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Every holiday season, the Red Kettle Campaign serves as The Salvation Army's signature fundraising event of the year. The proceeds from the kettles are used to feed hungry families, provide a safe refuge for individuals and families in crisis, and most importantly, to provide hope to men, women, and children who have been impacted by poverty in our community. This year, the pandemic has brought unique challenges to all of us, and The Salvation Army is not immune to the effects of Covid-19 on our community.

This holiday season, to raise the funds needed to help people throughout the year, we are having our very first Virtual Red Kettle Ball. You will be able to enjoy this event from home while hearing about important updates on the work of The Salvation Army and the work ahead. Kevin Thompson, author and pastor of Community Bible Church, is our featured guest speaker and we look forward to hearing his important message for us during these uncertain times. Please mark your calendars to join us live online on November 5, 2020 at 12 noon or at 6:30 p.m. Go to [www.salvationarmyfs.org](http://www.salvationarmyfs.org) for instructions on how to join.

We need your support to ensure that we can meet the increase in demand for emergency services that we anticipate in the days, weeks, and months to come due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Let's celebrate the work of The Salvation Army together!

Thank you for partnering with us and for always Doing the Most Good in our community!


Sincerely,

  
Meredith Rea

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"...there is no reward equal to that of *doing the most good* to the most people in the most need." *Evangeline Booth*