Working Together to

TAY CONNECTED While We're Apart

The St. Louis Jewish community is working together to address the new challenges and needs many are facing during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Resources within the Jewish community for people in need:



FOOD INSECURITY

The Harvey Kornblum Jewish Food Pantry provides fresh and shelf-stable food for those who need it. Call 314-513-1672.

Tomchei Shabbos is a volunteer-driven kosher food pantry. Email tomcheishabbosstl@gmail.com or visit tomcheistl.org.

The J is providing fresh, prepared meals. Passover orders must be placed by April 5. While there is a suggested price, meals are available regardless of ability to pay. To order a meal, contact Robin Rickerman at 314-442-3275 by noon the day prior.

JFedSTL.org







AGING AND ELDERLY

Jewish Family Services (JFS) runs ElderLink, a coordinated referral service for Jewish older adults, their children, and their caregivers. ElderLink will follow up with older adults to make sure their needs due to this crisis are met. Contact Lori Zimmerman by calling 314-812-9300 or 314-993-1000 or email lzimmerman@jfsstl.org.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE



JFS provides both cash assistance and interest-free loans to help Jewish individuals & families, and those employed by Jewish institutions in short-term crisis. Funds can be used for a variety of needs, including groceries, medicine, utilities, rent, and mortgages. Call Patricia Harris at 314-513-1678.

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MENTAL HEALTH

JFS provides mental health counseling for children, adolescents, and adults. If someone needs their services, call 314-993-1000, email info@jfsstl.org, or visit jfcs-stl.org/contact-us.



EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE

MERS/Goodwill provides employment assistance through its Jewish Community Employment Services program. Contact Mark Morgan at 314-647-7453 or jewishemployment@mersgoodwill.org.



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Shalom Task Force provides free, confidential counseling and information for those experiencing abuse or unhealthy relationships. Call 888-883-2323.



VOLUNTEERS

For those with no symptoms of any illness (including a cold or the common flu) and are not in a vulnerable age or physical health demographic, there are some needs that volunteers can help with. Contact Jeremy Goldberg at 314-513-1679 or jgoldberg@jfsstl.org to volunteer.



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