

# September 2022



Clare in the garden with Don Beto, harvesting potatoes for use in the kitchen.



**THANK YOU  
CLARE!**

**VOLUNTEER  
SINCE:  
2022**

## VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT

### Meet Clare!

#### **VOLUNTEER AREAS:**

Clare has been working with Luis and Don Beto to prepare the garden beds for vegetable plants! In the past she has also volunteered with the RV community near the Center, after Maria connected her with some of the residents. Together, they made signs, stickers, magnets, and a website at [RVneighbors.org](http://RVneighbors.org).

#### **WHY DID YOU WANT TO VOLUNTEER AT THE CENTER?**

*Maria and the community at the Day Worker Center are so kind and welcoming! It was wonderful to meet them after moving here from Boston in 2020.*

#### **WHAT HAS VOLUNTEERING AT THE CENTER MEANT TO YOU?**

*I've enjoyed working together with a community who is so positive and encouraging. I love that people of all ages are valued at the Day Worker Center for the different contributions they make. It's a lesson that you can learn in the garden, where everything has a role. If I hadn't met Maria and started volunteering with the Center, I would have missed meeting so many valuable members of my community in Mountain View.*

#### **ARE THERE ANY SPECIFIC MEMORIES YOU HAVE?**

*The volunteer party and the 25th anniversary celebration were a great time!*