## \*Our Winter Clothing/Household Item Give Away is coming!!!!

We will have two MIBOX units in place in the east parking lot of Old Quarry mid-October (thank you Dr. Orzel/District 113A). The MIBOX units should be in place in the east lot of Old Quarry by October 15<sup>th</sup> and will remain available for drop offs until filled or until November 14<sup>th</sup>.

Our giveaway day will be Saturday Nov. 15th.

\*\*\*We will have a last chance drop off and donate on Friday Nov. 14th from 3-3:30 pm on the east side of Old Quarry.

\*\*A few years ago I was able to get a bonus of donations of non-perishable snacks for our "Warm a Heart, Lift a Spirit" outreach so I made snack bags for our school social workers/counselors. They used these bags to help those who came to school without breakfast, or for an opportunity to offer a snack bag to a young friend who could use an ear to talk to.

I'm in need of snacks to create more snack bags. If you are able please drop granola bars, cheese/crackers, breakfast bars, diabetic friendly snacks, etc. to our drop bins.

We will create snack bags with a few uplifting notes in them for our young friends who are struggling.

Drop snacks, and uplifting/encouraging notes into our drop bins at the Lemont Police Dept. (24/7 inside the front door), or Three Stores Books (310 Canal Street).

\*\*If your student is looking for community service hours, or would like to embark on a family friendly opportunity, we do have MealTrain opportunities (preparing and delivering a meal for a family here in our community. See our website for those links.), Note writing is another opportunity for at-home service work. I am always in need of inspiring and encouraging notes to take and deliver to homes in need of these uplifting messages.

For 20 years you have worked miracles, been the "GodHug" so very needed, and put hope in what appeared to be hopeless situations.

I truly am blessed to walk with you in this corner of the world. I am so very thankful for you my friend.

Wishing you peace, Terri

