

Baskets of Love

As Family Promise families or individuals/families from the Housing Advocate Network (HAN) “graduate” into homes of their own, each individual/family receives housewarming gifts of supplies needed to reestablish home life. In 2022, 48 such deliveries were made to very happy and grateful recipients. Please see the list of items below to see how comprehensive the welcome baskets are.

Now it’s time to RESTOCK THE SHELVES for 2023. 1st UMC is donating a complete set of Welcome Baskets plus gas/gift cards for one family from our Family Promise budget to support this wonderful effort. We offer you the opportunity to add to this if you want. If this ministry is something you want to support, please do so by online donation marked for **Welcome Baskets** or by sending a check made out to First UMC (PO Box 7646, Missoula, MT 59807) with **Welcome Baskets in the memo line.** All monetary donations received will be collected and one check will be sent to MIC so they can buy whatever they need. We appreciate your support.

Welcome Basket Contents

<u>Cleaning Basket</u>	<u>Toiletry/Bathroom Basket</u>	<u>Kitchen Basket</u>	<u>Food Staple Basket</u>
Laundry basket Broom and dustpan Toilet brush & plunger All-Purpose cleaner Laundry detergent Dish soap Trash bags (13 gallon) Paper towels	Toothbrush /Toothpaste Shampoo/Conditioner Deodorant Bars of soap First Aid Supplies Body lotion Q-Tips Bath towels & hand towels Washcloths Hand soap Rolls of toilet paper Tissues Small waste basket	Cutting board Can opener Small paring knife Large carving knife Dish towels Wash cloths Spatula/kitchen tools Oven mitts Hand soap Trash bags - kitchen Ziplock bags - gallon Ziplock bags - sandwich First Aid Supplies Toaster Kitchen garbage can	Sugar Cereal Cans soup Salt & pepper Ketchup Mustard Mayonnaise Macaroni & cheese Pancake mix Syrup Tuna Spaghetti noodles & spaghetti sauce Pasta Cloth shopping bag