

# Legacy – Tuesday Morning Women’s Study “Channels of His Generosity”



## Mary’s Closet

550 North A Street #7, Oxnard, CA

### About the Organization

Many mothers in Oxnard and surrounding areas who have small children need assistance with diapers and clothing. Historically, families have been the main support system for new mothers. However, in our changing society, this is no longer the case. Mary’s Closet fills this gap with your help and contributions. In January 2020 they served 40 families and provided clothing, shoes, and diapers for 108 children. They collect and offer clothing for ages infant through five. They are open two days per week, currently Mondays and Thursdays.

### The Organization’s Biggest Needs

- Prayers for the organization’s mission, the youth, their families, and the volunteers.
- Encouragement cards for the volunteers. The organization director has given us a list of names. Cards will be provided for you and we’ll collect cards on March 31<sup>st</sup> so we can send them before Easter.
- Donations to support an upcoming youth shoe purchase. They sourced a generous vendor who will sell new, quality shoes for \$2 per pair. You may drop check or cash donations in the box at your small group discussion table.
- Donations of new or gently used clothes for ages infant through five. Clothes for ages two through five are the most needed. You may bring the clothing to your Legacy study and it will be delivered to Mary’s Closet.
- Volunteers to be trained and help with at the retail location on a periodic basis.

“It’s important to remember that we can give in a variety of ways. Giving doesn’t necessarily mean digging deep into your wallet or checkbook. Consider your many different kinds of resources – all of these are gifts from God. Yes, giving our money is one way we should give. But we can also be generous with our time, energy, talents, resources, and words.”

- *Legacy: How One Ordinary Life Can Make an Eternal Difference* by Jackie Green and Lauren Green McAfee (Page 141)