# Mission Monday

January 15, 2024

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#### **ALL ARE WELCOME HERE!**





#### SHOPRITE GIFT CARD PROGRAM

# This is an ongoing need

Please consider supporting this program by donating ShopRite gift cards or, alternatively, making a financial

contribution (earmarked for the ShopRite gift card program) that will allow us to purchase the cards at a 5% discount. There is a dropdown item on the EZ tithe for SR cards if someone wants to donate electronically.

# **Food Pantry Update**

The donated food supply from local supermarkets varies weekly while the number of families attending is increasing.

This past weekend, the Sunday pantry welcomed 191



#### families who took home food to feed 629 people.

If you have questions, please call the church office at (732) 356-3573 or reach out to:

- D'Maris Dempsey joedm88@msn.com or
- Diane Gilson dianeg876@gmail.com

# This Week's Food Pantry Top Need

Beans, black, red, pink, pinto, anything except garbanzo and canned corn, no creamed style, and canned mixed vegetables.

We thank our friends and supporters around the world for making 2023 such a positive and successful year supporting students in Pakistan. We pray 2024 brings joy and blessings.





Thank you to everyone who participated in the Food Pantry Advent Calendar. Your support made the holidays brighter for the folks who visited the food pantry.



We are asking that you put a hold on bringing in egg cartons. The food pantry has more than they need right now. We have many cartons with few amounts of eggs. We will notify everyone when the time comes to start up again.



### **Winter Cleaning**

When cleaning out for the upcoming winter, please remember to drop off clothing donations to the bin in the Martinsville Campus parking lot. Your donation is only used as clothing, never cut into rags. The following clothing items may be bagged and placed in the bin:

Clothing, Shoes, Belts, Purses, Linens, Blankets, Curtains--No rags or fabric scraps – your donation is not cut up or shredded.

We are paid by the pound for all donations to the Martinsville bin so all donations add up.

Thank you



Equal Exchange: Fairly traded products https://shop.equalexchange.coop

Our church has a long history with Equal Exchange dating back to 2003 when we first started selling Equal Exchange products in our church. The products we have sold are: varieties of chocolates, coffees, and teas. We have recently received three different coffees:

- Organic Breakfast Blend, medium roast, 12 oz packages, \$8.00
- Café Salvador, medium roast, 12 oz packages, \$8.00
- Midnight Sun, dark roast, 10 oz packages\*, \$8.50.

Equal Exchange supports local coffee growers by purchasing directly from them. If you go to the website given above, you can read more about the coffees and the local farmers supported by each of the coffees we are offering to you.

If you are interested in purchasing some fair trade coffee, please come over to the Food Pantry in the PCC on Sunday and contact Ted Settle, or you can call him at 908-420-4841.



For additional information please email the church at Office@BBPC.org or call at (732) 356-3575

Make A Donation





