



Thanksgiving Food Pantry

for Neighbors in Need

2022

We need your help! The number of families coming to our Neighbors in Need (NIN) Tuesday Evening Food Pantry is now **over 300 families** each week. These families need as much food as we can provide. **So in lieu of the usual Thanksgiving groceries you would usually provide, we are asking you to provide items, your choice, from the following shopping list for food distribution on Tuesday, November 22nd, in addition to the food NIN will provide that day.**

You may bring your donations on **Sunday, November 20th**, before or after the worship service (10:00 AM), and place them on the tables against the wall in the Parish Hall. **We will also accept donations on Saturday, November 19th from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM.** If you would prefer to donate money instead of shopping, you can mail a check to First Church Congregational, 26 Pleasant Street, Methuen, MA 01844, **or** you can drop it off in an envelope marked **“Thanksgiving Food Pantry”** at church weekdays (9:00 AM to 2:00 PM) or before or after worship on Sunday mornings. **Deadline for donations is Sunday, November 20th.**

Shopping List

- **Canned Vegetables** – *Corn, Green Beans, Peas, or Carrots*
- **Canned Beans** – *any variety*
- **Canned Fruit** – *Pineapple, Peaches, Pears, etc.*
- **Canned Soup**
- **Canned Tuna or Chicken**
- **Peanut Butter**
- **Macaroni & Cheese**
- **Pasta**
- **Pasta Sauce**
- **1 or 2 lb. Bags of Rice**
- **Any other non-perishable food items you wish to donate**



Thanksgiving Donation for Neighbors in Need

(Print) Name: _____

Donation: \$15 _____ \$25 _____ \$35 _____ \$50 _____ other \$ _____

Please make your check payable to “First Church Congregational”, write “Thanksgiving Food Pantry” on the memo line and return no later than Sunday, November 20th. Thank you!

Thank you.

The Outreach Ministry Team