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Diocese of Joliet

# Volunteer Opportunities DuPage County



## **Kathy Paulsen Hope House (Villa Park)**

- Groups of 2-3 are needed to cook and serve meals to nine residents. Food and recipes are provided or you can cook at home and bring meals to the shelter.
- Cleaning and landscaping.
- Organize a collection drive. Please contact us for a list of needed items.
- Sort food donations for hotel clients.

## **Office (Downers Grove)**

- General office work like filing and data entry.
- Greet clients as they enter the building.

## **Transitional Housing Programs**

(throughout DuPage County)

- Mentor for families who were previously homeless and are now participating in Catholic Charities' Housing Programs. Free training sessions are provided. Responsibilities include working directly with families to help with daily challenges.
- Transport food and clothing donations.
- Transport furniture (either using own truck or as a member of a moving team) from donor's homes to transitional housing family apartments.

## **Community Services**

(throughout DuPage County)

- Sort Undy Sunday donations.
- Help landscape and maintain rental properties in Addison and Villa Park.
- Organize and sort holiday donations in November and December.
- Assist at the DuPage County Back to School Fair in August.

## **Fundraising**

- Gather silent auction/raffle donation items for fundraising events.

## **Food Rescue**

- Pick up and deliver food to the shelter (sometimes on short notice).

**For more information  
about these  
opportunities, contact  
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We are a faith-based organization providing service to people in need and calling others of good will to do the same.

