



HOW TO SHAREFEST

Keep these guidelines in mind when you're preparing your materials!

What you can bring

- Any and all kits listed in this book!
- Best Choice Labels
- Garden Seeds
- Blankets & Quilts
- Eyeglasses for Merida Foundation

What you cannot bring

Please take the following items directly to local agencies that can use them!

- Clothes
- Hearing Aids
- Used tools
- Used Rx Bottles
- Expired food or hygiene products
- Bottles of cleaning agents
- Shoes (Rainbow Network no longer collects)

Please do not include monetary gifts in kits or boxes. All cash gifts should be turned into Festival Office or Sharefest attendant.

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Kit and Pack Boxing Instructions



BOX

Sturdy boxes with lids (banana, egg and copy paper boxes) work best. Please include only one type of kit in each box to avoid confusion and extra sorting time. Do not make boxes heavier than 20 lbs.



LABEL

Mark each box, both top and side, with what type of kit it is and the number enclosed. Clearly label if it's Missouri or CWS. Please use a felt-tip marker, like a Sharpie, for easier reading.



TAPE

Secure the box with reinforced tape, so the contents are not accidentally dropped, damaged or soiled.

SHAREFEST 2024

What is a Sharefest?

Sharefests are the opportunities in which we gather as communities for service, fellowship and sharing of the packs, kits and funds recognized in this booklet. These events are open to the public and are held in partnership with local churches and organizations across Missouri who are eager to make a positive impact in their area. We encourage delivery of donations directly to one of the locations listed below to ensure agencies receive the greatest number of resources.

Please note, additional Sharefest details, activities and registrations will be published as they become available in the events section of our website. Event arrangements may vary by location.



Southwest Region

Hood UMC

139 N Walnut Ave.
Republic, MO 65738

September 14, 2024

Kit Drop-Off: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Contact: Church Office
417-732-2919
inmonv@hoodumc.org

Northeast Region

Santa Fe Christian Church

35546 State Highway D
Santa Fe, MO 65282

September 20-21, 2024

Kit Drop-Off: Friday 4:00-7:00 p.m., Saturday 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Contact: Susan Kendrick
573-473-6850
skkendrick_17@hotmail.com

West Region (KC Area)

Red Bridge UMC

636 E 117th St.
Kansas City, MO 64131

September 28, 2024

Kit Drop-Off: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Contact: Church Office
417-732-2919
office@redbridgeumc.org

Southeast Region

CrossRoads Global

Methodist Church

501 S. Walnut St.,
Dexter, MO 63841

October 4, 2024 (Friday)

Kit Drop-Off: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Contact: Pam Jean
pamjjean@gmail.com

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Northwest Region

InterServ Community Center
5400 King Hill Ave.
St. Joseph, MO 64506

October 5, 2024

Kit Drop-Off: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Contact: InterServ, 816-238-4511

East Region (STL Area)

LifeWise StL
1321 S 11th St.
St. Louis, MO 63104

October 12, 2024

Kit Drop-Off: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Contact: Krescene Beck
krescenebeck@gmail.com

Central Region

Tipton UMC
204 US-50
Tipton, MO 63104

October 12, 2024

Kit Drop-Off: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Contact: Sheila Moon
660-422-2533
sheila@iaa-insurance.com

Festival of Sharing is not possible without the help of churches and organizations throughout Missouri. If you are interested in supporting a Sharefest, please email festival@socket.net or call **573-474-3332** to get connected.

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Promotional Materials and Presentations for Mission Leaders

Festival of Sharing provides materials to publicize kits and events in your church and community. Full-size publication materials, such as flyers and individual kit content lists, are available on our website. Please visit www.festivalofsharing.org/media to view and download. Limited numbers of physical copies can be requested by contacting the Festival of Sharing office at **573-474-3332** or festival@socket.net.