2022 Holiday Assistance as of 11/04/22

- Check with your city hall to see if your city has a Goodfellows organization.

Oakland County:

- **Neighborhood House**: 248-651-5836. Providing Thanksgiving & Christmas food baskets to registered clients.
- **Troy People Concerned**: 248-528-9199 or email tpctohelp@sbcglobal.net. Providing Thanksgiving & Christmas food baskets. Must be a Troy resident for at least 6 months, & complete an application verifying income & number of people in the household. Deadline is November 4. Assistance is provided on a first come first served basis.
- **Salvation Army**: Applications must be filed by appointment at a corps community center according to the recipient’s zip code. Thanksgiving & Christmas Assistance: https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/usc/location-search/ Call to register: Farmington Hills- 248-477-1153; Pontiac- 248-334- 2407; Royal Oak- 248-585-5600.
- **Lake Orion Lions Club**: 248-975-6378. Christmas baskets for Lake Orion residents in need.
- **Open Door Outreach Center**: 248-360-2930. Provides Thanksgiving and Christmas assistance to seniors and adults with disabilities who are current clients.
- **The Philip House**: 248-532-0023. Holiday Assistance Application will open on October 15 and the deadline is December 1. https://www.thephiliphouseemission.org/services
- **Forgotten Harvest**: Turkeys are typically distributed through their regular pantry rotation. People can visit https://www.forgottenharvest.org/find-food to find pantries.
- **Catholic Charities of SEM**: 855-882-2736. Adopt a Family Program. Families must be nominated by a parish or a partner organization.
- **The Baldwin Center**: 248-332-6101. Provides a holiday food basket.
- **Southfield Goodfellows**: Christmas Program. https://www.cityofsouthfield.com/sites/default/files/inline-files/2021-goodfellows-application-.pdf Complete application and return to the Southfield Human Services Department, c/o Southfield Goodfellows 26000 Evergreen Rd. Southfield, MI 48076. Southfield and Lathrup Village residents only. Deadline is October 13 at 4PM.
- **Farmington Area Goodfellows**: Contact Teresa at the Farmington Hills Senior Division at 248-473-1826 or email tjergovich@fhgov.com. Provides assistance to Farmington and Farmington Hills residents aged 55 or older.
➢ **White Lake Goodfellows**: No Senior without a Christmas. Provides holiday assistance to seniors in White Lake. To register, beginning after Thanksgiving: Call the Clerk’s office at 248-698-3300, ext 7, and state that you would like Christmas help with the White Lake Goodfellows.

➢ **Royal Oak Senior Center**: 3500 Marais Avenue, Royal Oak. 248-246-3900.
   - **Tim’s Kitchen**: Hot Meals available for dine in or carry out for $5. Days/times will be advertised in the monthly newsletter.

➢ **Center of Hope**: 810-610-8167. Thanksgiving Baskets for residents in need in Holly, Fenton or Linden.

➢ **Ruth Peterson Senior Center**: 990 Joslyn Avenue, Pontiac.
   - **Pontiac Meals on Wheels**: Thanksgiving Dinner will be served on November 17, 12PM-2PM. Please RSVP by calling 248-758-3277 by November 11.
   - **Ms. G’s Thankful Helping Hands**: Thanksgiving Dinner will be served on November 22, 1PM-5PM. (Will also be having a free coat drive)

➢ **Zelphia’s Community Kitchen**: 21355 Meadowbrook, Novi. Thanksgiving food box including a turkey and sides. Registration will be posted on their website soon: [https://www.zelphias.com](https://www.zelphias.com)

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**Washtenaw County:**

➢ **Faith in Action**: 734-475-3305. Provides Thanksgiving & Christmas assistance to households in the Chelsea & Dexter school districts. Income must be at or below 200% of the federal poverty level. Deadline to sign up for Thanksgiving is the end of October and for Christmas is November 4.

➢ **Chelsea Hospital**: Provides a hot meal at no cost on Thanksgiving & Christmas Day. Please call the Chelsea Senior Center to RSVP: 734-475-9242. The deadline to preorder meals is one week prior to each holiday.

➢ **Washtenaw County Salvation Army**: Angel Tree Sign Up for Washtenaw County older adults or families with children. [www.saangeltree.org](http://www.saangeltree.org).

➢ **Saline Social Service**: (734) 429 – 4570 or email grehder@salinesocialservice.com. Households in need must either live in the Saline area school district, have children attending Saline schools, or work in the city of Saline and have income at or below 185% of the federal poverty level. Deadlines for the programs are as follows:
   - **Winter Gear Program**: November 3
   - **Adopt a Family**: November 10
   - **Thanksgiving Meal Program**: November 10
   - **December Holiday Meals**: December 8
Extra Holiday Toys: December 8 (For those who missed Adopt a Family)

Food Gatherers Community Kitchen: 312 W. Huron, Ann Arbor. 734-761-2796. Check this link for additional meal updates for Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year’s as they are posted. https://www.foodgatherers.org/find-help/holiday-meals/

The Original Cottage Inn: 734-663-3379. 512 E. William St., Ann Arbor. Free Annual Thanksgiving Meal on 11/24/22 from 11AM-1PM. No registration required.

Aid in Milan: 734-439-8420. Adopt-a-Family program is available for Milan Area School District residents and residents of the 48160 zip code, who have income at or below 150% of the poverty level.

MDHHS-Washtenaw County: 734-481-2000. Provides holiday assistance to seniors age 65 or older who receive MDHHS benefits. Email MDHHS-WashtenawHolidayAssistance@michigan.gov or at (734) 481-2014.

Hope Clinic: 518 Harriet Street, Ypsilanti. Thanksgiving Baskets. Call in on October 11 between 9AM-12PM. The phone line will close when reservations are full. For individuals who miss the call in date, baskets will be available on a first come, first served pick up day. Pick up will be at the following locations:
  o Reserved: Hope Clinic- 518 Harriet Street, Ypsilanti from November 17-19.
  o Reserved: Arbor Bridge Church- 2500 S. Main Street, Ann Arbor on November 20.
  o First Come, First Served: Hope Clinic- 518 Harriet Street, Ypsilanti on November 23 from 10AM-12PM.

Ann Arbor Vineyard Church: 2275 Platt Road, Ann Arbor. Thanksgiving Day meal on November 24 from 10AM-2PM.

Macomb County:

St. Thomas Lutheran Church: 586-772-3370. 23801 Kelly Rd., Eastpointe. First come first served baskets. Thanksgiving baskets will be distributed on November 19 from 9AM-10AM. Christmas dates to be announced. (They will have approx.. 60-80 baskets).

Salvation Army: Applications must be filed by appointment at a corps community center according to the recipient’s zip code. Christmas assistance: Provides a grocery gift card for seniors. https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/usc/location-search/

To register, please call:
Mt. Clemens- 586-469-6712 Offers a Community Thanksgiving meal the Wednesday before Thanksgiving and an Annual Senior Christmas Party.
Warren- 586-754-7400. Offers a Community Thanksgiving meal

Macomb Twp. Clients will receive items to prepare sides (cranberry sauce, canned green beans, turkey gravy packets, brown sugar, pie crust mix, evaporated milk) and a $25 grocery card to purchase the meat of their choice. Please register by November 4.

- **Forgotten Harvest**: Turkeys will be distributed through their regular pantry rotation. People can visit [https://www.forgottenharvest.org/find-food](https://www.forgottenharvest.org/find-food) to find pantries.

- **Catholic Charities of SEM**: 855-882-2736. Adopt a Family Program. Families must be nominated by a parish or a partner organization.

- **Roseville Goodfellows**: 586-447-2215 10AM-4PM. Provides food baskets to Roseville seniors. Registration dates not available yet.

- **Haven Place**: 58575 Main Street, New Haven. Free Community Dinner on November 21 and December 12 5PM-6PM.

- **Trinity Food Ministry**: 45160 Van Dyke, Utica. 586-731-4490. Holiday food baskets include a frozen turkey or ham and nonperishable food items. Please only register for one holiday.
  - Thanksgiving baskets will be ready for pick up on November 20 from 1-3PM. Individuals who reside within a 10 mile radius can opt for delivery. Must register by November 16 [https://trinityutica.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/1482374?fbclid=IwAR1ZJRLUH_FpXgu7aJUlwrW3AQwBR2E_clnMBEnTTnbeb8eh5MOT6epFxna&fbclid=IwAR1ZJRLUH_FpXgu7aJUlwrW3AQwBR2E_clnMBEnTTnbeb8eh5MOT6epFxna](https://trinityutica.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/1482374?fbclid=IwAR1ZJRLUH_FpXgu7aJUlwrW3AQwBR2E_clnMBEnTTnbeb8eh5MOT6epFxna&fbclid=IwAR1ZJRLUH_FpXgu7aJUlwrW3AQwBR2E_clnMBEnTTnbeb8eh5MOT6epFxna)
  - Christmas baskets will be ready for pick up on December 19 from 1-3PM. Individuals who reside within a 10 mile radius can opt for delivery. Must register by November 16.

- **Crosspointe Church**: 17275 15 Mile, Clinton Township. Community Thanksgiving Dinner on November 19 at 4PM.

- **Lakepointe Church**:
  - **Warren Community Center**: 5460 Arden, Warren. 586-991-1845. Thanksgiving baskets will be available on November 19 9:30AM-3PM.
  - **Total Sports**: 40501 Production Drive, Harrison Twp. Thanksgiving baskets will be available on November 19 9:30AM-3PM.

**Livingston County:**

- **Livingston County Catholic Charities**: 517-545-5944 x136. Senior Christmas Blessing project provides a Christmas Box including food, paper products, personal care items
and a Christmas gift. Serves individuals aged 60 or older, with income at or below 150% of the federal poverty level. Deadline is December 5, 2022. Boxes will be distributed for pick up or delivery December 7,8 and 9th.


➢ **Cornerstone Church**: 9455 Hilton Road, Brighton. Drive Thru Thanksgiving Dinner on November 23, 10AM-7PM. Reservations required by November 21, by calling 810-494-4059 or [https://cornerstonebrighton.com/thanksgiving](https://cornerstonebrighton.com/thanksgiving)

**Monroe County:**

➢ **Bedford Goodfellows**: Thanksgiving and Christmas Baskets are provided to Bedford residents only. Applications are available at the Bedford Township Library.

➢ **Monroe Firefighter’s**: St. Joseph Hall located at East Third Street/Kentucky Avenue. Annual Thanksgiving meal is provided on November 23rd. Meal serving times are 4PM, 5PM, 6PM, 7PM. Drive up/Walk up only. Meals will contain turkey, ham, mashed potatoes with gravy, corn, stuffing and dessert. Vehicles will line up on Second St facing Kentucky Avenue; Walk ups will line up on Third Street.

➢ **Crossroads Community Church**: 6960 Sylvania-Petersburg, Ottawa Lake. 734- 854-1301. Free holiday meal provided on November 19 via drive-thru, including turkey, fresh vegetables, and non-perishable sides to feed a family for Thanksgiving. First come first serve from 9AM-3PM. (Line typically starts forming at 7AM).

➢ **Catholic Charities of SEM**: 855-882-2736. Adopt a Family Program. Families must be nominated by a parish or a partner organization.

➢ **Salvation Army**: 734-241-0440. Provides food baskets and gifts for children (or gift certificates). Registration will be held: November 1-3 from 9AM-11:45AM and 1PM-3:45PM. Spirit of Christmas Program: [https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/monroe/brighten-the-holidays/](https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/monroe/brighten-the-holidays/)
➢ **Opportunity Center at the ALCC**: 120 Eastchester St., Monroe. 734-241-4313. Free food box (including a turkey). Dates to be announced. Please show ID to confirm Monroe County residency.

**St. Clair County:**

➢ **The Salvation Army**: 200 Court Street, Port Huron. 810-984-2679, ext 31. Thanksgiving: Takeout meal & a Christmas food box. Pre-registration required from October 18-November 5, 9AM-4PM. Thanksgiving dinner will be provided via carry out on November 25 from noon-2PM.

➢ **Community Wesleyan Church**: 2415 Gratiot, Marysville. Thanksgiving Food Box, including a turkey, will be distributed on November 22 between 11AM-1PM.

➢ **Down River Helping Hands**: 310 South Parker, Marine City. 810-765-3848. Thanksgiving food basket will be available for pick up on November 20 from 1-3PM. Must register in person beginning November 9.

➢ **Marysville Fire Department**: 1355 Delaware Avenue, Marysville. Turkey and food giveaway on November 19, 11AM-1PM. Drive-thru giveaway for the first 500 vehicles.

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