

Center for Service Opportunities Newsletter: Week of April 21st, 2014.

"Volunteers don't just do the work ~ **they make it work."**-Carol Pettit

Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities –

The Office of Volunteer Services would like to give a big "Thank You" to all of those who donated meals last week. This is a huge help to our office to help individuals as well as projects throughout the community.

- Up Coming American Red Cross Blood Drive: April 22nd, 11:30 until 5:00 in the Upper Union. Volunteers are needed to assist with Blood Donors as well as to Donate Blood. Please contact Elena Bohlander at embohlander@spartans.manchester.edu.
- Tuesday, April 22nd: Community Dinner, 4:00pm-6:30pm. Transportation provided. Help with serving and conversations! Sign up for this event at the CSO office. Contact OVS@manchester.edu if interested
- Tuesday, April 22^{nd:} Join the Campus Interfaith Board in honor of Peace Week and Earth Day to clean up the campus labyrinth from 6:30pm to 8:30 pm. For more information contact OVS@manchester.edu.

- Tuesday, April 22nd: Help is needed for Bingo at Peabody, 9:30 am. For more information contact OVS@manchester.edu.
- Wednesday, April 23rd: Help is needed with local shopping with seniors at Peabody, 1:30 pm. For more information contact OVS@manchester.edu
- Thursday, April 24th: Happy Hour at Peabody, 4:00-5:00pm. Games, puzzles, and great conversations. Sign up for this event at the CSO office. Contact OVS@manchester.edu if interested.
- Saturday, April 25th: Manicures with seniors at Peabody, 9:30 am. For more information contact OVS@manchester.edu.
- Saturday, April 26th: Volunteer at the Animal Welfare from 10am 4pm. Sign up at the front desk at the Animal Welfare League in Pierceton, IN. For more info email: rsullivan7@ivytech.edu. There will be free T-Shirts!
- Saturday, April 26th: Celebrating the 16th Annual Peabody Tulip Festival. Enjoy over 10,000 tulips in the gardens at Peabody. Enjoy the music and the food from different vendors. To volunteer contact: OVS@manchester.edu
- Saturday, May10th: Help with the Special Olympics at Wabash High School Football Field from (7:30am 3:00pm), (7:30am- 11:00am) and (10:00am 3:00pm). For more information contact Doug Adams at 260-571-4306 or at DougAdamsPSD@hotmail.com.
- We're looking for a friendly student (preferably a young man) that would be willing to visit two elderly, listen to what they are trying to accomplish and then assist. They have a computer used for e-mail, word processing and some Internet. From time to time, things stop working, or settings get changed, etc. The immediate needs are:
- Programming the GPS in their new car
- Programming the radio (including Sirius) in their new car
- Programming the garage door opener with the car. Contact Sally Wlasuk directly
 - swlasuk@ntca.org

Fort Wayne Volunteer Opportunities:

Volunteers needed! Children's Attendant @ Family Classes

Dates: Wednesdays thru April 30, 2014

Time: 5:25-7:30 pm.

Location: Greater Chris Temple Church, 2940 S. Anthony Blvd.

Volunteer duties: Engage children, ages 6 and under, in activities and play games with them while parents attend educational programs presented by the Strengthening Families Program.

A background check is required and will be provided at no cost.

To volunteer: Email info@volunteerfortwayne.org or call 260.424.3505See More

The student events email provides notices and reminders about a wide variety of events on campus. If you prefer not to receive emails about events, you can opt out by emailing helpdesk@manchester.edu with a request to be removed from the list. Removals are effective for the current academic year. Keep in mind that you may miss fun or important event notices.