



# PROGRAMS & SERVICES

foodbanknwi.org

### **Partner Agency Program**

Provides food sourcing and resources to over 100 pantries, soup kitchens, churches and other organizations working to ease hunger and increase accessibility to food assistance.

# Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP)

Provides monthly shelf stable meals to 1,600 food insecure seniors on fixed incomes.

Subsidized by the Indiana State Department of Health, the Food Bank has the largest CSFP program in the state.

### **Pantry Pack**

Roughly 25 pounds of groceries provided monthly to targeted populations in partnership with agencies like Tradewinds, Department of Child Services and Lake County Juvenile Center.

#### **Retail Rescue**

In partnership with Feeding America and retailers throughout Lake & Porter Counties, the Food Bank rescues large volume of food daily.

#### **SNAP Outreach**

Provides application assistance to help individuals access federal food benefits. The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) increases food security and stimulates the local economy.

#### **Homeless Street Outreach**

Annually, emergency food assistance & case management services provided to 8,000 individuals experiencing homelessness.

#### **Mobile Market Distribution**

Provides 25-40 pounds of groceries at various sites throughout Lake & Porter counties. Mobile Market food distributions are held 4-7 times per week serving 100-500 families each time.

#### **Food Is Medicine**

Provides medically attained groceries to neighbors facing food insecurity through a partnership including Franciscan Health, Methodist, HealthLinc and Community Health Network.

### **Backpack On The Go**

Provides food assistance to over 10,000 Northwest Indiana children per year at local schools and Boys & Girls locations.

### **Veteran Support**

Operation Full Pack serves area veterans facing food insecurity.

### **NWI Hunger Coalition**

Sponsored by the Northwest Indiana Funders Collaborative, the Coalition unites local charitable food organizations to maximize hunger relief efforts to food insecure individuals and families.

### **Order Ahead Lockers**

An online registration systems allows access to 24 hour assistance through referral locker system. Developed by Feeding America and its network of Food Banks. It makes it easier for people to receive food assistance they need, when they need it.

#### **GROW Job Training Program**

Provides on-site job training for individuals involved in the justice system in partnership with the Center for Workforce Innovations.



# SUPPORT OUR HUNGER RELIEF EFFORTS

# **VOLUNTEER**

Volunteers are the driving force behind the mission of the Food Bank of Northwest Indiana. Volunteer as an individual or group to help pack or distribute food to our neighbors. Regular volunteer shifts are available online

www.foodbanknwi.org/volunteer

## DONATE

Every dollar makes a difference to the Food Bank of Northwest Indiana. Just \$1 provides 3 meals for someone facing hunger. Donate as an individual or company. Sponsor an event or one of our hunger relief programs.

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### **ENGAGE**

Help support the mission and work of the Food Bank of Northwest Indiana: become a partner agency, serve on a committee, offer your site as a Mobile Market location, host a food and/or fund drive, contact elected officials to support legislation advancing hunger relief, or be a social ambassador by sharing our posts.

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# **JOIN**

As a Three Square Society
member, you will receive exclusive
benefits and direct communication
from the Food Bank of Northwest
Indiana. Set your recurring gift
amount to help ease the hurt of
hunger across the Region – because
a little becomes a lot.

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