



... giving the gift of clean clothes

Thanks to the generosity of Parishioners, St. Mary Parish is helping to bring Laundry Love to Danbury. Laundry Love of Greater Danbury (LLGD) will help people who are struggling financially clean their clothes and linens on a regular basis. Thank you for helping to put our faith in action.

Where: White Street Wash, 30 White Street, Danbury

When: Second Wednesday of each month

Hours: 1 – 7 PM (last load begins at 6 PM)

Guests will:

- Wash their own clothing and linens.
- Remain at the laundromat for the duration of their laundry cycle.
- NOT need to provide identification or payment.

LLGD volunteers will:

- Be on site during designated hours.
- Use a pre-paid card system to pay for the use of washers and driers.
- Dispense detergent.
- Manage the flow of guests and use of machines.
- Offer camaraderie.

If you would like to volunteer for a two-hour shift during a Laundry Love session, please contact Laurie Christiansen (lchristiansen@sbcglobal.net).

About Laundry Love

Laundry Love began in 2003 when T-Bone, a homeless gentleman living in Ventura, California, was asked, “T-Bone, how can we come alongside your life in a way that would matter?” His response was honest and practical, “If I had clean clothes I think people would treat me like a human being.” There are now hundreds of Laundry Love initiatives nationwide, serving an estimated 72,000 people each year. For more information: www.laundrylove.org.

Laundry Love of Greater Danbury consists of 10 community-minded organizations from Danbury and surrounding towns who have joined forces to help provide laundry services for our neighbors in need. We see the laundromat as a place where strangers become friends, people are known by name, and the worth of every human being is acknowledged and celebrated.

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“Love never ends... and neither does laundry.”