

# † WATERTOWN URBAN MISSION CALENDAR † APRIL 2012

**Food\$en\$e Registration & Payment Deadline**

**Thursday, April 5**

**Impossible Dream Meeting**

**Monday, April 9 9:30 am**

**Finance Committee Meeting**

**Thursday, April 12 9 am**

**Board Meeting**

**Wednesday, April 18 8 am**

**Food Sense Distribution**

**Thursday, April 19 3-4 pm**

**CC Café**

**Friday, April 20 7-9 pm**

**WUM Annual Auction**

**Saturday, April 28 9:30 am-2 pm**

**WUM ANNUAL AUCTION:** Please join us at our Annual Auction on Saturday, April 28. Our Auction will be held at St. Anthony's Catholic Church, 850 Arsenal Street in Watertown. The preview begins at 9:30 am, with Auction to follow from 10 am to 2 pm.

If you have any items that you would like to donate, please contact Tammy Kirch, Store Manager, at 782-8440 ext. 87.

**CHRISTIAN CARE CENTER:** The next CC Café will be on Friday, April 20 from 7 pm to 9 pm. This month's featured artist is Marilyn Meulieb, co-author of "What Carol Told Me" with singer Chris Towne. Please join us for a night with friends and fellowship. Refreshments will be served and a free-will offering will be taken. All are welcome at the Café; children under 14 must be accompanied by an adult. Stop in and see us during our regular weekly hours, Monday through Friday from 8 am to 5 pm, and Saturday from 9 am to 2 pm.

**CRITICAL NEEDS:** During the month of February, 234 households were served through the Critical Needs Program. There were 39 new households, and 26 individuals or families were considered homeless. Requests for assistance with utilities and fuel through Critical Needs has increased as the HEAP (Home Energy Assistance Program) had a decrease in their funding during this heating season. We are thankful to have been able to help our neighbors in need, and are most grateful for the consistent generosity of our donors. We know that we could not do all we do without help from the community.

**FOOD PANTRY:** The Feinstein Foundation will divide \$1 million among hunger fighting agencies nationwide, using it to help them raise funds this March and April. We are participating in this challenge. The more donations we receive between March 1st and April 30th, the more of the Feinstein challenge money we will receive. These donations can include cash, checks and food items. Please consider donating to our Food Pantry during this time. We are grateful for all of your continued support; we cannot do it without you!

### People Served through Your Food Pantry

	<u># Families</u>	<u># People</u>	<u># New People</u>	<u># Items (5-day supply)</u>	<u># Diapers</u>
Feb. 2012:	440	1232	128	18480	806
Year-to-Date	1044	3091	376	46365	1938

### Number of Cases Served through Your Critical Needs Program

	<u>Families</u>	<u>Rx</u>	<u>Gas</u>	<u>Furniture/HH</u>	<u>Clothing</u>	<u>Formula</u>
Feb. 2012:	234	13	12	93	94	27
Year-to-Date	536	37	29	194	206	81

## April 2012 Dollar Dinners

April 1	Asbury United Methodist	327 Franklin St.	782-3240	5-6 pm
April 8	All Souls UU Church	1330 Gotham St.	788-2742	5-6 pm
April 18	LIFE- All Souls UU Church	1330 Gotham St.	788-2742	5-6 pm
April 22	Asbury United Methodist **	327 Franklin St.	782-3240	5-6 pm

\*\*Hosted in conjunction with Brownville United Methodist Church\*\*

Please come and join your neighbors for a delicious home cooked meal!

A sincere Thank You to all who donated to Cinderella's Closet. The Impossible Dream sold more than 40 formal dresses on March 24 and March 25.

### We have three great sales in April at the Impossible Dream

<b>April Fool's Sale:</b>	April 1	No Foolin—Everything in the store on sale
<b>Easter Sale:</b>	April 6 & 7	20% off Formal Wear & Premade Easter Baskets, also an Easter Egg Hunt (20% or 50% off eggs, and 2 door prize eggs)
<b>Pre-Auction Sale:</b>	April 26 & 27	For items that will not be placed in the Auction on April 28th

### "Food\$en\$e Makes Good Sense"

**Food\$en\$e Registration:** Register from 9 am to 5 pm weekdays by Thursday April 5, at Watertown Urban Mission, 247 Factory Street, or 9:00 am to noon at Faith Fellowship Church, 131 Moore Avenue. **Cost is \$15.50 per unit.** There are NO age or income requirements. If you eat, you qualify!!

**Food\$en\$e Distribution:** Thursday April 19 from 3:00-4:00 pm, at Watertown Urban Mission, 247 Factory Street. While you're here, sign up for your next month's Package!

#### Projected Food Sense List—1 Unit \$15.50

Chicken breast, 1lb.	Spaghetti sauce, 26 oz.
Italian meatballs, 1 lb.	Frozen green beans, 1 lb.
Pollock fillets, 12 oz.	Mandarin oranges, 11 oz.
Italian sausage, 1 lb.	Diced tomatoes, 14.5 oz.
Spaghetti, 1 lb.	Fresh produce
Bread crumbs, 15 oz.	Fresh produce

#### This Month's Specials Are:

1. Boneless pork loin, 7.5 lbs. for \$17.00
2. Stouffer's Stuffed peppers, 5 lbs. for \$14.50
3. Produce box: 1 celery, 2 onions, 1 carrot, 4 peppers, 5 potatoes, 5 lbs. for \$10.00
4. Beef ravioli, 2.5 lbs. for \$5.75
5. Breaded shrimp, 3 lbs. for \$13.50
6. Boneless, skinless chicken breast, 3 lbs. for \$6.00
7. Ham & cheese hot pockets, 12/8 oz. for \$17.00

