

# DPSCD Family and Community Engagement Food Pantry Resources

#### Hello DPSCD Families:

Here's a list of food banks and free food pantries in Detroit and in Wayne County and distribution centers that provide a variety of resources to offer support to families in the region. Dozens of locations across all of Wayne County provide free food near you, hot meals, paper products, baby formula, and much more. There are even soup kitchens scattered across the city as well as the county, and every year tens of thousands of families turn to the centers for help.

The food banks of course provide household basics such as free food, groceries, produce, frozen items, breads, personal and feminine hygiene supplies, and several other services. However, there are also staff that direct qualified low-income families to everything from emergency SNAP, food stamp, and WIC applications to Meals on Wheels programs. Some centers even can provide free meals at Christmas or Thanksgiving, as well as holiday gifts for children.

In addition, while not as well known, a food bank is a great place to call or stop by to learn about other assistance programs that may be available. For example, you can learn about both state of Michigan and federal government benefit programs and referrals are also given to other locations in Wayne County that offer food or other assistance, including financial assistance, locations that provide clothing, or get help in applying for food stamps, Snap or WIC. The food pantries in Detroit and Wayne County provides extensive assistance that is available and always free of charge.

If you need assistance applying for Food Benefits, please contact <u>MI Bridges (michigan.gov)</u>
For WIC please contact <u>WICEligCheck (state.mi.us)</u> or ask a member of the F.A.C.E. Team to help you.

## **Arab-American and Chaldean Council**

62 W. Seven Mile Rd., Highland Park, 48203 Every Thurs 8am-1pm, Ph:(313) 369-31008 Clients need to bring their own box or bag. Fresh perishable food (fruits, vegetables, etc.), canned groceries, juice, bread, and other goods from the emergency food pantry are offered.

# **Bethany Lutheran Church**

11475 East Outer Drive, Detroit, 48224 Hours: 2nd & 4th Wed of each month, 11AM -

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12:30PM or call

Ph: 313.885.7721 x0180

# **Caring Community Center**

14531 Grand River, Detroit, 48227 Hours: 1st Saturday of the month

Ph:(313) 836-4987

While the hours are limited, they can help in a crisis. Drivers may also have a Meals on Wheels

service for the homebound.

#### **Capuchin Soup Kitchen**

1820 Mt. Elliot, Detroit, MI 48207 Hours: M-F, 9-4 Ph:(313)579-2100 There is a soup kitchen, free hot meals, clothing, and other services are for the low income and homeless in Detroit.

# **Community Social Services**

11850 Woodrow Wilson, Detroit, 48206

Hours: by appointment only Ph:(313)883-2277 x203

Various social services are offered, including free food, Christmas and Thanksgiving meals, gifts, and referrals to government programs and local charities.

# Crossroads

2424 W. Grand Blvd, Detroit, 48208 Ph:(313)831-2000

Referrals are offered to Meals or Meals or even the backpack lunch service for children and students.

#### **Focus Hope**

Focushope.edu, Ph:313-494-4600 Westside Food Center, 1300 Oakman, Detroit Inkster Food Center, 759 Inkster Rd., Inkster Eastside Food Center, 9151 Chalmers, Detroit

# **Harvest House**

9540 Conant, Hamtramck, 48212 Hours: TU/TH 2-4, Ph:(313)871-7443

#### **Iroquois Ave Christ Lutheran**

2411 Iroquois Avenue, Detroit, 48214

Hours: Friday 9:30-12pm Ph:(313)921-2667

#### **Linwood Church of Christ**

14001 Linwood, Detroit, 48238 Hours: 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat 12-2, bring ID Ph:(313) 868-7795

#### **Lomax Temple**

Address is 17441 Dequindre, Hamtramck, 48212 Hours: Tues/Thurs 11:00-1:00 Ph:(313)355-6515 Servicing Zip:48212 & 48203

# **Madison Community Resource Center**

5370 McKinley Ave., Detroit, 48208 Ph:(313) 334-8320

Get help from case managers and specialists. Funds can pay bills and housing expenses, get vouchers for free food, medications, and of course meals and clothing.

# **Nativity Pantry**

5900 McClellan, Detroit, 48213 Ph:(313)922-0033 They have free Christmas and holiday meals.

# **New Bethel Baptist Church**

8430 C L Frankiln Blvd (Linwood) Detroit, 48206, Hours: Tues 8:30 Ph:(313) 894-5788

A small emergency pantry and thrift store is on site. Apply for groceries, perishable fruits, canned food, and other staples. They feed everyone from kids to the seniors.

#### Sacred Heart Church/Saint Vincent

3451 Rivard, Detroit, Michigan 48207 Hours: Wednesday 10-12 Ph:(313)831-1356 Many forms of financial aid and social services are offered. Volunteers pass out boxes of food, offer referrals to churches in Wayne County, and can direct clients to housing or SNAP food stamps.

#### **Salvation Army Brightmoor**

20775 Pembroke Ave., Detroit, 48219
Hours: M-F, 8:30am-4pm
Ph:(313)-532-1281
The Detroit and Wayne County area Salvation
Army runs a thrift store, clothing closet, and
food pantry. Also get help applying from public
assistance such as food stamps, WIC, and more.

# **Salvation Army Grandale**

11325 Montrose, Detroit, 48227, Hours: M-Th, 9:30-4pm Ph:(313)835-3736 The Wayne County Center can help the homeless and families in poverty with meeting basic needs.

# **Salvation Army Temple**

3729 W Chicago at Dexter, Detroit, 48204, Hours: M,W, F, 12- 1pm, Ph:(313)897-2914 They have fresh produce to families that qualify with children as well as single parents. The is assistance on a bi-weekly basis.

# St. Andrew & Benedict Food Pantry

2400 S. Beatrice, Annex Entrance, Detroit (Limited to 48217/48209 zip code only) Hours: 10-2 M-Th/1x per mo. Ph:(313)381-1184 Call for food, clothes, and other support.

# St. Stephen/MMCH/St. Vincent de Paul Food

Pantry, 4311 Central St, Detroit, 48210
Hours: 9:30am-11:30am Ph:(313)841-0783
Part of the regional St. Vincent in Wayne
county. Free food, winter clothes, money to pay
bills, and more. Senior citizens and the
homebound can also apply for Meals on
Wheels.

# Ste. Anne's Pantry

1000 Ste Anne Detroit, 48216 Ph:(313)496-1701 Hours: 3rd Wednesdays, 10am-12pm

# The Senior Alliance - Agency on Aging Wayne County

Ph:(734)722-2830 or toll free 800-815-1112 Senior citizens of all income levels, disabled, and homebound are their main clients. Services range from Meals on Wheels (delivery to the home) to free hot congregate meals, recreation activities, field trips, applications to USDA commodity food and much more.

Society of Saint Vincent in Detroit and County Several churches are part of the charity. The poor, inner city residents, immigrants and others can get help. Financial aid, free food boxes, and more from the pantry. They also have diced tomatoes, juice for kids, baby formula, pasta, sauce, eggs, yogurt, Ensure for seniors, and more.

# W.I.T.S. (Walk In The Spirit) Food Pantry

11638 Whittier St., Detroit, 48224 Hours: Every Sat., 10am-12pm Ph:(313)371-3930 Seniors may also receive a delivery of meals or food to their home or apartment.