

Food Pantries & Community Meal Sites

Hancock County, Maine

Program updates related to COVID-19 are noted in red.

The Hancock County Food Security Network meets quarterly to share resources, network, and collaborate on initiatives to address hunger in our communities. The Network is supported by Healthy Acadia, University of Maine Cooperative Extension, United Way of Eastern Maine, Good Shepherd Food Bank, and Maine Community Foundation, as well as the food pantries and community meal sites included.

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BAR HARBOR

Bar Harbor Food Pantry

Location: 36 Mount Desert Street (behind YWCA)

Updated service: Call ahead to make an appointment to pick-up a pre-assembled food box. Food will be distributed from the parking lot. The pantry is closed to clients for self-selection of food until further notice.

**Days and hours: Tuesday - Friday, 9am-2pm
(for scheduled pick-up appointments only)**

Services: Groceries

Contact: Jennifer Jones ~ 288-3375 or jennifer@bhfp.org

Open Table MDI

Location: Bar Harbor Congregational Church; 29 Mount Desert Street

Updated service: Take-out meals only. Delivery is available based on need assessment.

Days and hours: Tuesdays, 4-6pm

Contact: 288-3280 or opentablemdi@gmail.com

BLUE HILL

Tree of Life Food Pantry

Location: 23 South Street

Updated service: Groceries in pre-assembled food boxes distributed from the parking lot. The pantry is closed to clients for self-selection of food until further notice.

Days and hours: Thursdays (8:30am-3pm)

Note: The TurnStyle thrift shop is closed and will not be accepting clothing donations until further notice.

Contact: Richard Washburn ~ 374-2900 or presidenttol22@gmail.com

The Simmering Pot (Community Meal)

**Update: Closed for the time being.
Working to reopen with COVID-19 precautions in place.**

Location: First Congregational Church of Blue Hill; 22 Tenney Hill

Days and Hours: Mondays (2:30-6pm)

Contact: Mary Hildebrand ~ 664-9661

BUCKSPORT

Bucksport Community Concerns (Food Pantry)

Location: Congregational Church Basement; 31 Elm Street

Days and Hours: Wednesdays (9:30-11:30am) & 2nd Monday (5:30-6:30pm)

Services: Groceries; Shuttle Bus available

Donations: Wednesdays (9:30-11:30am)

Contact: Marsha Mushrall ~ 469-2400

Bucksport Senior Center Community Meal

**Update: Closed to the public until further notice.
Delivery meal service may be available: 469-3632**

~~Location: 125 Broadway, Bucksport~~

~~Days and Hours: Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays at 11:30am~~

~~Services: Meals available for all ages for \$5 per meal (subsidies available for those in need.) Dine-in, Take-out, or Delivery. Call by 9am to reserve a meal.~~

Contact: Bill Foster ~ 469-3632

ELLSWORTH

Bib and Tucker Food Pantry and Clothing Closet

Location: Christian Ridge Church, 53 Christian Ridge Rd, Ellsworth
Days and Hours: Mondays 12-2pm, Thursdays and Fridays 10-12pm Services: Free
food and clothing
Contact: Heidi Klenowski ~ 207-812-5555 or bibtuckercrc@gmail.com

Emmaus Center Food Pantry

Location: Corner of Main and Water Streets
Updated service: Emergency food boxes with 24-hour notice required for pick up. Call
the office when you arrive and your food box will be delivered to the parking lot.
Days and hours: Monday - Friday only
**Thursday and Saturday produce and bread services have been cancelled until
further notice.**
Contact: 667-3962

Everybody Eats - A Free Community Meal

Location: St. Dunstan's Church (enter around back); 134 State Street **Service update:**
Free take-out meals only.
Days and Hours: Mondays (3-6pm)
Contact: Tracy Shaffer, Ron King, Fred Beyer ~ 664-3568 or ronking@gwi.net

Loaves & Fishes Pantry

Location: 119 Bucksport Road
Days and Hours: Wednesday 9:30AM-12PM and 4-6:30PM, Friday morning 9:30-12PM,
and by appointment.
Services: Groceries
Donations: Drop off Wednesday or Friday, or by appointment
Contact: 667-4363

The Welcome Table (Community Meal)

Location: First Congregational Church; 2 Church Street
Service updates: Take-out meals only.
Days and hours: Wednesdays, 3-6pm
Donations: Wednesdays, 11am-3pm (can meet earlier in the day if necessary)

Contact: Kara Iburguen, krowholla@gmail.com

GOULDSBORO

Life Line Food Pantry

Location: Rt. 186, 769 South Gouldsboro Rd.
(Directly across the road from Baptist Church, enter in the rear of building)

Service update: Groceries in pre-assembled boxes, distributed from the parking lot. The pantry is closed to clients for self-selection of food until further notice.

Days and Hours: Every third Saturday of each month (8-10am)

Donations: call ahead or drop off during open hours

Contact: Marie Crawley ~ 963-7972

MARIAVILLE

What's for Suppa? Food Pantry

Location: Mariaville Grange Hall; 1675 Mariaville Rd.

Days and hours: First and third Wednesday of the month, 12-2pm

Service update: Two people allowed in the food pantry at one time to select groceries. Delivery service may be available based on a need assessment.

Donations: Drop off by appointment or on pantry day

Contact: Faith Colburn ~ 537-3412 or faiash@rivah.net

ORLAND

H.O.M.E. Co-op Food Pantry

Location: 90 Schoolhouse Road

Days and Hours: Monday through Friday (9-3:30pm)

Updated services: Pre-assembled boxes of groceries distributed outside; Delivery available if necessary. The pantry is closed to clients for self-selection of food until further notice.

No lunchtime meal until further notice.

Donations: Drop off any time, call ahead

Contact: 469-7961

SOUTHWEST HARBOR

Westside Food Pantry

Location: Harbor House, 329 Main St.

Days and Hours: First Sunday (12-2pm) & third Sunday (12-1pm), Nov - May. **Call or email to confirm that no changes have been made.**

Services: Vouchers to three local grocery stores.

Contact: Dean Henry ~ 664-8615 or westsidefoodpantry@gmail.com

Common Good Soup Kitchen

Location: 19 Clark Point Road

Update to services: Delivery meal program is available on Fridays. Call ahead (by Thursday) to schedule a delivery for Friday. Dining room and food pantry is closed until further notice.

Days and hours: Fridays

Contact: 479-5313 or milalaurieward@gmail.com

STONINGTON

Island Pantry

Location: 6 Memorial Lane

Days and Hours: Thursdays (5:30-7pm) – closed on the 5th week Services: Groceries

Contact: Kathy Eaton-Gray, kathykass2@yahoo.com

SWAN'S ISLAND

Bread of Life Food Pantry

Location: Old Village Firehouse

Days and Hours: Sunday 2-3pm, and by appointment

Services: Groceries

Contact: Joanna Kohler ~ 526-4024 or ladyjoanna52@yahoo.com

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