Austin, Texas (March 13, 2020) – The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Diocesan Council of Austin is closely monitoring the situation regarding COVID-19 and the impact on Central Texas. Due to the spread of the virus, people are stocking up on supplies leaving shelves in the grocery stores emptied. The outbreak is also resulting in the cancellations of events which will leave many people out of work. Our Client Services Center will help anyone in need during this time of uncertainty, but we need your help. Please consider donating the following items:

- Can vegetables
- Non-perishable snacks (nuts, dried fruit, cookies, etc.)
- Non-perishable meals (canned meat, tuna, meals in pouches)
- Toilet tissue
- Hand sanitizer
- Kleenex
- Bath soap
- Shampoo
- Toothpaste
- Toiletry items
- Dishwashing liquid
- Women’s sanitary items
- Laundry detergent

You can drop off donations Monday – Saturday from 9:00am – 5:00pm at 901 W. Braker Lane, Austin, Texas 78758. For more information, contact Kanobia Russell-Blackmon, Director of Development and Marketing, at 512-251-6995 x101 or at kanobia@ssvdp.org.

About the Society of St. Vincent de Paul - Diocesan Council of Austin

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is a Catholic lay organization that leads women and men to join together to grow spiritually. The organization offers person-to-person service to those who
are needy and suffering in the tradition of its founder, Blessed Frédéric Ozanam, and patron, St. Vincent de Paul. For more information, visit http://www.ssvdp.org/.