

CCM FOOD PANTRY UPDATES

- The rate of households visiting the pantry for the *first* time has tripled
- A *25% increase* in number of households requesting food assistance
- The average household size is running *15% larger* than normal

Grocery stores are unable to support bulk purchases for us to supply our local food pantries.



CCM is seeking community helpers to organize a food drive in their neighborhood. You plan it with us & we come with our truck ready to be filled with our pantry needs of:

-canned vegetables and beans

(except green beans, we have plenty!)

-soups/stews

-peanut butter and jelly

-tuna, canned chicken

-pasta sauce

-toilet paper

-paper towels

-plastic grocery bags

(to help distribute groceries)

*Please note that CCM is adhering to Cabarrus Health Alliance guidelines at our drop off locations. There will be a driver with the vehicle which will be open for placement of groceries during a 2 hour time block. You are asked to drop and leave!

**For more information and to schedule a date, contact:
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