Salvation Army Partners with Local Restaurants to Feed Hungry

Anonymous Donor Group Steps Up to Help Families and Small Businesses

Memphis, Tennessee (March 26, 2020) – The Salvation Army of Memphis & the Mid-South is partnering with local restaurants to serve meals to the most vulnerable, while also helping to keep small businesses running during the Coronavirus outbreak.

The Salvation Army of Memphis’ FedEx Disaster Response Unit has been serving 250 people daily, and will now receive help from a group of anonymous donors. Funds will be channeled to several local restaurants, which will prepare and provide boxed meals to The Salvation Army to help with our daily distribution.

This partnership takes an enormous financial burden off The Salvation Army, while giving restaurants much-needed resources to operate their businesses. Efforts like this highlight the charitable spirit of Memphians, and help The Salvation Army serve the most vulnerable in our community, just as it has since the year 1900.

So far, seven Memphis restaurants have joined in the effort, including:

- Garibaldi’s
- Huey’s
- Paradise
- Hog Wild
- Lenny’s
- Pimento’s
- Spell Restaurant Group

Local restaurant owners interested in joining the partnership to feed the hungry can contact Eric Monroe at eric.monroe@uss.salvationarmy.org.

A financial gift is the easiest and most efficient way to show your support during this crisis. You can donate online at www.kettle365.org.

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About The Salvation Army

The Salvation Army annually helps more than 23 million Americans overcome poverty, addiction, and economic hardships through a range of social services. By providing food for the hungry, emergency relief for disaster survivors, rehabilitation for those suffering from drug and alcohol abuse, and clothing and shelter for people in need, The Salvation Army is doing the most good at 7,600 centers of operation around
the country. In the first-ever listing of “America’s Favorite Charities” by *The Chronicle of Philanthropy*, The Salvation Army ranked as the country’s largest privately funded, direct-service nonprofit. For more information, visit SalvationArmyUSA.org. Follow us on Twitter @SalvationArmyUS and #DoingTheMostGood.