



Dear Neighbor,

As you may know, Nueva Vida Community is a non-profit organization focused on fulfilling the needs of our community members in need. Our programs are open to all ages, and free of cost for all our guests.

A common struggle shared by the parents this time of year is the inability to purchase school supplies and backpacks for their children for the coming school year. We are addressing this need, as we have every year. However, **this is why we are asking for your help.**

We humbly ask your consideration to partner with us to **provide school supplies and backpacks for 400 children this 2024 - 2025 school year.** Your contribution can be a monetary donation – great or small. You can donate once or set up a monthly contribution amount. You can “shop and drop” school supplies and backpacks at our offices, ***Cesar Chavez Community Center - 500 IOOF Ave, Gilroy CA***, or volunteer to sort and group items. Any contribution you make will help provide for our most vulnerable neighbors and equip the children in our community with the tools they need to become the next generation of leaders.

**Our organization was created by community members for community members.** In our seven years of service, we have seen first-hand the reality of the hardships faced by our vulnerable neighbors. We make a difference every day, yet we can't do this work without your generous support. With our help, we can continue to focus on improving the health and wellbeing of our neighbors. We are grateful for your consideration, and for your investment in our community. We look forward to changing lives for the better, together! **We will be available to collect donations Tuesdays and Thursday from 10am - 12pm or Monday to Friday from 6pm - 8pm, or request a special time by making an appointment with Tiffany Mendoza ([tiffany@carrythevision.org](mailto:tiffany@carrythevision.org) or (408) 413 - 9839) at our center (500 IOOF Ave, Gilroy CA)** We are trying to ***host the backpack distribution event by July 21st.***

For questions and more information, please email Tiffany Mendoza, Secretary – Nueva Vida Community: [tiffany@carrythevision.org](mailto:tiffany@carrythevision.org). Donations can be made payable to our fiscal partner, Carry the Vision, Tax ID# 01-0952753. (Please add “Nueva Vida Community” in the memo)  
Nueva Vida Community mailing address is: 7365 Monterey Hwy, Suite 201, Gilroy, CA 95020.  
For credit card donations visit [www.nuevavidacommunity.org](http://www.nuevavidacommunity.org)

In Gratitude,

