Food Assistance in Bloomington-Normal

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St. Vincent DePaul Society
Enter at 300 W Chestnut
Bloomington IL
Food Pantry: Monday 9 am to Noon & 1 pm to 4 pm
2nd & 4th Saturdays 9 am to 11 am
Clothing Pantry: Monday 9 am to Noon

Unity Community Center
Unity Cupboard
632 Orlando Ave
Normal IL
Food Pantry: Thursday 9 am to Noon

Centennial Christian Church
1219 E Grove
Bloomington IL
Mon - Thurs 8 am to 2 pm (Perishable Foods)
24/7 Outdoor Pantry (Non-perishable Foods)

Oasis Community Outreach
1308 E Empire
Bloomington IL
Walkin Food Pantry: Tues 9:30 am to 11:30 am
Saturday Food Pantry (By appointment only): Sat 9:30 am to 11:30 am
Schedule appointments at https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B49A4AA283-56749074-saturday#/
Walk-in Clothing Pantry: Saturday 9:30 am to 11:30 am on 2nd & 4th Saturdays (Women/Children)
Assistance is limited to once a month.

Eastview Christian Church
1500 N. Airport Road
Normal, IL
Tuesday 1:00-3:00 pm 6:00-7:30 pm
Wednesday 10:00 am-12:00 pm 6:00-7:30 pm

- You must present a photo ID and a second item with name and current address each time you visit the Food Pantry.
- Only **one** resident of an address may shop at the pantry each month. (If multiple people live at the same address, only **one** person is allowed to use the pantry each month).
- Registration begins 30 minutes before the Food Pantry opens.
- Due to high demand, we may post a "Pantry is Full" sign. We appreciate your understanding and encourage you to return the next time our pantry is open.

Home Sweet Home Ministries
303 E Oakland Ave.
Bloomington, IL
Bread for Life Co-Op
The Bread for Life Food Co-op is a membership-based program where individuals can use their own capability to provide food for themselves and their families. Members of Bread for Life contribute to the co-op in one of two ways. One option is to work two hours per visit; the other is to work one hour per visit and pay $5. Members can visit the co-op twice per month, with larger families having more frequent access. Emergency food assistance provided as needed. Repeat visits to the co-op will require membership. For more information about how to become a member, send an email to breadforlife@hshministries.org or call (309) 828-7356 ext. 228.

Co-Op Shopping Hours:	Monday	3 pm to 5 pm
	Wednesday	2 pm to 4 pm
	Thursday	6 pm to 8 pm
	Friday	2 pm to 4 pm

Sit down lunch and dinner meals are served daily (Monday - Sunday) to individuals not currently staying in-house at HSHM on the following schedule: Lunch: 11:30 am to Noon
Dinner: 5:00 pm to 5:45 pm
Sack lunches are available at any time on any day w/ID

Apostolic Pentecostal Church
(AKA: The Pantry)
2810 Tractor Lane
Bloomington, IL
Saturday 10 am to Noon
Optional Bible Study @ 9 am

Second Presbyterian Church
404 N Prairie
Bloomington, IL
24/7 Outdoor Food Pantry
Sunday Brunch: 9:15 am to 10:15 am
Clothing Pantry: Weds 1 pm to 2:30 pm

The Salvation Army
611 W Washington
Bloomington IL
Food Pantry: Mon & Wed 9 am to 2:30 pm
Meals Served Daily @ Safe Harbor Mission
Breakfast: Mon - Fri @ 7 am
Lunch: M, W, F @ 11:30 am
Dinner: 7 Days a Week @ 7 pm

Mount Pisgah Baptist Church
801 W Market
Bloomington IL
Food Pantry: Wed 4:30 pm to 6:00 pm

Abundant Life Church
108 E Market
Bloomington IL
Food Pantry: Mon - Thurs Noon to 1 pm
Breakfast: Mon - Thurs 7 am to 10 am
Lunch Served: Mon - Thurs @ Noon
Sunday after services

Christ Church, PCA
Redeeming Manna Food Pantry
1301 N Linden
Normal IL
1st **or** 2nd Thursday of each month
Call 309-452-7927 for specific dates/times
www.christchurchpca.org/redeeming-manna

Ministry and More
1107 W Empire
Bloomington IL
On Tues/Wed/Thurs 10 am to 12;30 pm
It is recommended to have an appointment
Call 309-823-9804 to make an appointment

Union Missionary Baptist Church
509 W Jackson
Bloomington IL
Food Pantry by Appointment Only
Call 309-828-1162 for Appointment

Loaves and Fishes Kitchen
St. Mary's Catholic Church
527 W Jackson
Bloomington IL
Tuesdays and Thursdays
Food Pantry: 10 am to 12:30 pm
Hot Meals Served: 11:30 am to 12:15 pm
Eat in or Carry Out

Calvary Methodist Church
1700 N Towanda Ave
Normal IL
24/7 Food Pantry
In Main Entryway of Church

School Street Food Pantry
First United Methodist Church
211 N School St
Normal IL
Fridays 4 pm to 6 pm (Aug to May)
Thurs 4 pm to 6 pm (June & July)
College/University ID Required
http://schoolstreetfoodpantry.org

Little Free Pantry
24/7 Outdoor Food Pantries in the following locations:

724 W Washington (WBRP/Tool Library)
Bloomington IL

3205 E Olive St (Library Entrance)
Bloomington IL

502 S Morris Ave (Preston Plaza)
Bloomington IL

901 Jersey Ave (Near Ewing Park III sign)
Bloomington IL

632 W Orlando Ave (Unity Community Center)
Normal IL

First Christian Church
401 W Jefferson
Bloomington IL
The Helping Shelf
24/7 Outdoor Food Pantry
Food and Toiletries

Western Ave. Community Center
600 N Western Ave
Bloomington IL
Food Box Distribution
Mon - Fri from 9 am to 5 pm

Tinervin Family Foundation
Mobile Food Distribution
(Produce/Hygiene Products Only)
Days, Times, and Locations vary
Check TFF Facebook page for latest listings

Wesley United Methodist Church
413 E Washington
Bloomington IL
Paper Goods Distribution
3rd Saturday of the month
9 am to 11:30 am