



Together... let's help OUR neighbors get the food they need to THRIVE!



Who We Are

The mission of The HOPE Center of Maryland is to bring hope to those in need within our community. Through community partners, we collect food and other essential staples and distribute these products to our network of beneficiaries. Our effort provides these community programs, senior living communities and churches the resources they need to optimally support the people they serve.

We endeavor to provide our neighbors in need access to nutritious food and instill hope for a bright future.



Upcoming Events

If you would like to volunteer at any of these community events, please contact Robert at robert@thehopecenterofmd.com or 443.787.9290 for more information.

- **Thursday, October 20th** – Aberdeen Courts – senior food giveaway
- **Thursday, October 27th** – Park View Bel Air – senior food giveaway
- **Saturday, October 29th** – Park View Abingdon – senior food giveaway
- **Saturday, November 12th** – Prepare and serve a meal at The Sharing Table
- **Thursday, November 17th** – Aberdeen Courts – senior food giveaway
- **Saturday, November 19th** – Park View Abingdon – senior food giveaway

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- **Wednesday, November 30th** - Park View Bel Air - senior food giveaway
- **Saturday, December 3rd** - Food Drive at Redner's Bel Air, 9am to 5pm



Event Spotlight: Redner's Food Drive

On Saturday, September 17th The Hope Center of Maryland held an event at Redners Bel Air and 1,268 pounds of food was collected from the many generous shoppers! These generous donations will greatly help OUR neighbors in need, especially seniors feeling the pinch in these challenging times. Thank you to our volunteers who helped and all those who donated. We couldn't do it without you.



HANDS for HOPE: Senior Food Distribution Services

As the cost of basic necessities continues to rise, individuals and families in Harford County are struggling to keep up. The situation is particularly difficult for seniors, thus, to help our elderly neighbors, The HOPE Center of Maryland has launched HANDS for HOPE. HANDS for HOPE will expand on the "free shopping days" that The HOPE Center currently provides to residents of several senior housing facilities, including Park View Bel Air, Park View Box Hill, Catholic Charities/Aberdeen Courts. These "shopping days" supply seniors with food supplies, as well as a chance for socialization. We look forward to this exciting opportunity to provide food and hope to those in need!

We Love Our Volunteers!

TOGETHER WE CAN!

Volunteers are the heartbeat of The HOPE Center of Maryland. Every day, volunteers are making a tangible contribution to our communities. They collect, sort, pack, and distribute food donations, and remind us that our mission could not be achieved without them. We have opportunities for everyone - individuals, families, community organizations and corporate groups. Please visit our website at www.thehopecenterofmd.com for information on volunteering at the Center.

BENEFICIARY HIGHLIGHT

Thank You to our Beneficiaries!

Centre United Methodist Church, Forest Hill, MD.

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Our food pantry at Centre United Methodist Church relies on the foods and supplies that the Hope Center is able to donate to our clients. We serve older children who are supporting their homebound parents, large Latino families, clients who are out of work, large families, and abused women, one of whom is sleeping in her car. The Hope Center and our food pantry is a lifeline for our clients because they are able to receive nutritious foods, meats, vegetables, fruits, to offer their families well balanced meals rather than filling them with starches and foods lacking in healthy vitamins. We are more than grateful for all that the Hope Center of Maryland has provided.

- OCTOBER WISH LIST -

WAYS TO DONATE:

- You may order at [AmazonSmile](#), [Walmart](#) or any other retailer.
- **Virtual Food Market:** See Website at www.thehopecenterofmd.com
- Contact us to make drop off/pick up arrangements or if you have any questions.
- **Dropoff:** 2845 Churchville Road
Churchville, MD 21028
(Tuesday - Friday 11AM to 3PM)
- **Email:** robert@thehopecenterofmd.com
- **Phone:** 443.787.9290

NEEDS THIS MONTH:

- **Cereal/Breakfast, Granola or Snack/Trail Mix bars**
- **Soups** - Canned Campbell or Progresso - Ramen Noodles - Beef or Chicken
- **Peanut Butter** - plain/creamy - Jelly - grape or strawberry
- **Jello cups:** various flavors
- **Paper Towels** - single to 8 roll packs



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Monthly Wishlist

We can do the shopping for YOU!

Since February 2020, The HOPE Center of Maryland has received 309,508 pounds of food and non-food necessities. In lieu of monetary or actual food contributions, gift card donations from local retailers such as Aldi, ShopRite, Target, or Walmart are welcome! You may drop off at our administrative office at 2845 Churchville Road, Churchville, MD or mail your gift card to this address.



Virtual Food Market

We are pleased to introduce our Virtual Food Market! From the comfort and safety of your home, you can help provide food to support our hunger relief efforts. The best part is we'll do the shopping for you!

Visit our website to find out more! www.thehopecenterofmd.com



Hope Feeds... Donate Today.

The HOPE Center of Maryland depends on and is grateful for the generosity of our community supporters. By helping to keep our storehouse stocked, you provide the supplies and essential food needed to help OUR neighbors who struggle to have enough food.

Listed below are several ways you can partner with The HOPE Center to continue its mission to ensure that no one in Harford County goes hungry:

- You can provide a family of four with (1) day of groceries for \$25.
- You can support a local recovery program with essential supplies such as laundry detergent, cleaning products and paper goods for \$50.
- You can provide a family of four with (4) days of groceries for \$100.
- You can help a local pantry program fill a shelf with groceries for \$150.
- You can provide food and supplies to several community outreach

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- You can provide food and supplies to several community outreach programs for \$250.

Visit our website to find out more or to make a donation!

Donate Here!



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