

CASA DEL MIGRANTE NUEVO LAREDO

Tifereth Israel is collecting basic necessities for migrants. Please drop off donations in the collection box.

The Casa del Migrante “Nazareth” in the Diocese of Nuevo Laredo, Tamaulipas (on the border with Laredo, Texas), was created in response to the high level of migrants passing through the area in the past few decades. Since February of this year, the local Church has responded to this new reality and the needs of migrants with profound compassion, providing food, clothing, medical care, lodging, and humanitarian and spiritual assistance and attention. Through the new Casa, which can hold 120 guests, migrants are served more efficiently and with better organization. Accordingly, they are received in to the Casa “as they deserve, as persons with rights and dignity,” as enumerated by Bishop Ricardo Watty Urquidi, at the inauguration of the new structure.

WHAT TO DONATE?

shoelaces, small soaps, deodorant spray, toothbrushes, men’s and women’s socks and underwear

WHY DONATE?

1. The needs of migrants have never been greater
2. In honor of the people who helped our parents, grandparents or great-grandparents when they were new immigrants to the United States.
3. “The stranger who resides with you shall be to you as one of your citizens; you shall love them as yourself, for you were strangers in the land of Egypt” (Leviticus 19:34).
4. “You shall have one standard for stranger and citizen alike..”: (Leviticus 24:22).
5. “Heed the stranger’s treatment because “you know the feelings of a stranger, for you were strangers in the land of Egypt” (Exodus 23:9).