

Be part of the wivacle. Blanket the world with love.

How can we meet our sisters and brothers in their greatest moment of need?

Everyday, someone in the world experiences hard times. When difficulties happen, a simple act of kindness can make a difference and be the miracle someone was praying for.

You can be a part of that miracle. By partnering with CWS through our Blankets program, you can respond to neighbors in their greatest moment of need in a practical and hands-on way.



"It's a miracle what Church World Service does and you are a part of that miracle."

REV. DR. TIMOTHY C. AHRENS,
 FIRST CONGREGATIONAL
 CHURCH, COLUMBUS, OHIO



It's no secret that a miracle happens every time dedicated supporters donate to CWS Blankets.

Just ask the two churches in Columbus, Ohio that host "The Largest Table." During this monthly event, friends and neighbors experiencing homlessness are invited to share a meal and receive toiletries and items to keep warm, like a CWS Blanket.

"These are the kind of blankets that people carry with them. They pack them up in their roller suitcase or their backpacks," said Pastor Gini, one of the event's organizers.

For those experiencing difficult times, these blankets and other items serve as a warm and comforting reminder that they are loved.

Do you want to be a part of the miracle of sharing love and hope with neighbors around the world?



FLEECE BLANKET

- water-repellant
- durable
- warm
- soft
- doesn't add bulk
- for warmer climates

WOOL BLANKET

- water-resistant
- flame-retardant
- durable
- warm
- for frigid temps and extreme weather

"And don't forget to do good and share with those in need."

For over 75 years, Church World Service has been helping people of faith bring God's hope and healing to people in the U.S. and around the world. When difficult times happen, a kind and loving response can make all the difference. That's why the CWS Blankets program was created—to give a kind, loving and tangible response to someone facing a difficult time, reminding them that they are not alone. Through the generosity of CWS partner organizations, congregations and individual supporters, our most vulnerable neighbors around the world can feel safe and keep warm with fresh linens and clean sleeping guarters. When our neighbors are in need, even \$10 for a single blanket goes a long way.

- **CWS Blanket**
- CWS Blanket and a CWS Hygiene Kit
- **Three CWS Blankets** (two wool and one fleece)
- Three CWS Blankets and a CWS Hygiene Kit
- Blanket Bundle! Three wool CWS Blankets and three fleece CWS Blankets



CWS HYGIENE KIT

- hand towel
- washcloth
 - toothbrush
- toothpaste

bar of soap

- fingernail clippers
 bandaids



Being a part of the miracle and blanketing the world in love doesn't stop when neighbors receive a warm blanket. The miracle includes prayer too!

Here are three ways you can keep our most vulnerable neighbors in your prayers:

- God of promises, you remind us that you are present with all your people, including those who call the outdoors home or people who are living in a temporary shelter.
- God of warmth, you are with our neighbors who are cold and need comfort.
- God of hope and promises, the blankets and kits we offer today represent our compassion for our siblings, acknowledging that we first received this love from God. We pray by sending these blankets and kits that God's grace will spread far and wide.

Want to support CWS Blankets? **Scan this QR code** to learn how you can be part of the miracle!





"Every year I donate to the CWS Blanket offering at my church. I know my gift will help to provide love, warmth, and comfort to individuals who need a reminder that someone cares about them."

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