



The Franciscan Center

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UPS SUPPORTS THE FRANCISCAN CENTER

The Franciscan Center is happy to announce a donation of \$10,000 from UPS. The donation will help the Center purchase new kitchen equipment. Karen Heyward-West, Chief Executive Officer of the Franciscan Center, accepted the award on behalf of the Center.

The Center is a comprehensive, nonprofit emergency outreach agency that offers help to the needy with dignity and respect. Its programs include a food pantry; a weekday hot lunch; medical screenings and treatment; HIV/AIDS outreach; emergency services; men's clothing distribution and a technology resource center.

Founded in 1968 by the Franciscan Sisters of Baltimore, the Center is certified by the Maryland Nonprofits Standards for Excellence. It serves the needy regardless of age, race, creed or national origin.

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Representatives from UPS visited the Center to present a check to the Franciscan Center in November 2008. From left: Brian Katz, Karen Heyward-West, Greg Burke, Ted Costalas, Yvonne Wickrowski, and Amy Bowser.

