



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

TOGETHER, WE CAN.



HELP US KICK HUNGER BY BEING A PART OF OUR

SOUP-ER BOWL

FROM	JANUARY 22	OUR GOAL \$1000 WORTH OF GROCERIES	FEBRUARY 13 THROUGH
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The HOPE Center is celebrating the Super Bowl by hosting it's own "Soup-ER Bowl" food donation drive. Team up with us to help provide groceries to our neighbors in need. Take the opportunity to be a



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



IN THE COMMUNITY!

— CARING FOR OTHERS, PROVIDING HOPE —





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, February 16th** – Aberdeen Courts – senior food giveaway
- **Wednesday, February 22nd** – Park View Bel Air – senior food giveaway
- **Saturday, February 25th** – Park View Abingdon – senior food giveaway
- **Saturday, March 4th** – Redners food drive - Bel Air location
- **Thursday, March 16th** – Aberdeen Courts – senior giveaway
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THE
HOPE
CENTER
OF MARYLAND

FOOD DRIVE

SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 2023
AT REDNERS MARKET
2126 N. FOUNTAIN GREEN RD
BEL AIR, MD 21014
9AM to 4PM

SUPPORT
THE HOPE CENTER OF MARYLAND
HELP US TO HELP 75 CHILDREN

The HOPE Center of Maryland partners with the Blessings in a Backpack program to provide meals for children attending Havre de Grace Elementary School. This upcoming Spring Break (April 1st to April 10th) we will help provide food for 10 days which equal 2250 meals to these students.

We can't do this without YOU!

Needed Items:

- Peanut Butter/Cheese Crackers
- Pudding Cups or Jello Cups
- Instant Oatmeal Paks
- Small Cans/Pouches of Tuna
- Small Cans/Pouches of Chicken
- Cup O' Noodle Soups (Cups Only) Chicken/Beef Flavor
- Microwavable Mac & Cheese
- Microwavable Chef Boyardee Pasta Bowls

Your generosity and kindness is deeply appreciated.
THANK YOU

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:

- Pasta sauce & boxes of pasta
- Macaroni & Cheese (box)
- Jello cups – various flavors
- Soups – Canned Campbell or Progresso
- Ramen Noodles – Beef or Chicken
- Laundry Detergent – liquid, 10-64 oz (Aldi/Dollar Tree/Dollar General)



Caring for others, providing hope... Caring for others, providing hope... Caring for others, providing hope... Caring for others, providing hope... Caring for

Monthly Wishlist

We can do the shopping for YOU!

Since February 2020, The HOPE Center of Maryland has received 400,090 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.



**WE
NEED
YOUR
HELP!**



Hope Feeds... Donate Today.

The HOPE Center of Maryland depends on and is grateful for the generosity of our community supporters.

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 senior program with essential supplies such as laundry detergent, cleaning products and paper goods for **\$50**.
- You can provide food for students from local Title I schools in the community for **\$75**.
- You can provide a family of four with (4) days of groceries for **\$100**.
- You can help a local pantry program fill their shelves with needed food items for **\$150**.

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

Donate Here!

BENEFICIARY HIGHLIGHT





We care for our Beneficiaries!

Homecoming Project Bel Air

We are so grateful for the support Homecoming receives from the Hope Center of Maryland! Homecoming is an eight-bed, yearlong transitional housing program for women recovering from substance abuse. We keep the cost of rent low which

includes food and supplies. This is important to us since this allows our women to afford their rent and establish a savings account for when they move out of our program. Recovery should be their number one priority. Our residents learn how to plan and cook healthy meals which is a skill they take with them when they graduate. Our Alumni plays an important role at Homecoming especially if a resident may need help financially or need food. Focus on recovery, life skills, and continual support of alumni results in our high success rate (80%) of graduates continuing to live healthy, successful lives free from addiction. The Hope Center's donations of food and household necessities are such a huge help to us! All of our residents look forward to donation days and we are all so appreciative of the Hope Center. Everyone at the Hope Center truly cares about helping the community and it definitely shows through all of their hard work.

*For more information regarding Homecoming Project, please visit
www.homecomingrecovery.org*



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. Through HANDS for HOPE, 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!

If you are interested in helping at one of these events, please contact Robert at robert@thehopecenterofmd.com or 443.787.9290. See event calendar above.





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.



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.

Donate Here!

