



Volunteers: Monthly Newsletter

Thank you for all the support in October! The Twin Valley Food Pantry served 73 families - (accounting for 339 people). We also had approximately 45 volunteers from across our community supporting the evening. We distributed approximately 6,000 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 November 15th - 3rd 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 **September** 6,000 **October** 6,000

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 November – *Please reply if you can participate in any of the following opportunities* – thank you.

November 9th - Wednesday – 7:00 pm 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.

November 15th Tuesday - 3:00 pm at Conestoga Mennonite Church – DISTRIBUTION DAY– need approximately 90+ Volunteers for the evening – setup, distribution, and tear down. We are usually completed around 8:00 pm. Come when you can and volunteer as long as you can. All support is appreciated. Note: Distribution starts at 5:00 pm - 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 9 am to 3 pm 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