



Adopt-A-Family Guidelines

Thank you for your interest in adopting a family for the holidays. Our programs assist single individuals and adults with children who are survivors of domestic violence. These families have achieved safe, permanent housing and are still being supported by TWSH's S.T.E.P.S. AfterCare program as they continue to heal from abuse. **You can adopt a single individual or an entire family.**

How it works

We provide a detailed wish list and family profile for each of our families. Sponsors then 'adopt' a family and purchase the items on their wish list. Items may be delivered to our drop off location, in gift bags and labeled with the family number, starting on December 6, 2021, and ending on December 17, 2021. We will distribute the gifts to families and individuals starting December 20th.

How much should I spend?

We've provided a handy tool to help you determine how much to spend on your adopted family or individual. Please note, these are only suggestions.

Family Size	Suggested Amount
Individual	\$40 - \$60
Family of 2	\$80 - \$120
Family of 3	\$120 - \$180
Family of 4	\$160 - \$240
Family of 5	\$200 - \$300
Family of 6	\$240 - \$360

What Gifts Should I Give?

On the [Adopt A Family SignUp page](#) we have included detailed wish lists provided by the families or individuals. We ask that each sponsor consider providing:

1. One or two or more requested gifts per person
2. An outfit or pajamas per person
3. A grocery, department store (Target, Walmart, Walgreens) or Visa/MasterCard gift card to allow the families to purchase additional holiday needs.

If you would like to go above and beyond the requested items we ask that you consider adopting another family or contributing housewares items on the list.

Drop Off Information

Once you have purchased and collected all of your adopted family's gifts, you can drop them off at **Tower Grove Baptist Church (4257 Magnolia Ave, St Louis 63110-3501)**. **Donations will be accepted December 6th-17th, Monday-Friday from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm.** If you have questions, please contact Melanie Dehning by email mdehning@twsh.org or by phone at (314) 772-4535.

Click [here](#) to Adopt-A- Family today!

