

**FOSTERALL
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Happy Holidays
December 2022

Over 3200 Gifts Bless Foster Youth



FosterAll's faith partners across Southern California blessed foster youth and families with toys and gifts or the holiday! There were parties at faith communities, group homes, community centers and even a drive by event. FosterAll and its faith communities hosted hundreds of foster families with food, games, music, toys and Santa in LA and Riverside Counties. We also were able to distribute gifts to our partner organizations, Faith Foster Families Network in Compton and Fostering Unity in Antelope Valley to give to foster youth in those areas.



If only you had seen the children when they saw the gifts. They were grinning from ear to ear and their eyes were like saucers. There were children of all ages, families with newborns and others with siblings and teens. It was wonderful to see so many foster youth being loved and cared for so many heroic parents.

FosterAll extends heartfelt gratitude to its faith partners throughout the counties who united to bless foster families and youth living in group homes.

We're pleased to introduce our new Faith Relations Manager Jennifer Hastings, who has more than twenty years of experience as a nurse for newborn babies, having recently worked at Cedars Sinai Hospital. She is currently the Children's Director at Newhall Church of the Nazarene, where her husband is the Senior Pastor. With over 30 years of experience in working with children, Jennifer has dedicated her life to caring for others. She will be reaching out to all of our wonderful faith partners in the new year with supportive ways to involve your congregation in helping children in foster care.



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