

WINTER SHELTER PROGRAM - 2019-2020

Sunday, November 24, 2019 through Saturday Night, March 28, 2020

INTERFAITH WINTER SHELTER

Serving Men

Episcopal Community Services & San Francisco Interfaith Council

RESERVATION PROCEDURES

The Winter Shelter Program's reservation procedure is based on a ticket system. Priority is given to those guests seeking a shelter bed for a weekly period. Here are the steps to the process:

1. Regular hours of operation at all participating churches are from 6:30pm until 7:00am. ***See schedule on page 3.***
2. Tickets are distributed each Sunday at 6:30pm at each host site.
3. Tickets are distributed on a first come, first serve basis until maximum capacity has been reached. Each location has different capacity.
4. Tickets distributed on Sunday may be used for 7 days, from Sunday through the following Saturday. Initial ticket distribution for this season will begin **Sunday, November 24, 2019 at 6:30pm at Canon Kip Senior Center – 705 Natoma Street.**
5. Intake begins each day at 6:30pm at each host site. Ticket holders have until 15 minutes after that to present their ticket for entrance into the shelter. Shelter clients may not arrive at the shelter site more than 30 minutes before opening.
 - Clients can arrive at the host site at 6:00 PM.
6. A person without a ticket may stay at the shelter on a one-night basis if other ticket holders do not arrive by curfew. Curfew is 15 minutes after the opening time.
7. After curfew, any remaining beds will be available for one night use on a first come, first serve basis.
8. Interfaith Winter Shelter slots are ***not*** reserved through CHANGES. For information on vacancies during the week for one night only, call:
 - a. ***Associate Director of Shelters- Jarrell Brown at 415-487-3300, extension 4102***

9. All persons upon entering the shelter must provide their name, signature, last four digits of social security number, date of birth, ethnicity, and military status on the daily sign-in sheet. This is needed as part of each day's shelter entry.
10. Violence, alcohol, drugs and smoking inside the building are prohibited and may result in a guest being asked to leave the facility.
11. Guests are not allowed to store any of their belongings at the facility. Any property left at the shelter will be discarded the following morning.
 - There is no storage at the shelter, even for those with a one-week ticket.
 - Clothes and shoes may be stored at one of the Homeless Storage Facilities located at: Jones Street Homeless Storage, 350 Jones Street @Ellis, 415-921-1978 or Bryant Homeless Storage, 680 Bryant St. @5th Street, 415-487-3300 ext. 4429

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Shelter Site Locations and Dates

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Dates	Site Location	Capacity	Meal Provisions
Sun., Nov. 24-Sat., Dec. 21 Outside Line-Up: 6:00 PM Doors Open: 6:30 PM Dinner: 7:00 PM Shelter Closure: 7:00 AM (28 Nights)	Canon Kip Senior Center 705 Natoma St. @8 th St.	40 Men	Dinner and Breakfast
Sun., Dec. 22-Sat., Jan. 18 Outside Line-Up: 6:00 PM Doors Open: 6:30 PM Dinner: 7:00 PM Shelter Closure: 7:00 AM (28 Nights)	Saint Mary's Cathedral 1111 Gough Street @ Geary	100 Men	Dinner and Breakfast
Sun., Jan. 19-Sat., Feb. 8 Outside Line-Up: 6:00 PM Doors Open: 6:30 PM Dinner: 7:00 PM Shelter Closure: 7:00 AM (21 Nights)	Saint Mark's Lutheran Church 1031 Franklin Street @ O'Farrell	65 Men	Dinner and Breakfast
Sun., Feb. 9-Sat., Feb. 29 Outside Line-Up: 6:00 PM Doors Open: 6:30 PM Dinner: 7:00 PM Shelter Closure: 7:00 AM (21 Nights)	First Unitarian Church 1187 Franklin Street @ Geary	70 Men	Dinner and Breakfast
Sun., Mar. 1-Sat., Mar. 28 Outside Line-Up: 6:00 PM Doors Open: 6:30 PM Dinner: 7:00 PM Shelter Closure: 7:00 AM (28 Nights)	Canon Kip Senior Center 705 Natoma St. @8 th St.	40 Men	Dinner and Breakfast

Adult males interested in staying at the Winter Shelter Program should show up at the active site no more than 30-minutes before doors open on Sundays. Individuals will be given a 7-day reservation on a first come, first serve basis until all mats are filled.