



Pasadena Share-A-Meal Program
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We are honored to carry on the tradition of serving Thanksgiving meals to Pasadena Families in Transition through our 6th Annual Thanksgiving Share A Meal event. There continue to be many families in our city who are transitioning from homelessness to self-sufficiency, or vice versa. The Pasadena Unified School District has identified many such families and we wish to support them through these challenges.

By coming together as a community, The Pasadena Sandwich Company (PSC), the Stephen E. Fink Memorial Fund, the Pasadena Unified School District (PUSD), the Pasadena Fire Department (PFD), Sydney Paige® Inc., and Remainders Creative Reuse have been able to provide a safe and supportive place for families to sit down in a restaurant-style environment where they can enjoy their Thanksgiving meal as a family. The unique needs of these families have been identified by the Families in Transition Office of PUSD and all are invited individually to the Pasadena Share a Meal event via hand delivered invitations.

In addition to hosting and providing a homemade meal, we will give them a safe, fun-loving, and stress-free environment where they can participate in activities like arts and crafts, enjoy a Photo Booth, and gather for a professionally taken family portrait. Every family will go home with a Blessing Bag filled with goods, services and certificates from all of your generous donations. Not only will these families receive blessings on Thanksgiving Day, but they will receive your generous donations as needed throughout the year thanks to the Pasadena Families in Transition office.

Our team is committed to fostering the collaborative relationships needed to meet all needs associated with the Share a Meal event through the Stephen E. Fink Memorial Fund, a non-profit fund established in honor of the founder of PSC. We are currently accepting donations, which include but are not limited to, monetary, food (turkeys, pies, beverages, etc.), paper goods (plates, napkins, etc...), gift certificates and more. Visit us at www.pasadenashareameal.com to learn more about how you can be part of this AWESOME Thanksgiving celebration!

This year our Share A Meal program will take place on November 23, 2017. Please let us know how you would like to donate to our cause by emailing us at pasadenashareameal@gmail.com under the subject heading "SAM Donation." Thank you so much for supporting us in our efforts here in Pasadena. If you would like to make an online contribution or volunteer your time, please copy and paste the following link into your browser: www.pasadenashareameal.com

Please arrange your tax-deductible contributions by November 23, 2017 and thank you for your generous support.

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