



# Good Tidings Christmas Store 2022

## Gift List and Giving Guidelines

Every year Festa and Cornerstone Christian Fellowship partner with the community to provide an affordable shopping experience for families with a limited income. The Good Tidings Christmas Store allows families to purchase a variety of new items at very affordable prices in a respect-filled manner.

### **Drop off Dates:**

#### **Open drop off times: Tuesday - Friday 9am-5pm**

Cornerstone Christian Fellowship 4066 Main Street, Hilliard OH 43026.

For other drop off arrangements please contact Irma at 614-560-6190.

**Financial Support:** We are seeking sponsorship and partnership opportunities and toy donations. Please contact Erin Arnett at [earnett@wearefesta.org](mailto:earnett@wearefesta.org) for more information.

### **It is our HOPE to provide a range of NEW merchandise.**

- Merchandise must still be in its original package
- In the range of \$10 -\$30
- These are suggestions and not absolute
- Please include batteries when necessary
- Please NO: realistic weapons of any kind, stuffed toys/animals (unless they are packaged- for hygiene purposes), Barbie dolls, or jewelry

### **Check out our Amazon Gift list (updated throughout the season):**

<https://www.amazon.com/registries/holiday/1SUAO1K0HI87X/guest-view>

Please choose the "Good Tidings c/o Katie Lim" shipping address when ordering from the Amazon Gift list

### **EARLY CHILDHOOD**

(Ages infant to 5 years)

- Fisher Price
- Little Tikes
- Melissa and Doug sets
- Playskool
- Duplo
- V-tech

### **ELEMENTARY**

(Ages 6 to 11 years)

- Remote control cars
- Drones
- Tool/science kits
- Lego/ Lego Friends
- Race car set with track
- Skateboards
- Nerf toys

### **MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL**

(Ages 12 to 18 years)

- Complete makeup kits with brushes
- Electric razors
- Skateboards
- Curling iron, flat iron
- Perfume/Men's cologne (Old Spice, Polo, Axe)
- OSU hooded sweatshirts sizes S-XL
- Tabletop games
- \$25 Gift cards to local stores (Dick's, Apple Store, Marshals, Finish Line, Best Buy, H&M, Forever 21, Bath and Body Works)

### **Extras**

- AA batteries
- AAA batteries



## Good Tidings Christmas and Coat Store 2022



**What is the Purpose?** To give parents and guardians with limited income a way to Christmas shop for the children in their lives at a VERY low cost, in a very respect-filled way. It is our goal to provide NEW toys at **drastically** reduced prices for children ages Infant-18yrs.

**How do families make a reservation to shop?** This year, we are taking all Shopper reservations **online**. Morning and afternoon appointments will be available during store hours **Monday, December 5 through Friday, December 9** and families can select from available appointments to suit their own schedules. Families living within the **Hilliard City School District and qualifying for free and reduced lunch programs** will be given registration priority.

**If toys are donated why is there a charge?** This is a dignity store and offers families in our community a respect-filled “hand up” vs. a “hand out.” All sales generated go to purchase additional toys, enabling more families to shop. Shoppers become donors - **together we can serve more families!**

**How can I help?** We are seeking NEW toy donations and gift cards to local stores where we can purchase toys (Wal-Mart, Big Lots). We are also seeking volunteers. We partner with churches, families, local businesses, and other organizations to provide NEW toys/presents for Infant - 18-year-old children in the \$10-\$30 price range. Please see our “Wish List and Giving Guidelines.”

**Where do I drop off gifts?** Cornerstone Christian Fellowship, 4066 Main Street, Hilliard. Open drop off times: Tuesday - Friday 9am-5pm. If you cannot make these times, call Irma at 614-560-6190, to arrange a convenient time to drop off.

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**Volunteer Opportunities:** Leading up to December 5-9, we have need for toy and gift donations. During Store operation December 5-9 we will need volunteers to serve in the store for 2-4 hour shifts. All volunteer opportunities will be listed in Signup Genius, which will open for volunteer registration in mid-November. You can find the Signup Genius on the Festa website: <https://wearefesta.org/>.

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