

As the impact of the Coronavirus pandemic lingers, and with jobs and income still impacted, the need to provide food to our friends and neighbors continues.

What We Are Doing

We distribute fresh produce donated by local farmers, dairy products, meat, and non-perishable food items to those most in need. We operate out of the **Church of the Messiah's parking lot located at 6436 Montgomery Street in Rhinebeck on Fridays from 10am to 1pm.**

Grocery distribution is done with minimal contact. We also provide masks to anyone who needs them.

What You Can Do

Help our neighbors in need gain access to food staples, and prevent them from going hungry. A \$25 donation to the Jayne Brooks Food Pantry provides a package of staples to a household of two people for a week. Contents may include:

- Dairy items (milk, eggs, butter, cheese, etc. as available)
- Produce (varies by season)
- Bread
- Frozen meat, poultry, seafood
- Nuts and dried fruit snacks
- Cooking oil and condiments (salad dressing, ketchup, etc.)
- Coffee, tea
- Canned goods (soup, fruit, vegetables, beans, chili, tuna, etc.)
- Hot or cold cereal, pancake mix
- Crackers and snack bars
- Peanut butter and jelly
- Powdered milk and mashed potatoes
- Rice, pasta, dry beans
- Pasta sauce
- Personal care items (toilet paper, soap, shampoo)

Your contributions allow us to continue providing food for hundreds of our neighbors in need.

To make financial contributions to support the Food Pantry, online donations may be made at <https://donorbox.org/feed-dutchess>.

If you would like to send a check, please make check payable to Church of the Messiah with memo: Food Pantry. Mail checks to:

Church of the Messiah
PO Box 248
Rhinebeck NY 12572

If you have questions about the Jayne Brooks Food Pantry, email us at jaynebrooksfoodpantry@gmail.com.