

# SERVE TOGETHER

## DIY PROJECT: Foster Family Night Gift Basket

**Non-Profit:** Fostering Family Hope

**Website:** <https://www.fosteringfamilyhope.org/>

### THE MISSION

Fostering Family Hope's mission is to provide basic essentials, encourage positive relationships, and offer ongoing emotional support for families from the moment a child steps into care until they are reunited with their family. Their programming is designed to support both children in care and the foster families that support them while also serving and loving reunited families.

### THE PROJECT

**STEP 1:** As a group, read through the mission of Fostering Family Hope and spend time praying for the work that they do to serve children in foster care.

**STEP 2:** Brainstorm fun family night baskets that you can make for families. Think creatively! Here are some ideas for what to include:

- Gift cards to chain restaurants (Dominoes) or grocery stores
- Fuzzy socks
- Snack items
- Family friendly craft kits
- Baking items
- Movie Night supplies

**STEP 3:** Ask your group members to bring an item or give a dollar amount towards the overall gift.

**STEP 4:** Write an encouraging card to the family receiving the basket.

**Step 5:** Bring your basket into church and give to a New Haven or Branford staff member.



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