

# Dinner Meal Donation Process

Food for the dinner meal should be available in the church kitchen on the day promised by 8:30 pm. An Urban Ministry staff person will be in the parish hall to meet you. Our guests arrive and begin eating around 9 pm and the hot foods should be ready to eat. If you are unable to bring it all warmed up please let the Urban Ministry coordinator know when you arrive.

A storage area will be designated in the kitchen area for pans or dishes used by donors. You can pick up your personal items from this location the next day or thereafter.

Someone will call to remind you on the day preceding your intended donation.

Any questions contact your Hotel de Zinc Coordinators for the day listed on the volunteer calendar.

**Dinners are often best prepared by a family or two volunteers.** One good way to do this is that one person brings the main dish and the other brings a side vegetable, or salad and dessert.

## **Example main menu items**

**Casseroles**  
**Stew or chili**  
**Meat loaf**  
**Beans and hot dogs**  
**Ham, beef or, pork roast**  
**Macaroni and cheese**  
**Large Pizzas**  
**Chicken any style**

## **Side Dishes**

**Salads and dressings**  
**Potatoes (baked or mashed)**  
**Rice dishes**  
**Rolls and Butter**  
**Cookies, cake, pie, ice cream**

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