

Community Services Community Drives

Throughout the year, Community Services (CS) is supported by many wonderful donors providing our clients with basic needs – food and clothing.

Food drives help us keep our pantry shelves stocked and are a mainstay of our outreach efforts. CS also conducts themed drives that meet clients' other needs.

The following are examples of drives that we hope you will consider supporting:

Themed food drives:

January Healthy Eating for

a New Year or Score a Touchdown for Hunger

• **February** Heart Healthy or Give from the Heart

March March Against Hunger

April Hop on the Food Drive Trail

May
 Bagging Summer Hunger

• September Cans for Kids

October Treat your Neighbor Right

November Fall Festival

December Tis the Season for Giving

Easter Basket Drive

(Easter baskets for children 1–12 years)

Bagging Summer Hunger

(childhood summer hunger relief)

Back To School Drive

(backpacks and school supplies)

Birthday Box Drive

(birthday in a box for children 1–12 years)

Calling All Turkeys

(Thanksgiving turkey and food collection)

Christmas Toy Drive

CONTACT

If you would like more detailed information describing your particular drive of interest, please call Richard Ferreira (609) 394-8847 ext 2524.

Most Needed Items

High Protein Foods

- ✓ Canned meats: hams, stews, chicken
- ✓ Canned fish: tuna, salmon, sardines
- ✓ Peanut butter, nuts, beans, legumes

Breakfast & Bread

- ✓ Cereal (low-sugar)
- ✓ Breakfast bars
- ✓ Pancake mixes & syrups
- ✓ Muffin & bread mixes
- ☑ Rice & pasta (white or whole grain)

Fruits & Vegetables

- ✓ Canned or dried fruits
- ▼ Canned vegetables
- ✓ Soups

Miscellaneous Items

- ▼ Sauces & side dishes
- ☑ Sugar, flour, baking soda & powder
- ✓ Spaghetti sauce
- ✓ Vegetable or olive oil
- ✓ Puddings, custards, jello
- ✓ Hand can openers

Household/Personal (Please keep in separate bags)

- ✓ Cleaning supplies & detergents
- ✓ Plastic containers & storage bags
- ▼ Toilet paper & paper towels
- ☑ Shampoos, conditioners, bar soap
- ▼ Toothpaste, deodorant, sanitary products

Holiday Needs

- ✓ Stuffing (bags or boxes)
- ✓ Cranberry sauce
- ✓ Gravy (cans or jars)
- ✓ Instant potatoes
- ✓ Canned yams or sweet potatoes
- ✓ Pie crusts & fillings
- ✓ Olives & pickles



Infants & Children

- ✓ Instant formula (check expiration)
- ✓ Diapers (infant & toddler)
- ✓ 100% fruit juices
- ▼ Boxed macaroni & cheese
- ✓ Jelly