



## Volunteers: Monthly Newsletter

Thank you for all the support in August! The Twin Valley Food Pantry served 42 families - (accounting for 183 people). We also had approximately 55 volunteers from across our community supporting the evening. We distributed approximately 4,000 pounds of food items – thanks to all the donors across the community for their financial contributions or for coordinating a food drive. Thank you all for the hundreds of volunteer hours each month making this important community mission possible. *Note: We can always use your help volunteering at the TVFP — please consider joining us next month.*

**Distribution Evening will be September 27- 4th Tuesday of the Month.**

*SEE the END of NEWSLETTER for our Distribution Schedule for 2022*

**Updated Statistics Total Pounds Distributed: Year 1:** 71,750 pounds **Year 2:** 103,300 pounds **Year 3:** 124,200 pounds **Year 4:** 135,000 pounds (67.5 tons) **Year 5:** 146,000 pounds; **Year 6:** 172,900 pounds; **Year 7:** 195,500 pounds. **Year 8:** 177,500. **Year 9:** 185,000, **Year 10:** 179,000 pounds, **Year 11:** 162,000 **Year 12:** 69,000. **January:** 6,000 **February** 6,000 **March** 5,000 **April** 6,000 **May** 6,000 **June** 7,000 **July** 8,000 **August** 4,000

### Statistical Profile for 2021

Food Distributed	69,000
Total Families Supported	545
Total Number of People Supported	2047
Number of Volunteers	Approx 25 per month

## **VOLUNTEER NEEDS THIS MONTH: "We Need Your Help This Coming Month"**

**Volunteer Opportunities for August** – *Please reply if you can participate in any of the following opportunities* – thank you.

**September 21st** - Wednesday – 7:00pm at Conestoga Mennonite Church - STOCKING opportunity for the Pantry from our delivery of food earlier in the day. A very exciting and fulfilling evening for all - including youth. All help is appreciated – it is a fast moving evening. Usually lasts about 2 hours. This includes deliveries from Helping Harvest and Central PA Food Banks as well as local food donations and drives.

**September 27-** Tuesday - 3:00pm at Conestoga Mennonite Church – DISTRIBUTION DAY– need approximately 90+ Volunteers for the evening – setup, distribution, and tear down. We are usually completed around 8:00pm. Come when you can and volunteer as long as you can. All support is appreciated. Note: Distribution starts at 5:00pm - please arrive as early as you can to help in the stocking of the individual pantries and setting up for our **client choice distribution**.

**Food Drive Needs:** Drinks, Cereal, Sugar, and Canned Vegetables – See Notice Below:

All food and financial donations are welcome. Items can be dropped off at the Conestoga Church Office Tuesday-Friday from 9am to 3pm every week or any other time by dropping me an email for coordination.

### **Special Notes and Events**

1. The TVFP does take donations in memory of friends and loved ones – and will send out a "Special Thank You Card" recognizing the donation to the persons of your choice.

### **2022 Distribution Schedule**

Twin Valley Food Pantry Distribution Schedule for 2022: 4th Tuesday of the month except where indicated below:

January 25th

February 22nd

March 22nd

April 26th

May 24th

June 28th

July 26th

August 23rd

**September 27th**

October 25th

November 15th (3rd Tuesday)

December 20th (3rd Tuesday)

***Once again thank you for your support.***

***Twin Valley Food Pantry***