

Our Savior Lutheran Church Food Pantry #1479

2154 SOM Center Road
Mayfield Heights, OH 44124
(440) 442-4455

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- Opened March 24, 2001
- Became a Member of the Greater Cleveland Food Bank in December 2006
- Provides Food to the Communities of:
 - Gates Mills
 - Highland Heights
 - Mayfield Heights
 - Mayfield Village
- Our Goal is to provide a three to five day supply of food once each month for those with food insecurities.
- Open from 11:00 am to 1:30 pm on the third Saturday of every month.
- Food Pantry Director: Terry DiBlatto

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- Our Savior's Food Pantry was formed to serve those in emergency situations and/or with on-going need in our area neighborhoods.
- The Food Pantry respects social and cultural diversity and upholds the worth and dignity of those it serves.
- All those in the area will be served equally, as supplies last.

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Financial contributions, food donations, and grants are the only source of support.

Donations are received weekly/monthly from Big Lots, Chick-Fil-A Restaurant, Dave's Supermarket, Heinen's Supermarket, Sheetz, St. Francis of Assisi, Starbucks, and Target.

Our Savior Lutheran Church and its Food Pantry operate as a 501(c)3 organization so all donations are tax deductible as allowed by law.

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Volunteers pick-up Food from the Greater Cleveland Food Bank twice a month.

First pick-up is usually what the Federal and State Government suggests we hand out.

Second pick-up is for all other items including, but not limited to, perishable items, such as meats, fruits, and vegetables.

Every person who Volunteers at Our Savior's Food Panty is a true Volunteer. No one is paid for their time.

Donations and volunteers are always needed and gratefully received.

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When you arrive, you will be asked to show your id. You will receive a number which will be called when it is your turn to sign for and receive food. You will need to:

1. Provide a picture identification, such as a valid driver's license or government issued Photo ID.
2. Provide proof of residency, such as valid driver's license, current utility bill, or bank statement, showing home address from either Gates Mills, Highland Heights, Mayfield Heights or Mayfield Village.
3. Provide your telephone number.
4. Indicate your income level.

All Information Is Kept Confidential

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- Once a Year the Federal and State Government requires us to see at least one person from each household.
- Yes you can pick up food for someone else, providing that we have previously seen them in person and you have a written permission slip signed by that person and their government issued photo id.
- Everyone that signs for food is certifying that the information provided is true and that you understand that making a false certification may result in having to pay the State for the value of the food improperly issued and may subject you to criminal prosecution under State and Federal law.

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Items Suggested To Supplied Every Month

- Cereal
- Peanut Butter
- Jelly
- Noodles / Rice
- Tuna / Salmon
- Potato
- Protein (Stew/Canned Pasta)
- Mac & Cheese
- Tomato Sauce
- Soup
- Fruit
- Vegetables

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We Also Accept Other Household Products, Such As:

- Paper Products (Toilet Paper, Paper Towels)
- Personal Hygiene Products (Soap, Deodorant Feminine Hygiene Items, Razor Blades, Shaving Products, Shampoo, Conditioners)
- General Household Items (Laundry Soap, Dishwashing Soap, Cleaning Supplies)
- Non-Perishable Food Items Not Previously Listed

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Average Number of Households Served From: January 2007 thru December 2023

2007	–	52	2013	–	141	2019	–	141
2008	–	61	2014	–	146	2020	–	200
2009	–	72	2015	–	139	2021	–	172
2010	–	104	2016	–	146	2022	–	174
2011	–	131	2017	–	139	2023	–	162
2012	–	133	2018	–	133			

This represents a 211.5% increase in the average number of households served since 2007

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Average Number of People Served From January 2007 thru December 2023

2007	–	72	2013	–	270	2019	–	270
2008	–	100	2014	–	298	2020	–	413
2009	–	133	2015	–	260	2021	–	338
2010	–	190	2016	–	260	2022	–	350
2011	–	246	2017	–	254	2023	–	317
2012	–	246	2018	–	252			

This represents a 340.3% increase in the average number of people served since 2007

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