

Caring for our neighbors in the Valley



Jesus said: 'I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.' Matthew 25:35-36



FOOD PANTRY AT FBC





SERVING

WHOM

Individuals and families in our community who suffer from food insecurity

HOW & WHEN

For over 20 years the Food Pantry at FBC has been distributing food and other necessary items weekly to our neighbors in need. Several volunteer teams make this ministry possible.

- Pick-up Team gathers food from the Food Bank and grocery stores and transports food to church. (MWF mornings; Tues afternoons)
- Recycling Team sorts & redeems bottles to fund the ministry. (flexible)
- **Set-up Team** prepares food for distribution and sets up the fellowship hall for distribution. (Wednesday 12:00–1:30pm)
- Distribution Team distributes food to people. (Wednesday 2:00–4:00pm)

Presently, our greatest need is volunteers for our **Recycling Team.**

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