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Dear Friends

So many of you have been asking what you can do to help us out in this difficult time so we are humbly requesting assistance from our good friends in collecting the food items that we are in great need of. Due to the current health crisis our collecting Sisters are unable to go out on their regular rounds obtaining these supplies for us. They are also not able to hold their monthly grocery store begging where most of these items would be donated.

Here is the list of items and the instructions for dropping off donations: Tissues

-Cheerios    Corn Flakes    Rice Krispies    Raisin Bran    Bran Flakes    Special K

-Oatmeal (no instant oatmeal, old fashioned only)    Sugar    Tomato Sauce (any kind)

-Tuna Fish    Peanut Butter

-Yellow Mustard    Ketchup    Mayonnaise    (these 3 in squeeze bottles works best for us)

-Snack Pack Puddings    Jell-O Cups    Apple Sauce Cups    Fruit Cups  
(all either regular or sugar free packs or cups)

**All donations can be dropped off at the Shepherd Lane back entrance Tues. – Thurs. between 9:00am and 12:00pm and 2:00pm – 5:00pm after which the gate will be closed.**

**There will be a table in the open middle garage for donations as well as paper for you to leave your name and information for an acknowledgement if you need one.**

If you do not feel comfortable shopping for us, a food store gift card would also be gratefully accepted and a trusted employee or volunteer can do the shopping. We understand that the need is great in so many places in our area but we would appreciate anything that you could do for us. Monetary donations can be made on our website: [www.littlesistersofthepoortotowa.org](http://www.littlesistersofthepoortotowa.org) use the address on the top of this letter for mail in gifts. You can check back regularly for updates on our website under News & Events, or on the Blog page.

Please know that we are keeping all of our good friends and benefactors, who are so devoted to our Residents and our Home all year long, in our daily prayers. We especially pray that everyone remain safe and healthy.

Gratefully yours,

Sister Mary Thomas  
Superior  
The Little Sisters of the Poor