

# The CedarWood Report



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### CedarWood Pantry's 2019 Year-End Update



### **TURKEYS AND TOYS!**

During the 2019 holiday season, CedarWood, along with our generous partners, provided an avenue for families to receive additional help and support with Thanksgiving dinners and toys for the children at Christmas. Through a substantial monetary contribution from Sonrise Christian Center, we were able to purchase 130 frozen turkeys and sides to distribute to families in need. Thank you, Sonrise, for helping us help others!

The staff and patrons of Chopsticks Restaurant in Edmonds, WA, for the 5<sup>th</sup> year in a row, donated an overwhelming number of toys, games, dolls, bicycles, scooters, stuffed animals and more. Because of their incredible generosity, we were able to provide multiple Christmas gifts to more than 220 children, grandchildren, nieces and nephews of our Pantry customers. Our thanks to Eileen Werner for helping make holiday dreams come true for so many children!





TOYS DONATED BY CHOPSTICKS RESTAURANT CUSTOMERS

CedarWood would like to recognize Smart Foodservice in Bothell, WA for their generous year-end donation. During a fundraiser at their store, their customers raised more than \$4,300 for our food pantry. Special thanks to their leadership team, Rocky, Joe, Andrea and Ty!



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# **Holiday Toy Joy!**



## CedarWood 2019 Year-End Update

| 2019 Year Ending Stats            |       |
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| CedarWood Pantry                  |       |
| Pantry Families served            | 4380  |
| Combined Family Members           | 14150 |
| New Families Registered           | 170   |
| Coats Distributed                 | 198   |
| Shoes Distributed                 | 238   |
| CedarWood Homeless Outreach       |       |
| Homeless Meals Served             | 3545  |
| Coats Distributed                 | 124   |
| Shoes Distributed                 | 68    |
| BackPack Kids                     |       |
| BackPack Kids Meal Kits Assembled | 2450  |

2019 CedarWood Highlights:

- 170 New families registered with our Pantry
- Averaged 87 families per week and 280 family members
- Our homeless outreach served an average of 79 individuals each week out on the streets of Everett.
- We added a new men's group called the CedarWood Crew which met quarterly, enjoying a Men's conference, BBQ at the park, a Game Day, and a fall Bonfire event.
- 2450 BPK kits, totaling 14,700 meals, were served to hungry students through our partnership with Operation: Sky Valley.
- A combined total of 322 coats and 306 pairs of shoes, plus innumerable clothing of all sorts were distributed



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### WANT TO HELP? HERE'S HOW TO GET INVOLVED!

Consider donating money, food or even volunteer your time. Monetary donations are tax-deductible. Please write checks to World For Jesus Ministries (WFJM) and mail to the address on Page 1. Notate "CedarWood" in the memo section of your check. Online donations are also accepted at http://worldforjesus.org/ministries. Just click the "CedarWood International" donate button to add your donation to the cart. THANK YOU!