**Mission Week: Homeland**

This year, in addition to raising money to benefit many worthwhile charitable causes, each class has been empowered to embrace a local entity to reach out to in a more personal, and perhaps more meaningful way. Below you will find more information about the various goods that will be collected next week and also the organizations we are going to support.

We will collect these goods in homeroom. The best homerooms will receive free fries one day at lunch.

**Freshmen**: [St. Augustine Catholic Church](http://www.st-augustine-stl.org/)
Freshmen will collect food goods each day next week; the food pantry at St. Augustine serves both those in need in the city of St. Louis as well as the county of St. Louis.

* Monday: peanut butter and jelly
* Tuesday: pasta sauce (cans preferred)
* Wednesday: boxed mac and cheese
* Thursday: oatmeal (canisters or packets acceptable)
* Friday: canned pasta products (Ravioli, “Uh oh Spaghettios,” etc.)

*While each day will have a themed product, please also know that any day’s products can be collected on any day (in the event a student forgets to bring something to school on a certain day).*

**Sophomores**: [Bridge of Hope](http://bridgeofhopestl.org/)
Bridge of Hope is a north city ministry serving the poorest of the poor. They offer clothing, showers, laundry facilities, meals, and educational support to their community. Sophomores each day will collect from a list of toiletries.

* Band-Aids
* Combs / Brushes
* Toothbrushes / travel size toothpaste
* Shampoo / Conditioner / Lotion
* Razors
* Towels

**Juniors:** [Birthright.](http://www.birthrightstcharles.org/)
Juniors will collect supplies for new mothers who have courageously and admirably chosen life over abortion.

Juniors will collect any of the following:

* Onesies, clothes
* Toys
* Diapers, wipes
* Pacifiers, bibs, bottles
* Other baby-related supplies

**Seniors**: [USO](https://www.usomissouri.org/how-you-can-help/donate/ways-to-give/)
Seniors will collect goods that can be packed and shipped to our heroes in the military. Collectable goods may include ([a complete list can be found here](https://www.usomissouri.org/wish-list/)):

* Bread, hot dog buns
* Cheese, pre-packaged lunch meats
* Bulk cereal
* Bottled water (12 oz. or smaller)
* Slim Jims, Chex Mix, Potato Chips, Doritos, Cheese Its
* Cookies, raisins, nuts
* Fruit
* Candy bars
* Muffins
* Paper plates
* Lysol cleaning wipes
* Toilet paper
* Paper towels
* Toothpaste and shaving cream (travel size)
* Razors
* International calling cards