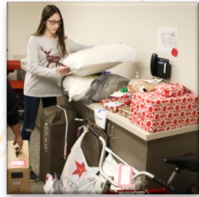


Thank You

FROM A FEW GIVING TREE FAMILIES



The Lord truly worked through the Holy Family parishioners this Christmas! A large number of families helped make Christmas better for local families in need this year through the Giving Tree Program.



Families from around the Kansas City area were selected to receive gifts and listed their needs for this Christmas. Those needs were then put on ornaments that were placed on trees around the church. Generous families took those ornaments home, purchased the gifts, and returned them wrapped and ready to be opened on Christmas morning.



Volunteers donated their time and effort to help sort and deliver the gifts to those families in need. We truly cannot thank all those involved enough for their generosity and compassion!

Some of the families that received gifts reached out to Holy Family, expressing their thanks for all those that helped make their Christmas a little better this year. Here are two of those thank you cards:

God Bless
Hello,
This is [blurred] an inmate at [blurred] County Jail
I just wanted to say THANK YOU EVER SO MUCH!! My
family the ([blurred]) have been chosen by the
school for the church to adopt for the holidays! You
have no idea how much I want to thank you for im
incarcerated and probably wont be with them till
after the holidays, but you guys made that ok for
me when I get out im going to give back to you
all for doing that Ive never been so ever thankful..
I turned my life over to Jesus and I feel great and great
things are happening. Thank You again for this!! [blurred]

Hello,
This is (name) an inmate of (name) county jail. I just
wanted to say thank you ever so much!! My family
(name) have been chosen by the school for the church to
adopt for the holidays! You have no idea how much I
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-(Name)

Christ Jesus savior
Happy Reunion joy
Incense Joseph
Savior happy
Tree Mary
Mary
Angel
Shepherds



Christ, Happy, Reunion, Incense, Savior, Tree, Mary,
Angel, Shepherds, Jesus, Savior, Joy, Joseph, Happy,
Mary.

Thank you for all the gifts and.... Merry Christmas
(Names blurred out for privacy)