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126 YEARS WELCOMING PEOPLE INTO OUR HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS AT UNION RESCUE MISSION

LOS ANGELES CALIF. (November 2017) **Union Rescue Mission** will welcome over 3000 men, women, and children experiencing homelessness for a Thanksgiving celebration at Union Rescue Mission. The meal includes deep fried turkey, stuffing, mac & cheese, green bean casserole, mashed potatoes & gravy, cranberry sauce, pies, and more will be served in the warmth of our specially decorated “Dining room”. A dessert bar awaits our guests in the “Living room” along with a live band, photo booth, coffee, and lots of sweets! Families will be hosted in the “family room” with games, bouncy houses, and much more! CEO, Rev. Andy Bales says “we have so much to celebrate and be thankful for this year as friends have stepped up to make sure we can welcome all who come to our doors.”

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Schedule of Events & Photo Opportunities

500 turkeys being deep fried starting at 8:00 a.m. Friday in front URM

**Saturday, November 18th at 11:00 a.m. URM's Annual Thanksgiving Meal Served
11:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in the "Dining room"**

11:00- Live Band, desserts, and coffee in the "Living room"

11:00- Families served in the "Family room" with jumpers, games and more

About Union Rescue Mission

Union Rescue Mission is a non-profit organization dedicated to serving people experiencing homelessness. Established in 1891, URM is one of the largest rescue missions of its kind in the United States and is the oldest in Los Angeles. It provides a comprehensive array of emergency and long-term services, including food, shelter, clothing; medical and dental care; Christian recovery programs, transitional housing, legal assistance, education, counseling, and job training to needy men, women, children and families. For more information, please visit www.urm.org.

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