## **Application for the Giving Tree Program**

Sponsored by Church and Community Program



Completed applications may be returned to School Guidance Counselors OR dropped off at Church & Community Program Office, 30 Court Street, Canton, NY; Open 10:00 to 4:00 p.m., Monday – Friday

Giving Tree will again be collecting and distributing donations as clothing and toy/gift vouchers, as well as food vouchers, PJs and knitted hats, and our deadlines remain much earlier again this year. Please choose yes or no below to say if you want a knitted hat for each child.

Participants must be under 18 and in school in Canton, Edwards-Knox or Hermon-DeKalb and from families who are income eligible (see below). All applications are due November 1, 2022.

## **RETURN THIS FORM AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE.** NO LATE APPLICATIONS CAN BE ACCEPTED.

Names of parent(s), relative or guardian applying on behalf of these children:

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Address and Town: \_\_\_\_\_ School District: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # to leave a message\_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Child	Sex	Age	Birthdate	PJ Size by December	Hat?
	(M/F)			(Indicate child or adult size)	yes/no

(Use back if needed)

The Giving Tree Program is an <u>income-eligible</u> need-based program. Please complete the following: Total <u>Monthly</u> Gross Household Income\_\_\_\_\_ Total <u>Yearly</u> Gross Household Income: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Adults living in your household\_\_\_\_\_ # of Children in your household

Income Guidelines (7/2022 to 6/2023–185% US Poverty Guidelines):								
Family Size	Yearly Income	Family Size	Yearly Income	Family Size	Yearly Income			
1	\$25,760	4	\$53,000	7	\$80,240			
2	\$34,840	5	\$62,080	8	\$89,280			
3	\$43,920	6	\$71,160					

By signing below, "I declare that my income from all sources does not exceed the level listed above for my household size. I understand that these records will be held in confidence. All statements provided are true and accurate representations of my current address, dependents and income and may be compared/verified with Neighborhood Centers and Dept. of Social Services."

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_

(Form <u>must</u> be signed by applicant.) Date\_\_\_\_\_