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# 2019 FALL NEWSLETTER



Mother of Mercy, House

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We couldn't do this without you...

Your heartfelt prayers are heard, and your support is deeply appreciated. We would love to share what has been happening at Mother of Mercy House and show everything you have made possible!

#### WE CALLED, YOU ANSWERED

As our food stock dwindled, we called on you for non-perishable food items. Our urgent request was answered! We were able to restock our shelves and distribute over 70 bags of groceries to families and elderly

neighbors in need. Thank you to everyone who answered God's call!





## MOTHER OF MERCY DAY





On September 28th, we gathered together as a community to celebrate 5 years in Kensington! Our neighbors joined us for a day filled with games, food, face painting and religious gifts. We ended the beautiful day with an outdoor mass led by Father Murphy. Thank you to all who have helped make our mission possible for all these years.



#### JOANNE BRUECKS INVITATIONAL



Our 11th annual Joanne Bruecks Invitational was filled with so much love and support for our mission. Thank you to Brian and Re Re Bruecks for donating the proceeds to Mother of Mercy House. Your continuous generosity impacts so many lives!

# SAINT KATHARINE DREXEL AWARD

Thank you to the Catholic Police, Fire and Peace Officers of the Philadelphia League of the Sacred Heart for presenting Mother of Mercy House with the Saint Katharine Drexel Award. This award recognizes our service to the Kensington Neighborhood, which would not be possible without your support of our ministry. A special thank you to Lieutenant Tom Smith and Veronica Sypherd for visiting us to present the award.



### SECOND SATURDAY



On the Second Saturday of every month, we had numerous volunteers help and support our mission by sharing food and faith. We want to say thank you to all our friends who dedicated their time to help those in need. We are so grateful for you and your service to our neighbors in need.

# RALLIED AT LOVE PARK

Mother of Mercy House showed support at Love Park during a rally with thousands of people. We stood up against gun violence, racism and so many issues that affect our community so deeply. We prayed and acted for peace.



We can't wait for all that next year has in store!

Welcome, Alex!

We are so excited to welcome Alex Rodriguez to Mother of Mercy House as our new Operations Manager. Alex worked at Catholic Social Services and would join us once a week. We are so blessed he is with our community full time and is known by so many already.



As you celebrate this season of giving, please remember Mother of Mercy House. Your prayers and generosity help us share the mercy of God with all!















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