

Donations Accepted

We appreciate donations of new and gently used business clothing and cash contributions.

When considering what clothes to donate, please note that we are in a unique position of outfitting women for a career. Therefore, we can only accept clothing appropriate for today's business environment.

Clothing should be clean, in good condition, and on hangers.

Some specific items we are looking for include:

- Accessories: handbags, jewelry, new make-up, shoes, new undergarments, outerwear and belts.
- Pants: pants of all sizes.
- Blouses: New or gently used blouses or sweaters. Items should be ready to wear with no mending needed.
- Jackets: Blazers and light jackets appropriate for business setting.
- Skirts: Business suits and skirts.



New items arrive weekly. Donations are accepted at Mount Olivet Church during normal business hours.

For additional information on donations, wish list items and donations that we cannot accept at this time, please visit our website at:

www.mtolivet.org/suitablyyours.html



Donations may be dropped off during normal business hours at:

Mount Olivet Church office
5025 Knox Avenue
Minneapolis, MN 55419

612.926.7651

Volunteer

Volunteers are always needed to help sort, transport and process clothing, as well as volunteers to be Personal Shoppers.

Time commitment varies by position and is flexible.

Training is required for all volunteer positions.

If you are considering volunteering for *Suitably Yours*, please contact the Volunteer Coordinator 612.767.2204.

Believing. Belonging. Becoming.



Suitably Yours

A resource for women in the
Minneapolis/St. Paul Community

**Contact:
Volunteer
Coordinator
612.767.2204**

*Please leave your
name and number*



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Women Supporting Women



New items arrive weekly

New items include a variety of quality business clothing for women in a wide range of sizes.

About Us

Suitably Yours was established in 2000 to serve and assist low-income women who are entering or re-entering the job market with business and interview appropriate clothing.

Originally located in the Messiah Community Center, *Suitably Yours* is now located in the Minneapolis Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota building

Center for Changing Lives: Lutheran Social Service
2400 Park Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN 55404-2599
Front desk: 612.879.5200

At this time, we are open by appointment only.

Dressing for Success

When you look your best you inspire confidence and a sense of belonging. *Suitably Yours* is pleased to be able to offer women entering or re-entering the workplace with appropriate interview and work clothing.

In addition to providing clothing, Personal Shoppers help clients select outfits that look good on the individual.



Clients

As a *Suitably Yours* client, you will be assisted by a Personal Shopper who will help you find exactly the right ensemble for your job interview, as well as daily business attire if needed. Vouchers will be issued for one, two or three complete outfits for your first visit. After obtaining a job, you may return once more in the first year for additional business clothing.

Suitably Yours is open by appointment only. Allow at least one hour for your appointment. Please bring your voucher with you.

When you have the voucher, you may make an appointment by calling our appointment line at Mount Olivet Church. Call 612.767.2303, leave your name and number where you can be reached. If you cannot be reached by phone, ask your job counselor to make an appointment for you.

Agencies

Suitably Yours is pleased to work with several job placement and nonprofit agencies.

If you would like to become a partner with *Suitably Yours*, or would like more information regarding our services, please contact us by leaving a message at 612.767.2256 or visit our website at: www.mtolivet.org/suitablyyours.html

The number of outfits (one, two or three) for each client is determined at the discretion of the referring Service Provider.

Volunteers

Suitably Yours is staffed completely by volunteers. We make every effort to accommodate client schedules.

If you are interested in becoming a volunteer for *Suitably Yours*, please contact our Volunteer Coordinator at 612.767.2204.

"I could be the CEO!"

-Mattah, Client

"The women we refer have a very positive experience and say they feel like they are shopping in a department store. The staff is very helpful, professional and flexible. This is a great resource for women that more should know about."
-- Jack, American Indian OIC

"I love seeing our clients look at themselves in the mirror, and say with tears in their eyes "Wow, I've never looked this good!". I see their confidence levels increase immediately and I know they are better equipped to get a job. Suitably Yours helps change women's lives and being a volunteer is life-changing for me." -- Sarah, Volunteer