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~ MEDICAL LOAN CLOSET ~

St. Clair County residents sure know how to look out for each other. Our Medical Loan Closet was overflowing into our Carriage House meeting room! A huge *Thank You* to all of you out there who have been donating to our medical equipment and supplies stock! Also, thank you for taking extra care to clean the equipment before transporting it from your home to ours. We appreciate your support of the service we provide to those who need help in those areas. This week, World Relief came to our closet so we could share some of your abundant generosity with those in dire need in other parts of the world. To help you better understand how these donations are helping our worldly neighbors, below is an excerpt from their website.

"For over 75 years, across 100 countries, we've been connecting people like you to the world's greatest needs—extending your compassion to millions of suffering men, women and children... We've been tackling the world's greatest problems with sustainable solutions, transforming communities from the inside out... We need you in the fight against poverty, violence and injustice around the world... Together we're creating change that lasts—today, tomorrow and for generations to come."

From time to time, our supply is greater than the community's demand and we are able to share the love with other communities that are suffering. We are grateful for the opportunity to pay it forward! <u>Click Here</u> to learn more about our closet.



2020 ANNUAL MEETING Thursday, August 6, 2020 @ 1:00pm

Cast

Your health and safety are of the upmost importance. Therefore, after much discussion with our Board, Volunteers, and Staff, we have decided to take our Annual Meeting virtual.

What will this look like?

- Registration will be required through **Zoom**.
- Your registration confirmation email will contain a link to access our Zoom video conference.
- The annual officer election will still take place, we will walk you through it during the meeting.
- At the end of the meeting, you will have a chance to wish Doug well on his retirement.
- Any questions ~ please call our office at 810.985.8169; we are happy to assist you!

Thank you for helping us to hold our Annual Meeting as safely as possible! Safety First!

Registration is limited to the first 100 people.

Please RSVP by July 27th www.uwstclair.org/Calendar



~ TAKING LIFE ONE DAY AT A TIME ~

It's going to take communities, nonprofits, businesses, and government all working together to respond, recover, and rebuild St. Clair County. Together, we can become stronger than before.



~ MASK ANYONE? ~

Our office was visited by the mask fairy again! Please spread the word, we have a variety of sizes (great for kids!), colors, and prints. Free for all. No limit, within reason. Thank you, Joyce and Michelle, for sharing your time and talents by making and donating face masks to help keep your neighbors healthy! We love being your distribution center! A huge **Thank You** to all of the mask wearers out there!



Mask pick-up is available Monday through Friday ~ 8:00am until 4:30pm.

~ LOOKING FOR A WAY TO HELP THE COMMUNITY? ~

LIVE UNITED

Join our 2020 Campaign Cabinet! What would that look like? Our team meets biweekly via video conferencing. Cabinet members are our special guests at the Fall Campaign Kick-off event and Winter Campaign Celebration event. In between, you would be responsible for delivering a packet of materials to a handful of local businesses and being our advocate to gain their support of our annual Campaign. We train, equip, and support our volunteers every step of the way! This year's **Community Campaign** is vital to ensure that essential health and human services remain available to all. Please consider giving the gift of your time and effort for those around you. Thank you! Call or email Mallory today!

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~~~ Visit <u>uwstclair.org/EmergencyServicesFund-Covid-19-ReliefAid</u> to apply for a relief grant. ~~~



#### United Way of St. Clair County's Mission is...

to mobilize the community of St. Clair County to raise funds and/or resources to meet identified human service needs with the highest level of accountability and community involvement.