



**FAITH IN ACTION**  
helping with homelessness

**Faith in Action Merton Homelessness Project, 109 Kingston Road, Wimbledon, SW19 1LT**

## **Donations for homeless people**

*Our Wimbledon Drop-In would be particularly grateful for the following items:*

**Cans of meat or fish with a ring-pull opening** – our service users really appreciate being able to take away a can of tuna, ham or luncheon meat to make sandwiches when they are living on the street.

**Packs of cereal:** always appreciated for Drop-in breakfasts.

**Cans of tomatoes and jars of coffee:** we use these in the Drop-In all the time.

**Jam and marmalade:** to serve with toast as part of our breakfast offering.

**Cleaning Materials:** anti-bacterial spray, bleach, toilet cleaner etc to keep the Drop-in clean and to give to service users when they get accommodation.

**Oyster cards:** with a £5.00 credit, Oyster cards enable service users to travel to appointments.

**Men's socks, pants and t-shirts:** after a shower it is wonderful to be able to put on clean boxer shorts and socks. We are looking for medium-sized boxers, tee shirts, and socks in dark colours.

**Women's knickers, socks and t-shirts:** women are in a minority in the Drop-In and we do need to provide for them.

**Mobile phones:** our service users need simple functioning mobile phones so they can be contacted by employers, health services, and others. A basic Alcatel or Nokia will cost a couple of pounds but with a compulsory credit of £10.00.

**Phone chargers:** functioning second-hand chargers are very helpful.

### **Items that we are not currently in need of:**

Duvets, sleeping bags, furniture, children's items, toothpaste, toothbrushes, tea, pasta, cereal and baked beans.

Thank you very much for your support.

**Faith in Action - Merton's Homeless Drop-in**

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