



QUEST Box City
Homelessness Awareness Overnight
October 16-17, 2021
Behind Church
Saturday set up begins at 3pm
Finish on Sunday at 9am



What to bring:

- ❑ **Item to donate to hygiene kits** for teen homeless shelter **(based on your last name)**
 - SMALL/TRAVEL-SIZE appreciated: Toothbrushes **(A-C)**, toothpaste **(D-F)**, soap **(H-K)**, deodorant **(L-N)**, hand sanitizer **(O-R)**, shampoo/conditioner **(S-T)**, Band-Aids **(U-W)**, disposable masks **(X-Z)**.
- ❑ **Cardboard box** (or boxes taped together) large enough for you to sleep in (appliance boxes work well – can contact Miller-Maytag, Bill May, Lowe’s, Home Depot, St. Clair Packaging, or other big box store)
 - You are welcome to decorate your box if you like
 - Suggested to bring a tarp especially if precipitation is forecasted
 - **Small tent** for one person to sleep in is acceptable as well.
- ❑ **Large garbage bag** to hold all your personal items
 - Sleeping bag & pillow – depending on temps, you may want to bring extra blankets
 - Small towel, toothbrush/toothpaste – we will have access to bathrooms
 - Flashlight (not phone)
 - Hand & foot warmers
- ❑ **Wear**
 - Warm, casual clothes, coat, hat/gloves, scarf (dress for weather). Layers recommended.
- ❑ **Cell phone**
 - We will have a small tote for all cell phones. You’re welcome to bring, but can only be used during designated times. Remember we are trying to experience homelessness.

General Schedule:

- Saturday Arrival/Set-up 3:00-7:00pm (set up whenever is convenient for you)
- Soup Kitchen Dinner 7:00-8:00pm
- Indoor service project (blanket-making & hygiene kits for local shelter) 8:00-9:00pm
- Bonfire/Group time/Free time 9:00-11:00pm
- Wake up, Simple breakfast & Clean up 6:30 am- 7:30am –trailer available for boxes to be stacked
- Sunday Mass & Group Wrap Up 8:00-9:00am – Let Suzy know if you are scheduled to serve at another Mass time.

****Please NOTE that our “homeless shelter” (aka classrooms inside the building) will be available for those who aren’t able to stay outside the entire night.****

Have questions? Please contact Suzy at 810-364-4100 x 204 (office) 1000michiganave@gmail.com