Kingsbury County Food Pantry End of Month Report AUG 2024

This month of Aug ... ALC (DS)

Supplied the pantry. We would like to thank them. We appreciate all the donations of food & money. Thank you so much!!

In Sept ... UMC (IR) WILL TAKE THEIR TURN TO SUPPLY THE PANTRY

The next few months the following churches will take a turn;

Churches	Oct St Thomas (DS)	2025	Mar St Thomas (DS)
	Nov UMC (DS)	Jan ALC (DS)	Apr UMC (DS)
	Dec C&MA (DS)	Feb UMC (IR)	May CMA (DS)

This program for free produce is working well. We believe this one is good for everyone and we will continue.

We are in partners with Feeding SD & a local farmer who is supplying produce to the pantry. Even tho our clients are only allowed the use of the pantry once a month ... they can come in EVERY Tues for the produce. No limits. (within reason)

We occasionally have more left over so if you know of ANYONE WHO CAN USE THE PANTRY.... Direct them our way.

Please spread the word that by 4 o'clock each Tuesday, we would like to give away all the produce so we don't have to throw it away.

If you would like some veggies or know someone else who could use some, please stop by.

We have also been getting veggies & eggs from other farmers & gardeners so we have a lot of produce each week.

We are also getting produce from Mayfield colony. So far only cucumbers but they bring a lot when they come in. The past few years they also brought in melons corn & other veggies... even pumpkins in the fall

SO EVEN IF YOU DON'T USE THE PANTRY, YOU ARE WELCOME TO COME CHECK OUT THE PRODUCE. WE LIKE TO GIVE THE FIRST HOUR TO OUR CLIENTS BUT FROM 2 TO 4 WE WELCOME ALL WHO WOULD LIKE SOME PRODUCE. TELL YOUR FRIENDS NEIGHBORS FAMILY & IF YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO IS A SHUT IN PLEASE BRING THEM SOME TOO.

www.kingsburycountyfoodpantry.org

For everyone who donated this month, thank you for thinking of the pantry & all of the families that need the pantry ... Groceries bought at Maynard's for the pantry can be left at Maynard's & we pick up on Tues. when we are open ... or ... Patti Ward Slater has generously offered to be a drop off point for groceries for the food pantry as well. Patti has always been a huge supporter of the pantry & the families we serve.

If you prefer to give a monetary donation you can send it to

Kingsbury County Food Pantry 221 Calumet Ave SW PO Box 202 DeSmet SD 57231

Checks should be made out to Kingsbury County Food Pantry or KCFP... If you have a preference as to what you would like your donation to go to please just write it on the memo line. (ie : Families. Back Packs for the school children or whatever you like. Either way we thank you so much & May God Bless YOU!!! WE CAN DEFINITELY FIND A HOME FOR ANY FOOD DONATED... THERE IS A BIG NEED IN KINGSBURY COUNTY...

If you or someone you know is 60 + & has a gross income close to these last year's govt limits they may be eligible for a senior box ... (the senior box is in addition to the groceries you can get at the pantry & Feeding SD giveaway) Senior boxes contain * peanut butter *2 cereal *2 juice *can veggies *can fruit *rice *shelf stable milk * main dish meat meal *3 lb block of cheese & other items that vary

The income of all the people living in the home must be considered... HOWEVER THE LIMIT WENT UP SO MANY MORE MAY QUALIFY... call for more info ...

Example...

1 person	1632.00 month (gross) before deductions	2 people	2215.00 month (gross)		
3 people 2798.00 month (gross)		4 people 3380.00 month (gross)			
IF THERE ARE MORE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD JUST CALL OR STOP IN TO SEE THE SCHEDULE					

call Robyn if interested in a senior box 605 203 1993

The following are the people who were helped at the pantry this last month 28 families 4 new family 69 all people 23 children 17 & under 29 adults 18-59 16 seniors 60 + 4 out of 17 senior box recipients also came in for extra food 17 Senior Boxes 17 back packs (beginning of the school year)

The items needed for next month

The *** are needed the most...

*** INSTANT MASHED POTATOES

<u>***</u> SNACKS – POPCORN – CHIPS – COOKIES – BOX MIXES FOR CAKE – BROWNIES -COOKIES ETC

*** NON SUGAR CEREAL & KID CEREAL TOO (sugary)

<u>Also...</u>

* CREAMY PEANUT BUTTER

* HAMBURGER HELPER (not tuna helper)

* BOXED POTATOES	
* CANNED peas corn beans cream corn carrots	(no mixed veggies have enough)

- * KETCHUP
- * SOY SAUCE
- * PICKLES
- * PORK & BEANS
- * RAVIOLI
- * CANNED CHICKEN
- *** CREAM OF CHICKEN CREAM OF CELERY CREAM OF MUSHROOM SOUPS**
- * SOUP ANY KIND ...LARGE CANS TOO
- * BAKING SUPPLIES

- * COFFEE not K Cups
- * JUICE
- * TEA (iced or hot any flavor)

We need these non-food items as well

* PAPER TOWELS	* FABRIC SOFTENERS	* LOTION (HAND BODY)	** ANY PERSONAL CARE /
* TOILET PAPER	* LIQUID HAND SOAP	BODY SOAP	GROOMING ITEMS
* KLEENEX	* TALL KITCHEN	TOOTHPASTE	FEMININE PRODUCES
* PAPER PLATES	GARBAGE BAGS	SHAMPOO & CONDITIONER	SHAVING KITS
			** ANY CLEANING PRODUCTS

REMEMBER IF YOU BUY AT MAYNARDS, WE WILL PICK UP THE DONATIONS WHEN WE ARE OPEN OF GROCERIES CAN ALSO BE LEFT AT WARDS BAKERY; SO, YOU DON'T HAVE TO MAKE A SPECIAL TRIP ... THANK YOU FOR BEING SO GOOD TO US ... MANY BLESSINGS!!

> Thank You Robyn Flickinger KCFP COORDINATOR