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Happy New Year! Thank you so much for all of your help during 2007!

As you probably know, the number of hungry men, women, and children at the Salvation Army dinners has steadily increased. As a result, your service is really vital to the Charlottesville community.

The Church of the Incarnation has two Wednesday teams, and ours is Team One. Margi and Denis Keating are the captains. The captain for Team Two is Mary Sapino (823-5699).

We serve this menu at the Salvation Emergency Shelter on the first Wednesday every other month: Macaroni Beef Royal, bread, canned vegetables, and canned fruit. We contribute everything for the meal except the bread which is donated by local stores to the Salvation Army.

The casseroles are prepared at home and carried to the Salvation Army Center with the canned goods before 5:20. The address of the Center is 207 Ridge Street. If you are traveling south on Ridge from the 250 bypass, turn right on Dice Street, and make a right on 4<sup>th</sup> Street to the parking lot. (Dice is beyond W. Main Street.) If you are traveling north on Ridge, turn left on Dice and make a right on 4<sup>th</sup>. (Dice is north of Oak Street.)

Dinner is served at 6 pm. From 5:20 to 6:00, we must: set up the dining room, butter the bread, warm the vegetables, place the fruit in small dishes, and bake the casseroles in the convection oven. After 6:00, the food is served by the Incarnation volunteers. The Salvation Army residents do the clean up.

Please find someone to switch with you if you cannot cook when you are scheduled. If you cannot serve, please leave the casseroles in the refrigerator with labels indicating your name, the date, and "Incarnation", and leave the cans of vegetables or fruit with similar labels in an obvious place in the pantry.

Note: Even if you cannot serve, we really appreciate receiving your casseroles and canned goods.

Thanks again for donating your time to this very worthy cause!

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