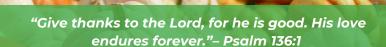


#### Greensburg Community Bread of Life Monthly Newsletter

OCTOBER 2024 ISSUE



#### From the Executive Director

Hello Hungry, Hungry Helpers,

It is such a joy to walk into the Kitchen and see so many community members working together for one common goal - the goal of preparing today's free hot meal. We are blessed with our volunteer base. Thank you for donating time.

My heart is full when I hear a patron recognize the preparation that went into that meal. The giving that went into the meal is truly genuine compassion shown for another life, it is done in secret and is selfless. When you give of your time or your dollars without seeking attention the act itself can provide a sense of personal fulfillment between you and the Lord. It is the truest definition of kindness and builds a strong community.

When meal recipients do not say "Thank you" for the free hot meal and it bothers you, then your gift of time volunteering was not a gift, it was more of a loan. You were giving and expecting something in return. When someone does not thank you for the free hot meal offered that's when you dig deep and love them all the more because they too are the image of God. Luke 6:32 says "If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you?" This has been a challenge for me at times. This person who feels entitled to the free hot meal is the object of God's love and just as worthy of God's love as I am. Expecting nothing in return is extending mercy and grace just as it has been extended to me.

Blessings ahead,

Melissa

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Duke Energy









SDHS Volleyball Team



Edwards Jones



NDHS

## **More Bites**

#### **Recipe of the Month**

Easy Delicious Apple Dumplings

- 1 can Mountain Dew
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Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Core and peel apples. Cut into 8 pieces. Individually roll apple slices into a 1 stick of butter. Serves 8-16.



### September Stats



12,519 pounds of food donated & rescued



2,484 meals served



12 serving days

100 blessing boxes distributed

594.5 volunteer hours donated

#### **Kitchen Needs**

From time to time, the kitchen is in need of specific items. Please see the list below. If you can help, we are accepting the following donations:

- Flour
- Sugar
- Salt
- Corn Starch
- Vanilla **Pudding Mix**
- Peach Jello Mix
- Vegetable Oil
- Spray Grease
- **Postage Stamps**
- **Printer Ink HP** 962XL

## Important Phone Numbers to Remember

Landline to reach the office Mon-Thurs; leave message Fri, Sat, Sun **812-663-1055** 

Cell phone for texting and Volunteer scheduling 812-662-4887



Garments of Grace cell phone texting & calling 812-560-3728

## Join Us for an Upcoming RISE Course



CPR Class November 7, 2024