

IT'S TIME TO WELCOME INCOMING CSU STUDENTS AGAIN!

Saturday, August 12 – 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

Plymouth Congregational United Church of Christ

916 W Prospect Road, Fort Collins

For three years, Plymouth has collaborated with Lutheran Campus Ministry's Student Housing Security Initiative, CSU's Office of International Programs and the Fort Collins International Center to help welcome their students to campus. LuMin students are housed, two to an apartment, in furnished CSU apartments. This means there are beds, desks, chests, table and chairs, couch/chairs/coffee table, appliances, and *empty* kitchen cabinets. Housing for international students varies in size and what is provided. The purpose of the Welcome Event is to provide, at no cost to the students, items that will help them make their space *functional, conducive to study, comfortable and HOME*. Questions? Want to volunteer? Contact the Student Welcome Event Team using the form at plymouthucc.org/studentssupport. See page 2 of this flyer for the list of the most-needed items.

DONATIONS MAY BE DROPPED OFF AT PLYMOUTH AT THE FOLLOWING TIMES:

- Sunday, 8/6 – 9-noon
- Wednesday, 8/9 – 1:00 to 4:00 pm
- Thursday, 8/10 – 4:00 to 7:00 pm
- Friday, 8/11 – 10:00 to 1:00 pm

Welcome Event volunteers may be able to assist with pickup and delivery to Plymouth if needed.

Other Drop Off times may be available by pre-arrangement. If you **MUST** deliver items before August 6 due to travel, please let us know as far in advance as possible. Alternative storage sites can be arranged if needed.

This event provides portable HOUSEHOLD ITEMS only. We cannot accept *furniture, clothes, books, toys, music/movies on disk*. Furniture and large appliances are available to students at modest cost through the **Habitat Re-Store, 4001 S. Taft Hill Road**. If you wish to donate furniture, including bookcases, or appliances in support of this event -- and Plymouth's relationship with Habitat -- please take them directly to the Re-Store if possible. The Re-Store provides a pick-up service for large items. For further information, go to: <https://fortcollinshabitat.org> and click on Item Donation Information.

Donation Affidavits, to affirm that donations qualify as in-kind contributions in support of this outreach program of the congregation, will be available to donors who wish them.

Many, many thanks for your support of this program and these students!



DONATION WISH LIST

KITCHEN

Microwave safe dishes: plates (large and small), cups/saucers, cereal/soup bowls
Microwave ovens!
Mugs, glassware – all sizes/types
Serving pieces (platters, large bowls, etc.)
Cooking items: skillets, saucepans, woks, soup pots, baking pans, oven-safe casserole dishes, etc.
Mixing bowls, colanders, wooden spoons, spatulas, whisks, ladles, other utensils
Small appliances (coffee pots, water heaters, toasters, slow cookers, food processors/blenders, rice cookers, etc.)
Tablecloths, placemats, reusable napkins
Tableware – knives, forks, spoons, serving pieces
Food prep knives – all sizes; cutting boards, pizza cutters!
Salt and pepper shakers, sugar bowls, condiment dishes
Hot pan holders, trivets, decorative baskets
Dishtowels, dishcloths
Ice cube trays
Teapots, pitchers – all sizes
Baskets for trash, recycling
Sponges, scrub pads, rags for cleaning
Dish soap, cleaning supplies
Food storage containers (preferably glass or ceramic)
Paper towels, plastic wrap/foil
Shelf paper, rubberized shelf lining material (partial packages OK)
Spices – the basics, as well as ones likely to be favored by international students

BEDROOM

Bed sheets, mattress pads, blankets, bedspreads, pillowcases. Note: Twin or Double Bed items only. PLEASE BAG AND LABEL ALL MATCHING ITEMS BY SIZE AND TYPE.
Bed pillows (must be washable – and have been washed prior to donation and packed in a clean bag)
Laundry baskets, bags, hampers

BATHROOM

Bath towels, hand towels, washcloths
Bath mats, rugs, shower curtains, in-shower safety mats
Soap dishes, toothbrush holders, hand mirrors, portable hair dryers
Bathroom cleaner, toilet cleaner, small plungers, toilet brushes (Used items must be well cleaned!)
Toilet paper
Antibacterial liquid soap, bath soap/gel

GENERAL ITEMS

Area rugs, throw rugs
Lamps – all types
Light bulbs
Bookends
Extension cords
Fans
Hangers – wooden, wire, plastic, fuzzy, smooth, lightweight, heavy duty
Plastic storage boxes, etc.
Zippered plastic storage bags
Decorative pillows, throws
Framed artwork, other (tasteful) decorative items
Plants in pots (if real, sturdy and easily-maintained varieties are preferred!)
Cleaning supplies, plastic buckets or dish pans
Brooms, dust pans, dust mops, wet mops, vacuums (upright and hand-held)
Irons, ironing boards, electric steamers
Anti-bacterial wipes
Hand sanitizer – all sizes, refill containers
Laundry soap, fabric softener/sheets/dryer balls

And, of course, other items you think an incoming student might appreciate!