by Director of Community Engagement, Kevin Dunn, for your dedication to helping people in need – even during summer break!

Emmanuel Faith hosts annual food drive for Interfaith



Pictured above: Members from Emmanuel Faith drop off their food drive donations to Interfaith's pantry

This June, Emmanuel Faith Community Church hosted their annual food drive, donating an impressive 13,000 pounds of food to Interfaith. Not only did members of the congregation donate canned goods and hygiene products, but a special group of volunteers also stopped by our *Betty and Melvin Cohn Center* headquarters to drop off, sort, and pack up all of the donations. Emmanuel Faith has been a long-time supporter of our organization and we appreciate all of their generosity, hard-work and constant compassion for our community.

San Pasqual High ceramic class holds fundraiser for Interfaith

Interfaith thanks Ms. Cavassa's advanced ceramics class at San Pasqual High School for pulling an all-nighter last month to make ceramic bowls. The class then sold the bowls and donated their \$300 in profits to our organization. We thank the students for all of their time and creativity (and lack of sleep) with this project!





Muslim Community Center makes & delivers sack lunches for Interfaith

Thank you to the Muslim Community Center (MCC) of San Diego for making sack lunches for the clients Interfaith serves. Each morning, Interfaith offers a free, hot breakfast to the community and afterwards, attendees are also provided with a sack lunch for them to take for later in the day. Because the group was able to get together so many volunteers, MCC set a record for how fast they were able to make their sack lunches, thereby providing meals for so many of our hungry neighbors. Interfaith thanks everyone who was involved in this project and for making a difference in the lives of our community members in need!

Pictured above: The Muslim Community Center of San Diego poses with their sack lunch donations

Girl Scout Troop 2355 donates “birthday bags” for children and families in-need

Girl Scout Troop 2355 dropped by Interfaith’s *Betty and Melvin Cohn Center* headquarters this month to donate 30 birthday bags filled with all the goodies for a birthday party, including cake mix and frosting, for children in need. The troop collected all of the items and assembled the bags on their own. Interfaith thanks Girl Scout Troop 2355 for their hard work, donations, and for bringing the joy of birthdays to children in our community.



Save the Date: Interfaith’s 2017 Annual Meeting – 9/27

Each person who walks through an Interfaith door has their own story to tell, whether they are a neighbor in need, community partner, volunteer or donor. At this year’s Annual Meeting, you will have the opportunity to not only hear a few of these inspiring stories, but also share your own.

Wednesday, September 27th, 2017

San Rafael Catholic Church

17252 Bernardo Center Drive, San Diego 92128

Registration opens at 10:30 a.m.

Program: 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Lunch: 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Complimentary lunch and refreshments will be served.

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