



Hastings Family Service

Providing HELP and HOPE since 1970

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Project Share: *Hope* is within Reach

Volunteers Needed!

Hastings Family Service currently has open weekly, substitute, and short-term shifts available in a variety of areas:

- ... The Market Food Shelf
- ... Donation Center
- ... Rivertown Treasures
- ... Just Friends Drivers
- ... Project Share

Visit hastingsfamilyservice.org for more information and to fill out a volunteer application today!

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Project Share Registration

Need help with gifts and food for this holiday season?

In-person registration appointments are available as follows:

Families with Minor Children

Call today—we are currently scheduling appointments

Adult-only Households

Call beginning December 3 to schedule an appointment

Gifts and groceries will be distributed December 12th-14th and 18th-20th

Call 651-437-7134 to set up an appointment.

Families are strongly encouraged to register early to participate in the Adopt-a-Family program.

Visit hastingsfamilyservice.org for more information.



How to Share *Help & Hope* for the Holidays

- ... **Adopt-a-Family**– Get together with your family, friends, co-workers, and groups to provide gifts and/or food to make a family’s holidays a little brighter.
- ... **Volunteer**– Help distribute food and gifts for Project Share! To see a list of opportunities and sign up, visit hastingsfamilyservice.org.
- ... **Join the HFS Turkey Team**– Donate \$30 to cover the cost of a holiday meal!
- ... **Host a Gift Tree**– Have members, staff or customers purchase gifts to donate to HFS.
- ... **Donate Food & Gifts**– Choose from our list of most needed items on the website and bring it to the HFS Donation Center.

For more information on how you can help, visit hastingsfamilyservice.org.

Your support is deeply appreciated!

10th Anniversary

give
TO THE
MAX

NOV. 15, 2018

Support HFS during the Great MN Give-Together!

Please consider an online
donation to HFS during
the 10th annual
Give to the Max Day!

Visit hastingsfamilyservice.org
on November 15th or you can
SCHEDULE your Give to the Max
day gift starting November 1st!

Your donation could help HFS
win golden tickets of \$500 every
10 minutes or \$1000 each hour
throughout the day!

One random gift will be selected
for a \$10,000 golden ticket at
the conclusion of the event!

*Stay tuned on Facebook for
updates throughout the day!*

Online donations
will be **MATCHED** by
a generous HFS donor
up to \$5,000!

Holiday Fun with HFS

Join HFS at these family-friendly, fun events during the
holidays to support Project Share at Hastings Family Service.

November 22: Gobble Gait



Get your Gobble on and race or walk in
Gobble Gait on Thanksgiving morning. The 8K
begins at 8:30 a.m. and the 2K begins
immediately after the start of the 8K. For more
information and to register, visit gobblegait.com.

Make it your Thanksgiving tradition!

December 1-10: 10 Days of Giving

A 10-day donation drive for HFS, collecting food and
monetary gifts and culminating with the Holiday Train. This
includes the Hastings Middle School and Hastings High School
coin drives and the elementary schools food drives and
coloring contest!

December 4: King's Place Toy Drive



Donate a toy for Project Share and
receive a free hamburger meal! The
toy drive runs from 11:00 am to close.

December 9: Holiday Train & Jamboree

Get on board to fight hunger and join HFS
for the Canadian Pacific Holiday Train
Jamboree at 6:30 pm at Branchline Church
(518 2nd St. E). There will be games, snacks,
holiday activities, a coloring contest, and
more. After the jamboree, cross the railroad
tracks to enjoy the Holiday Train's arrival
and free holiday concert at approximately 8:30 pm. Please
consider bringing food items and/or monetary donations for
HFS. All are welcome!



Watch our website and Facebook page for information on
additional events during the holiday season.



Donate \$30 to cover the cost of a holiday meal and spread help & hope this holiday season!



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The 21st Annual

Gobble Gait

Thanksgiving morning– November 22, 2018

For more information and to register, visit *gobblegait.com*

Get your Gobble On!

Gobble Gait is a 2k and 8k race held Thanksgiving morning raising money for Hastings Family Service.

Gobble Gait has become a tradition for many families. Raising over 1.2 million dollars since its inception, Gobble Gait impacts thousands in the community by helping HFS fulfill its mission.



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THANKS to all who help organize, support and participate in this great Thanksgiving tradition!



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