

October 19th, 2024 5:30 pm

University Club of Pasadena 175 N Oakland Ave Pasadena, CA 91101

Celebrating a year of unprecedented growth.

MISSION

St. Francis Center's mission is to feed, serve, and walk with the poor as a community of hope in the spirit of Saint Francis of Assisi.



HISTORY

In 1972, Father Hugh Noonan, a Franciscan Friar, saw the growing number of people who knocked on the doors of St. Joseph Church asking for food and help. In response, he founded St. Francis Center and began serving food and distributing clothing. For over 50 years, SFC has welcomed all with joy, dignity, and compassion, and we dedicate ourselves every day to Serving Hope in our community. Although our core mission has not changed, SFC has expanded our programs over the years and is now a true multi-service community organization.



OUR IMPACT

141,137 MEALS SERVED

SFC's breakfast program serves warm, wholesome meals six days a week to anyone in need. Our breakfast program provides our unhoused community with a dignity-first approach. Have a seat, volunteers and staff will serve you breakfast, and enjoy the best coffee in town. For those who are in a rush, our team distributes breakfast in to-go format as well.

44,908 PANTRY BOXES DISTRIBUTED

SFC's pantry program distributes pantry boxes four times a week that consists of fresh, nutritious groceries to food insecure individuals and families. Fridays are reserved for our senior guests who are able to join us for activities and to recieve their weekly box. Our pantry delivery program brings our pantry directly to our most vulnerable guests. We host satellite pantries at partner agencies on a weekly basis, and pop-up pantries on an as-needed basis in food desert communities throughout Los Angeles.

1,790 diaper program visits

SFC's Tuesday Diaper Program provides families with diapers, wipes, and other baby essentials. Families are able come once a month to receive essentials, and families are able to request a "big ticket" item to account for their child's growth.

103,336 DIAPERS DISTRIBUTED





WHY NOW?

In the next three years, St. Francis Center aims to expand our current services and offerings to include in-house mental health services while we continue grow our current programming. The need in our community continues to increase and we know that we need to be able to proactively offer services that not only provide hunger-relief, but that support the overall health and stability of our guests.

Simply put, your sponsorship will allow St. Francis Center to grow. With your continued support, we will be able to rescue over 1.8 million pounds of food per year, which equates to a maximum of 865 food pantry boxes per week (45,000 in a vear), what we served in 2023. However, the number of registered pantry program recipients has increased 36% over 2022. St. Francis Center was established in order to reduce hunger and homelessness in our community. Though our orignizal goal has not changed, we now aim higher: to help our guests transition out of the cycle of poverty and provide tools to help sustain and improve their lives.

With your support, we can enhance our programs and services to offer wellrounded support to individuals and families in need.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Join us in Serving Hope to those most in need.

PRESENTING SPONSOR \$25,000

- Exclusive Presenting Sponsorship designation
- Opportunity to provide brief welcome remarks
- Three tables reserved at event for up to 30 guests
- Logo on slides during event
- Logo on digital invitation
- Sponsor logo recognition on email newsletter
- Sponsor logo recognition on social media
- Prominent logo placement on website for 12 months
- Logo on thank you to event participants
- Name recognition on sponsor list
- Volunteer recognition named after sponsor
- Two tables reserved at event for up to 20 guests
- · Logo on slides during event
- Logo on digital invitation

IMPACT

\$10,000

SPONSOR

- Sponsor logo recognition on email newsletter
- Sponsor logo recognition on social media
- Prominent logo placement on website for 12 months
- Logo on thank you to event participants
- Name recognition on sponsor list

ADVOCATE SPONSOR \$15,000

- Fifteen seats reserved at event
- Logo on slides during event
- Logo on digital invitation
- Sponsor logo recognition on email newsletter
- Sponsor logo recognition on social media
- Prominent logo placement on website for 12 months
- Logo on thank you to event participants
- Name recognition on sponsor list



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SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES, CONT.

GRAND SPONSOR \$5,000

- One table reserved at event for 10 people
- · Company name on slides during event
- · Company name on digital invitation
- · Sponsor name recognition on email newsletter
- Sponsor name recognition on social media
- · Company name on website for 12 months
- · Company name on thank you to event participants
- · Name recognition on sponsor list
- Six seats reserved at event
- · Company name on digital invitation
- · Sponsor name recognition on email newsletter
- · Sponsor name recognition on social media
- Name recognition on sponsor list

HOPE SPONSOR \$2,500

FRIEND SPONSOR \$1,000

- Two seats reserved at event
- · Sponsor name recognition on social media
- · Name recognition on sponsor list

INDIVIDUAL TICKET \$200

SPONSORSHIP FORM

Thank you for your support and for helping us continue Serving Hope to our community.



If you would like to sponsor the Friends of St. Francis Center Benefit Dinner, please fill out the form below and send to Danielle Rayner at <u>danielle@sfcla.org</u>.

PLEASE RESPOND BY SEPTEMBER 13, 2024.

Please select your level, sign, and return. Thank you!

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	Contact Name:		
Hope Sponsor - \$2,500			
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Friend Sponsor - \$1,000			

Please make checks payable to: St. Francis Center, 1835 S. Hope St., Los Angeles, CA 90015 Credit Card payments are welcome <u>here</u>.





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