

# Heart for Service Ideas during Remote Learning!

Every trimester students are asked to complete 4 hours of community service. Below are some ideas to help you get started.



These aren't the ONLY things you can do! Please be creative in finding ways to SERVE OTHERS who LIVE OUTSIDE YOUR HOME.

- Help a senior citizen neighbor with lawn work or outdoor care!
- Food Bank-ALFC Outreach center
- Write Bible verses and encouraging messages during a "chalk walk" through your neighborhood!
- Put together Blessing Bags (care kits) to give out to the homeless; you can use an old backpack that you have at home and fill it with items (new or gently used) from your home! Include a toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, etc.!
- Organize a collection of food and supplies for your area's food bank/food pantry. You can "advertise" on your community mailbox or place flyers around your neighborhood. Place a large box on your porch for the collection, and then, when it is full, take it to a food bank!
- Collect items like blankets, books, disposable diapers, sheets, towels, and toys, and donate them to your local homeless shelter!
- Help out at your local animal shelter
- Volunteer with younger children in your church nursery or children's Sunday school
- Make a note and deliver treats for firemen or police. (You might not want to make these treats at home this time around, but you can make some purchases from a trip to the grocery store)!
- Make Get-Well Cards for children in hospitals!
- Make baby blankets to donate to local hospitals/children's hospital.
- Crochet, knit, or quilt baby blankets and donate them to area hospitals, homeless shelters, women's shelters, relief efforts.
- Collect and send Thank You cards and notes of encouragement to our military personnel.
- Donate the money from plastic bottles and aluminum cans to a local charity
- Post a note on the doors of your elderly neighbors with your parent's email or phone number (ask permission first!) to see if anyone needs help such as a grocery/prescription run.
- Write letters or make cards for family members you haven't seen in a long time!

Each HOUR that you spend will count toward your Heart for Service hours this trimester!

Each \$10 that you spend will count as ONE hour! (Attach receipts). You will still need to have an adult/supervisor complete the Heart for Service form, and you will still need to complete the Reflection paper for your hours to count. For now, you will complete those digitally and emailing directly to your Bible teacher AND Mr. Beatrice! (Email to BOTH!)