

Newsletter

Jan-Feb-Mar, 2023



Douglas County
Lakes Area

www.loveincdouglas.org

Transformational love inc Tuesdays Empowering Life Program



We had a successful Semester, Fall of 2022!

- 31 Students graduated!
 - 22 Neighbors in need
 - 19 Community members
- We offered 6 classes

Thank you to all who volunteered their time each Tuesday! You are the ones who make these classes work. You ARE Love INC!

Clothing Gap Ministry

Our clothing ministry is in need of larger size men's and women's clothing. Please call the office before you drop by to make an appointment to drop clothing off. Thank you for thinking of your community!

Volunteer? Donate? Are you a person in need? Please call:

320.759.3022

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Keep in Touch!



2022 Toys for Tots & Toys for Kids



Members of The Marine Corps League, Runestone Detachment 1409

This past Christmas, the Marine Corps League partnered with Love INC and Reach church for Toys for Tots/Toys for kids.

- 226 families were helped this year.
- 502 children received gifts.

We also had help from Life Right, NorthStar Christian Academy, and multiple volunteers who donated toys. Cullen's Home Center and Alexandria Covenant church, along with Elden's Family Foods donated a Christmas meal for every family as well.

Seeking Executive Director

Love INC of Douglas County Lakes Area is seeking a new Executive Director. Please go to www.loveincdouglas.org for more information and to submit a resume.



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Church Ladies & Men!

Do you love to cook for a large group? We are looking for churches to volunteer to bring in a meal for our Transformational Tuesdays Meal! We serve 60-65 people each Tuesday and we have several weeks left to fill this spring!

- April 11
- April 25
- May 2



For more information, please call Tonya at Love INC 320.391.5089.

Volunteer Opportunites

Appliance Gap Ministry:

- Delivery - we are seeking willing volunteers to help deliver appliances.

Bike Gap Ministry:

- Refurbishing Bikes, if this is something you like to do, give us a call at 320.759.3022

Transformation Ministry:

- Incentive Lead Volunteer for Fall 2023 starting around May. Once per week 2-3 hours. Seasonally.
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Formal Wear



Inspiring You

Call today for an appointment!

44 Glenn Rd NW, Alexandria, MN

320-815-7268 Barb
320-808-0128 Candy

Love INC partners with Inspiring You, to give free gently used formal dresses and suitcoats to students waiting to go to Prom and Spring Formal dances.

The next Open House is scheduled for Saturday -March 18
Saturday - April 1
at Love INC

9:00am - 12:00pm

Call Barb or Candi for more details - or just come on in!

Barb - 320.815.7268

Candi - 320.808.0128

Appliance Gap Ministry

Love INC's Appliance Ministry is in need of one more person to help refurbish washers, dryers, and vacuum cleaners. If you like that sort of activity, please call us. Training provided!

The Caring and Sharing Room of St. Mary's partners with Love INC to provide housing essentials. Please donate items to Caring and Sharing to help others furnish their households.



The Caring & Sharing Room is in need of:

- Counter Microwaves
- Dressers
- Baking items (cookie sheets, cake pans, pie pans, bread pans)
- Cooling racks
- Pots and pans
- Loveseats
- Skillets
- Coffee pots
- Any kitchen utensils
- Water pitchers
- Colanders
- Cutting Boards
- Vacuum cleaners
- Couches

IF YOU CAN HELP, DROP OFF ITEMS AT:

- 700 Cedar St., Door #4, Alexandria
- Thursdays, 9:00am - 12:00pm
- For larger items, call the Caring & Sharing Room at 320-760-8084