

2026 Christmas Gift Boxes & School Supplies

Completed boxes are to be turned into Trinity no later than **August 2, 2026**. Place in any bin around the church.

Ages 2–12

Box Labeling Instructions

- Mark **Boy or Girl** and **specific age range (max 2 years)**: e.g., 2-4, 5–7 or 8–10.
 - Ensure all items are **age-appropriate**. For example, **no small toys** for children under 4 (choking hazard).
 - **Clothing must match child's size** (see size chart attached).
 - **No adult, junior sizes, or clothing under 3T.**
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What to Include (All Items Must Be New Unless Noted)

- 1 pair of **Flip Flops NEW** (See size chart)
- 1–2 pairs of **Underwear NEW** (See size chart)
- 1 Washcloth (NEW)
- 1 Toothbrush in original packaging NEW
- 1 Comb (large teeth)
- Small pack of **crayons or colored pencils NEW** (8-10 count)
- Coloring book (Nativity Story – provided with box)

Outfits by Age/Gender:

- **Ages 2–7:**
 - Girls: 1 Dress or Tee + Shorts
 - Boys: 1 Tee + 1 Pair of Shorts
- **Ages 8–12:**
 - Girls: 1 Training Bra + Shirt or Shorts-(include both if possible)
 - Boys: 1 Tee or 1 Pair of Shorts (include both if possible)
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IN ADDITION – Include 4–6 NEW Items From Below:

- Socks (1–2 pairs)
- Small hand mirror
- Jewelry (2–4 items, girls 4–7)
- Hot Wheels/Matchbox cars
- Name-brand Play-Doh (2 large or 3–4 mini, ages 3–8)
- Small dolls
- Small sport ball
- Small stuffed animal
- Yoyo (Duncan, ages 7–12)
- Jump rope (5+)

- Nail grooming kit (12+)
- Small Hard Rubber balls (2–3, 2–3 inch) 5 years and older
- Hair accessories (in bag 10-12)
- Pencils (4–6), sharpener, small journal 3 x 5 inches in size (7 years & older)
- 1 set of child development or educational card game (2-6 years)
- Fishing Kit (8 years & older)
- Sewing Kit (8 years & older)

Optional Filler Items (NOT counted as gifts):

- 1–2 tissue packs
- 6–10 Band-Aids

Packing Tips

- Purchase in bulk (underwear, socks, pencils, etc.) and pack boxes as a group to reduce cost.
- Used clothing is allowed if **clean and gift-quality**. (NEW underwear, socks, flip flops only.)

Would you gift this to your own child, grandchild, or friend’s child?

If not, please **don’t include it**.

DO NOT INCLUDE:

- **Toothpaste, soap, liquids, food, candy, gum, makeup, nail polish**
- **Books/games in English** (children do not speak/read English)
- **Swimwear, pajamas, long sleeves/pants**
- **Slime, silly putty, kinetic sand, off-brand Play-Doh**
- **Toys with liquid/glitter inside, toy guns, soldiers, or war-themed items**
- **Playing/sports/collection cards, balloons, punching balls**
- **Chapstick or any gel-based product**
- **Dominoes or gambling-associated items**

Decorating & Labeling the Box

- Do not over- or under-fill the box. Full but secure is ideal.
- **Do not wrap** the box or use tissue paper. Feel free to decorate the outside of the box.
- Use **clear packing tape only** to seal.
- **Manifest Form** on one side: fill out with **pen** (gender + age).
- **Customs Form** on the other side: list **accurate item descriptions & quantities**.
- Nativity sticker goes on **one end of the box only** (not inside). Do not cover the customs form.

Donation Details

- **Donation: \$6 per shoebox (DO NOT include money in boxes)**--please attached included BLUE envelope on the side of the box or place in the drop box in the main office. **DO NOT PUT MONEY INSIDE THE BOXES.**

Size Charts for Christmas Shoe Box Children

Please remember that children's shoes and clothing are sized differently than Adults or Juniors.
Please Make Sure You Are Shopping In Children's For The Shoe Boxes
PLEASE DO NOT INCLUDE ADULT OR JUNIOR SIZE CLOTHING IN SHOE BOXES.

FLIP FLOPS-GIRLS AND BOYS

Child's Age	Flip Flop Size
2-3 YEARS	TODDLER LARGE(9-10)
4-6 YEARS	YOUTH SIZE SMALL (CHILDREN'S 11-12)
7-9 YEARS	YOUTH SIZE MEDIUM (CHILDREN'S 13-1)
10-11 YEARS	YOUTH SIZE LARGE (CHILDREN'S 2-3)
12 YEARS	YOUTH SIZE XLARGE (CHILDREN'S 4) OR WOMEN'S/MEN'S SMALL 5-6*

* Youth XLarge (Children's 4) can be difficult to find

Women's/Men's SMALL (Adult 5-6) are very close to Youth X-Large.

PLEASE DO NOT INCLUDE FLIP FLOPS LARGER THAN ADULT SMALL IN THE SHOE BOXES

UNDERWEAR BOYS

Child's Age	UNDER WEAR SIZE
2-3 YEARS	SIZE 3 OR TODDLER SIZE 3T**
4-5 YEARS	X SMALL CHILDREN'S OR 4,5
6-7 YEARS	SMALL CHILDREN'S OR SIZE 6,7
8-9 YEARS	MEDIUM CHILDREN'S OR SIZE 8-10
10-12 YEARS	LARGE CHILDREN'S OR SIZE 12,14

** PLEASE DO NOT INCLUDE CLOTHING SMALLER THAN 3T IN THE SHOE BOXES.

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6-7 YEARS	SMALL CHILDREN'S OR SIZE 6,7
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10-12 YEARS	LARGE CHILDREN'S OR SIZE 12,14

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TRAINING BRAS GIRLS

Child's Age	Girls 8-12 years old
8 YEARS	SIZE 32--CHILDREN'S GIRLS
9-10 YEARS	SIZE 34--CHILDREN'S GIRLS
11-12 YEARS	SIZE 36--CHILDRENS GIRLS

SOCKS GIRLS AND BOYS

Child's Age	SOCK SIZE
2-5 YEARS	SOCK SIZE CHILDREN'S SMALL
6-9 YEARS	SOCK SIZE-CHILDREN'S MEDIUM
10-12 YEARS	SOCK SIZE CHILDREN'S LARGE

CLOTHING-SHORTS, TEE SHIRTS (GIRLS OR BOYS) DRESSES, SHORTS GIRLS

Child's Age	CLOTHING SIZE CHILDRENS
2-3 YEARS	SIZE 3 OR TODDLER SIZE 3T**
4-5 YEARS	SIZE X-SMALL 4-5*
6-7 YEARS	SIZE SMALL 6-7*
8-9 YEARS	SIZE MEDIUM 8*
10-12 YEARS	SIZE LARGE 10-12**

* XLARGE CAN BE USED FOR 12 YEAR OLDS. SHIRTS OR DRESSES CAN BE A SIZE LARGER
** PLEASE DO NOT USE CLOTHING SIZE SMALLER THAN 3T OR LARGER THAN 14
IN THE SHOE BOXES.

CLOTHING YOUTH SIZES GIRLS AND BOYS

Child's Age	CLOTHING SIZE YOUTH
5 YEARS	YOUTH SIZE-XSMALL*
6-7 YEARS	YOUTH SIZE-SMALL*
8-9 YEARS	YOUTH SIZE-MEDIUM*
10-12 YEARS	YOUTH SIZE-LARGE*

* Youth size clothing is sized slightly different then Children's.
Youth Size is FINE TO USE in the shoe boxes for children 5 years and older
PLEASE DO NOT USE YOUTH SIZE X-LARGE OR LARGER