



CLINTON COUNTY FOOD RESOURCES

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Please note:

- **Individuals/families needing assistance with SNAP (*a.k.a.* *Bridge card*, and *food stamps*) applications can call the Greater Lansing Food Bank Assistance Line at (517) 899-9457 or (517) 898-3165. Other food resource information will also be provided.**
- Clients in need of translation services for application assistance can call the Food Bank Council of Michigan Assistance Helpline at 1-888-544-8773.
- **For Assistance with lost, stolen or damaged EBT (*Bridge*) cards, clients should call 1-888-678-8914.** Replacement cards will be mailed within 3-5 business days. Once a new card is requested, the old card will no longer work. The new card does not need to be activated and you can keep the same PIN.
- You are welcome to share this information, however, ***DO NOT POST THIS INFORMATION ONLINE!***
- Individuals/families should contact the sites to confirm that they are in the service area for the pantry. Many sites require pre-registration and/or appointments. Most sites are closed if the school district is closed due to weather conditions.
- If you are aware of information that is incorrect or should be added to this list, please contact: Julie Anderson @ (517) 908-3686 or juliea@glfoodbank.org

CLINTON COUNTY AREA FOOD RESOURCES

United Way 2-1-1 Emergency Resource Lookup

The easiest way to locate your nearest Emergency Food Resources is to dial 2-1-1 on a telephone. This will connect you to a United Way 2-1-1 call center location. The operator will ask you a few basic questions (family size, location, etc.) and provide you with the nearest food distribution location. Individuals and families in Clinton, Eaton, Ingham and Shiawassee will connect to Central Michigan 211 by dialing 2-1-1 or by calling 866-561-2500.

The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP)

TEFAP is a quarterly food assistance program that provides commodities to low-income (200% FPL) households four times per year. Although food packages vary, each package includes protein, fruit and vegetables. Items from each food group are made available four times per year to assist recipients in maintaining a healthy diet. Contact Capital Area Community Services, Clinton Service Center, 1001 South Oakland Street, Saint Johns 48879 (989) 224-6702

Distributions

Bath Charter Township - Community Center

5959 Park Lake Road, Bath 48808

Clinton County Open Food Distribution Second Thursday of each month

Registration for distribution takes place from 8 – 9 am at the Bath Community Center.

- Distribution begins around 8:45 am and continues for approximately one hour **OR until all food has been distributed.**
- Participants are asked to bring their own boxes, bags, containers, wheeled carts or wagons.

Call Clinton Transit at (989) 224-8127 or (800) 800-5938 for transportation assistance. **Requests for transport must be made by 2 pm the day before an event.**

Salvation Army Produce Distribution @ Beacon of Hope Family Care Center

512 S. US 27, Saint Johns 48879

1st, 3rd & 5th Thursday of the month

(989) 224-0328

Elsie United Methodist Church

160 West Main Street, Elsie

Pantry & Produce Distribution

(989) 862-5239

Meal Sites

Elsie United Methodist Church

Community Fellowship Dinner

160 West Main Street, Elsie 48831

Every Thursday from 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Free dinner for anyone who is hungry for food and fellowship. No dinners in January, February, Thursday of Dairy Festival, Thanksgiving, month of December or if Ovid-Elsie Schools are closed due to weather conditions.

(989) 862-5239

His Cup Runneth Over (*Mobile Food Truck*)

Various sites in Saint John's end of April through October

Visit their Facebook site to see upcoming dates and locations

<https://www.facebook.com/pg/His-Cup-Runneth-Over-689480344457236/events/>

Pantries

Pantries *may* require pre-registration and/or appointments.

A current Michigan ID and address verification such as a utility bill are usually required.

Lakeside Chapel (*Serves Bath residents only*)

5800 Park Lake Rd, Bath 48808, By appointment Thursdays 2:00-5:00 pm

(517) 669-1218 for appointment

Beacon of Hope Family Care Center-First Baptist Church

512 S. US 27 (Whittemore Street) Saint Johns 48879

Emergency Pantry

(989) 224-0328

Catholic Community of St. Jude (*serves DeWitt, north Lansing zip 48906 and Bath*)

409 Wilson Street, DeWitt 48820

(517) 669-8335

DuPlain Church of Christ

5565 East Colony Road, Saint Johns 48879

(989) 224-4878

Saint Johns Basic Needs Center

213 North Clinton Avenue, Saint Johns 48879

(517) 230-4618

Elsie Food Bank-Elsie United Methodist Church

225 S Ovid Street, Elsie 48831

Pantry & Produce Distribution

(989) 388-8717 or (989) 862-5228

Redeemer United Methodist Church (**Must have a referral**)

13980 Schavey Road, DeWitt 48820

Hours Tuesday 10-2 and 5:30-7pm

(517) 669-3430 ext 314

RESOURCES FOR FAMILIES WITH YOUNG CHILDREN

WIC- Mid-Michigan District Health Department-Clinton Branch Office

1307 East Townsend Road, Saint Johns 48879-9036
(989) 224-2195

WIC Project FRESH

Enrolled WIC participants, excluding infants, may be eligible to receive a \$25 booklet containing five, \$5 coupons to be used June 1st through October 31st in the year the booklet is issued. The WIC staff identify eligible participants and issue coupons at either the local WIC agencies, farmers' markets, or roadside stands. (989) 224-2195

Beacon of Hope Family Care Center

512 S. US 27, Saint Johns 48879

Learn & Earn Program-Baby clothing, baby supplies (bottles, shampoo, pacifiers), diapers, Pull-ups, wipes and toys. Must become a Beacon of Hope participant to use the Learn & Earn program
(989) 224-0328

Elsie Baby Pantry/Elsie United Methodist Church

150 East Main Street, Elsie

Provides baby items such as diapers (newborn-Pull ups), formula, baby food, juices, clothing (preemie-7), shoes, toys, furniture (pack & plays, strollers, cribs), breast pumps & bottles and maternity clothes.

Residents of Rural Clinton and Shiawassee counties (Ashley, Bannister, Carland, Chapin, Elsie, Eureka, Henderson, Ovid)

(989) 862-5239/Afterhours emergency (989) 862-5846 Lyla

First Congregational Church

100 East Maple Street, Saint Johns 48879

Baby pantry for households with children under age 6 years of age
(989) 224-2636

Christian Services Greater Lansing

PO Box 22112, Lansing 48909-2112 (Calls only)

Offers baby/children's clothing through size 3T, cribs and car seats. Also assists with diapers and formula on a one time emergency basis, children's clothing, personal needs.

Residents of Clinton, Eaton and Ingham counties

Referral required for crib and car seat from Public Health Nurse, church or other agency
(517) 394-5411 Client Help Line

School Breakfast/Lunch & Backpack Programs

For more information contact your child's school

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Resources for Seniors (60 years+)

Bath Township Senior Center (55+)

14480 Webster Road, Bath 48808

Offers a home cooked meal Monday through Friday @ noon to area residents 55 and older.

Free for seniors who are income eligible for SNAP (food stamps)

\$3.00 for Bath Charter Township residents age 55 and older/\$5.00 for non-residents age 55 and older

(517) 641-5169 Senior Center

Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) Monthly

1001 South Oakland Street, Saint Johns 48879

Must be at least 60 years of age and meet income eligibility requirements (up to 130% of FPL).

Food packages have a retail value of about \$50.00.

Contact Capital Area Community Services-Clinton Service Center

(989) 224-6702

Meals on Wheels-Clinton County

201 East Walker Street, Saint Johns 48879

Offers several meal program options. Each of these options offers healthy, well balanced, flavorful meals that provide 1/3 of the daily nutritional needs of older adults. Although payment is not required, donations for meals are welcome.

Senior Citizens who are 60 and older and unable to obtain nutritional food or prepare meals

Donations and food stamps accepted/Suggested donation of \$3.50 for a hot meal and \$2 for cold sack lunch (989) 224-3600

Senior Dining Sites/Tri-County Office on Aging

These locations serve meals to seniors 60+ and their spouses or partners regardless of age. There is no income requirement to attend a dining site. Meals are offered for a suggested donation of \$3.50, payment is not mandatory. For those under 60 that do not qualify, there is a \$6 meal charge. The menu is available on their website www.tcoa.org. It is best to make reservations the previous serving day. **Any questions call**

Tasha Stetler (517) 887-1393.

DeWitt-St. Jude Catholic Church, 801 N. Bridge Street, Tuesday 12:00 noon

St. Johns-St. Johns Senior Center, 201 E Walker, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 12:15 pm

Ovid-United Church of Ovid, 131 Front Street, Tuesday and Thursday 12:30 pm

Senior Project Fresh (Sign up usually starts in May or June)

Contact MSU Extension

100 M-21 G100, St Johns 48879

A booklet of 10-\$2.00 vouchers for produce. (989) 224-5250

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Double Up Food Bucks

Buy Fresh Fruits and Veggies **with your Bridge card** and get **FREE Double Up Food Bucks** to spend on any fresh fruits & veggies
Up to \$20 a day at the same market

Farmers Markets

- **Bath Farmers Market**, 13751 Main Street, Bath, 517-809-4433
 - Year Round, Thursday 3:00 pm-7:00 pm
- **DeWitt Farmers Market**, North of the intersection at Main and Bridge Street, 517-624-0285
 - June 4-October 8, Tuesdays, 4:00 pm-7:00 pm
 - Closed week of Ox Roast

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