

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

02/17	OPEN M CLOSED
02/18-02/20	Hot Lunch Daily 11:30-1:00
02/20	Community Works Akron Orientation - Class 43
02/21	February Mountain of Food
02/24-02/28	Hot Lunch Daily 11:30-1:00
02/24-02/28	Community Works Akron Workshops - Class 43
02/28	Community Works Akron Graduation 2:00pm
02/28	Community Legal Aid from 11:00-1:00

REMINDERS

Please remember to sign in and out at the front desk or in the pantry when volunteering.

If you would like to sign up to receive this newsletter via email, let Jess know via email: j.rist@openm.org

VOLUNTEER STATS

NOVEMBER & DECEMBER 2019 VOLUNTEERING STATS

TOTAL VOLUNTEERS: 309
TOTAL HOURS: 2,429

FOOD PROGRAMS:
VOLUNTEERS: 95
HOURS: 858

FREE MEDICAL CLINIC:
VOLUNTEERS: 105
HOURS: 702

OPEN M EVENTS:
VOLUNTEERS: 111
HOURS: 457

OFFICE/BUILDING:
VOLUNTEERS: 29
HOURS: 412

DID YOU KNOW?

OPEN M hosts AARP to prepare taxes every Thursday from February 6-April 9! Contact OPEN M for more info or to make an appointment!

Appointments can be made by calling the front desk at 330-434-0110.

FEBRUARY VOLUNTEER HIGHLIGHT: MATTIE MIMMS

Mattie Mimms has volunteered in our pantry for over 7 years and has amazing taste in ice cream. She can be found helping everywhere: hot lunch, OPEN M Walk, and most recently at the front desk.

Favorite color: purple
Favorite ice cream: salted caramel with chocolate crunch
Favorite movie: "Love Comes Softly"
Favorite book: Discerning the Voice of God, Priscilla Shirer
Favorite part of volunteering: I love giving to people, all people in the world, because God told us to love each other. That is my goal, to give love, kindness, material things, help where I am called to do so. My other reason for volunteering is because of the people I work for at OPEN M. They are so very kind, respectful, loving, to everyone, and that is the way we should treat all people, no matter who they are, we give love to everyone. So thankful to God for allowing me to volunteer at OPEN M.



BE SURE TO RSVP FOR THE 2020 VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION EVENT!

We will be holding our 2020 Volunteer Appreciation Event at the Highland Square Theatre on March 14, 2020 from 12:00-3:00. This family friendly event will be a catered luncheon, a showing of Wizard of Oz on the big screen, and awards for all of our amazing volunteers who give their time to help OPEN M serve our community. Look for your invitation in the mail in the next few weeks!

Available Opportunity!

RSVP is the largest volunteer network for seniors in the nation. Perks include supplemental insurance, a recognition program, member incentives, & more.

Call 330-253-4597x166 for more information if you are 55 years or older, live in Summit OR Medina County, & want to make a difference in your community!