



The Annual Christmas Project is a **PARISH TRADITION** that gives everyone an opportunity to share in the joy of giving with those whose children might not otherwise receive Christmas gifts, as well as families and seniors who might not have a decent meal on their Christmas table. We collect wish-list items for local organizations who serve less fortunate South Bay families at Christmas.

Be an Angel

Pick a gift tag at the Angel Tree in the Welcome Center beginning **November 19** to donate a Christmas gift for a child.

Drop off Weekend

December 3 & 4

8am-5pm

Drop off new
UN-WRAPPED gifts
food and non-food items
at the Welcome Center.

Join the FUN, volunteer for Wrap up Weekend

Saturday, December 10

Setup in O'Donnell Hall, 4-7pm

Sunday, December 11

Wrap Gifts in O'Donnell Hall, 7am-12noon
Cleanup & Load Boxes of gifts and food into cars, 12-3pm

Non-perishable Food

Baby Food · Baby Formula · Beans · Pasta · Rice
Cereals · Oatmeal · Raisins · Coffee
Canned Juice · Canned Fruits & Vegetables · Soups
Stuffing Mix · Canned Meats · Canned Fish
Canned or Powdered Milk · Flour · Sugar · Cornmeal
Jam · Jelly · Peanut Butter
Mayonnaise · Ketchup · Mustard · Salsa

New Packaged Non-food Items

Batteries · Bleach · Detergent · Disposable Diapers
Combs · Brushes · Deodorant · Soap · Shampoo
Napkins · Paper Plates · Utensils · Toilet Paper
Feminine Products · Toothbrushes · Tooth Paste

Who receives the collected items?

Local South Bay families receive the gifts and food items. Organizations that help us distribute the gifts serve local families in the South Bay community who have requested assistance, and also local schools within the LA archdiocese.



If you know of a Parish or South Bay family in need,
contact Matthew25@AmericanMartyrs.org

<https://AMchurch.info/ChristmasProject>
Questions? Call Lory Zimnoch, 310-561-3702