Mt. Olive, Surrey – Drive-through Drop-off Tuesday for Surrey Urban Mission

Surrey Urban Mission (SUMS) Brown Bag Food Items Collection – Mount Olive Lutheran Church will be gathering food items on behalf of Surrey Urban Mission.

WHERE:

Mount Olive Lutheran Church Drive-Thru Drop Off Station (parking lot in the back, the building is not currently open)

• 2350-148th Street
Surrey, BC V4A 4M7
Please contact: 604-786- 4711 with any questions

WHEN:

Tuesdays in June beginning the 2nd of June through the 30th. (until further notice) Between 9:30am and 12:30pm only.

HOW IT WORKS:

Volunteers will be available to help you unload your bagged or boxed items into the transport vehicle for same day delivery to Surrey Urban Mission Society

WHY: Items are needed to feed the guests at **Surrey Urban Mission** (**SUMS**). Several hundred daily sit-down indoor meals cannot currently be served due to Provincial Health Orders regarding physical distancing. *'Brown Bag Meals'* are being assembled and served through a take-out window. Your individual pre-packaged food item donations are most thankfully appreciated.

WHAT:

Please note: Nothing homemade, spoilable/overripe, outdated or needing refrigeration. Prepackaged items only including:

- 1) **Bundles of take-out containers**, sleeves of Styrofoam cups. Paper lunch bags.
- 2) Juice boxes/bottled water/'Gatorade'/fruit drinks
- 3) Pre-packed soft cheese 'n crackers packs, ready-to-eat tuna in cans, etc.
- 4) Granola bars/Protein bars/Chocolate bars/Bag of nuts/Trail Mix/individual bakery source-wrapped muffin/cupcake/banana bread/non-refrigeration required dessert, etc.
- 5) Prepackaged cookies (not homemade) e.g. Dad's or Dare or... cookies already pre-cellowrapped in twos or fours, if possible.
- 6) Pieces of fresh (not over-ripe) fruit: banana, apple, plum, orange (no loose berries or grapes, or easily bruised fruit, thanks)
- 7) Small bag of candy/chewy fruit snacks or potato chips (no gum, thanks).

Practical store-bought, prepackaged lunch bag items delivered in a paper/plastic grocery bag/box (SUMS will assemble the meals into bags) to:

WHO: All of you! Thank-you for helping feed our gracious neighbours to the north. Many are without homes and are served and cared for by the good people and various programs at SUMS.

If you prefer to offer a financial donation to SUMS, donations are gratefully received through the link on this website or by cheque payable to Surrey Urban Mission and dropped at the above collection station on Tuesdays or mailed directly to

'SUMS' at 10776 King George Blvd. Surrey, BC V3T 2X7 website: sumsplace.ca.