



**COUNCIL IN ACTION 2020:
METRO MINISTRIES**
*FEEDING, SHELTERING, AND TRANSFORMING LIVES
IN CORPUS CHRISTI + NUECES COUNTY*

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It is the mission of Metro Ministries to help create a community that is free from hunger and homelessness by **Feeding** (the mind, body, and spirit), **Sheltering**, and **Transforming Lives** Following the teachings and compassion of Jesus Christ, Metro Ministries extends beyond a basic soup kitchen, also focusing on getting people off the streets and into sustainable jobs and homes.

Congregations are invited to collect new items from the list below and bring them to Council 2020. A booth in the Exhibits Hall will be set up to receive all donations.

- | Hygiene Products | Clothes & Linens | Quart Size
Zip-lock Bags |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Combs • Deodorant • Detergent • Disposable Razors • Soap • Shampoo • Toothbrushes • Toothpaste | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bandanas • Socks • Underwear,
all sizes • Wash cloths | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Used to build
traveling hygiene kits</i> |

Traveling light? H-E-B or Walmart gift cards will also go a long way to bless this amazing ministry. More information about Council in Action 2020 and Corpus Christi Metro Ministries is available online at council-dwtx.org.



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