

# FOOD RESOURCES IN CALHOUN COUNTY

## (Beyond DHHS/SNAP Food Assistance)

Due to the federal government shutdown, there may be a delay in the issuance of November 2025 SNAP/Food Assistance benefits. For other sources of food assistance, we suggest using one of the following resources:

### **Michigan 211** (online at: [mi211.org](https://mi211.org))

Search their [food assistance page](#) by zip code for food-related programs in your area. Or dial 2-1-1. Find locations near your home and details about each option: service days and times, maps, addresses, and phone numbers.

### **Neighborhood Food Pantry Ministries** (online at: [www.BCfoodpantries.org](http://www.BCfoodpantries.org))

Find the Battle Creek area Ministries food pantry that serve your address, including details about what identification you are required to bring and how often you can visit that pantry. Addresses and zip codes outside of their service area are referred back to 2-1-1 or to the South Michigan Food Bank resource below.

### **South Michigan Food Bank** (online at: [www.SMfoodbank.org](http://www.SMfoodbank.org))

Type in (or click on) “Calhoun” to find the locations and schedules of other pantries in Calhoun County, as well as fresh food and soup kitchen options, including those outside of the City of Battle Creek area.

### **Community Action** (online at: [caascm.org/usdafoodprogram](http://caascm.org/usdafoodprogram))

Food boxes valued at approximately \$50 for income eligible families and seniors.  
(269) 965-7766 or (877) 422-2726

### **SHARE Center** (online at: [sharecenterbc.org](http://sharecenterbc.org))

(269) 964-8133

Address: 120 Grove Street, Battle Creek, MI 49037

Breakfast 9:30-10:30a, Lunch 1-2p, and Dinner 5-6p: Monday thru Saturday

### **Salvation Army**

400 Capital Ave NE, Battle Creek, MI 49017

(269) 963-3640 or (269) 966-4162

Lunch Served M-F 11:30a-12:45p;

Food Pantry 11a-3p (Wed until 2pm)



CommunityAction



# FOOD ASSISTANCE RESOURCES

Patrons need to bring documentation proving their current address and identifications  
(Drivers License, Social Security Card or a bill showing your name and address)

**Marshall**  
USDA Food Distribution Schedule

2025 Distribution Schedule		CSFP Eligibility Criteria
January 8, 2025	January & February - CSFP & TEFAP	*Self-declared income of \$1,632 a month for a single person. *Applicant is at least 60 years of age. *Applicant resides in service area.  <b>TEFAP Eligibility Criteria</b> *Need for emergency food for both individuals and/or families. *Self-declared income of \$2,510 a month for a single person, \$5,000 for a house hold of 4 or participants in SNAP, WIC, FOPMR, CSFP or SSI. *No application necessary.
March 5, 2025	March & April - CSFP & TEFAP	
May 7, 2025	May & June - CSFP & TEFAP	
July 2, 2025	July & August - CSFP & TEFAP	
September 3, 2025	September & October - CSFP & TEFAP	
November 5, 2025	November & December - CSFP & TEFAP	
<b>Location &amp; Time:</b> United Methodist Church 721 US Hwy 27 N Marshall, MI 49068 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm		

\* To apply for CSFP, Applicant must bring proof of age and residency.  
 \* Applicant/Client can only receive CSFP & TEFAP from one distribution location.  
 \* CSFP Clients will receive TEFAP Food Items in their CSFP Food Box.

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**Battle Creek**  
USDA Food Distribution Schedule

2025 Distribution Schedule		CSFP Eligibility Criteria
January 28, 2025	January & February - CSFP & TEFAP	*Self-declared income of \$1,632 a month for a single person. *Applicant is at least 60 years of age. *Applicant resides in service area.  <b>TEFAP Eligibility Criteria</b> *Need for emergency food for both individuals and/or families. *Self-declared income of \$2,510 a month for a single person, \$5,000 for a house hold of 4 or participants in SNAP, WIC, FOPMR, CSFP or SSI. *No application necessary.
March 25, 2025	March & April - CSFP & TEFAP	
May 27, 2025	May & June - CSFP & TEFAP	
July 22, 2025	July & August - CSFP & TEFAP	
September 23, 2025	September & October - CSFP & TEFAP	
November 25, 2025	November & December - CSFP & TEFAP	
<b>Location &amp; Time:</b> Community Action Warehouse 350 N. 22nd Street Springfield, MI 49037 9:00 am - 1:00 pm		

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**Albion**  
USDA Food Distribution Schedule

2025 Distribution Schedule		CSFP Eligibility Criteria
January 23, 2025	January & February - CSFP & TEFAP	*Self-declared income of \$1,632 a month for a single person. *Applicant is at least 60 years of age. *Applicant resides in service area.  <b>TEFAP Eligibility Criteria</b> *Need for emergency food for both individuals and/or families. *Self-declared income of \$2,510 a month for a single person, \$5,000 for a house hold of 4 or participants in SNAP, WIC, FOPMR, CSFP or SSI. *No application necessary.
March 27, 2025	March & April - CSFP & TEFAP	
May 22, 2025	May & June - CSFP & TEFAP	
July 24, 2025	July & August - CSFP & TEFAP	
September 25, 2025	September & October - CSFP & TEFAP	
November 26, 2025	November & December - CSFP & TEFAP	
<b>Location &amp; Time:</b> Christ Apostolic Church 503 Superior St Albion, MI 49224 10:00 am - Noon		

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Parkway Manor Community Building  
 380 Truth Dr.  
 Battle Creek, MI 49017  
 M,W,F: 9:45 – 11:45a

Serving Tekonsha:  
 Union United Church of Christ  
 206 W Randall St  
 Tekonsha, MI 49092  
 517-767-4199  
 Mon-Wed: 9:00a – 12:00p

Bread of Life Food Pantry  
 Crossroads Church and Ministries  
 717 US Hwy 27 North  
 Marshall, MI 49068  
 269-781-5707  
 Second Mon. of the month: 5:30p – 7:30p

New Hope Worship  
 13600 28 Mile Rd. Albion, Mi. 49224  
 517-945-6963

Community Table of Albion  
 Albion Health Care Alliance  
 225 East Watson St.  
 Albion, MI 49224  
 517-629-0842 – Call to schedule an appointment  
 Drive-Thru: Second, third, and fourth Tue of month 3pm-5pm  
 Food Pantry: First and third Fri of the month 1pm-3pm - Location: 225 Watson Street

# **ADDITIONAL FOOD ASSISTANCE RESOURCES**

Network Family Church  
13600 28 Mile Rd  
Albion, MI 49224  
517-629-4862  
First Tues. of the month: 3:30p – 5:00p

Santa's Helper  
111 E. Michigan, Battle Creek, MI 49014  
269-580-0295  
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Pete's Pantry  
Saint Peter Lutheran Church  
1079 Riverside Dr.  
Battle Creek, MI 49015  
269-963-4170  
Tue: 11:00a – 3:00p

Love Thy Neighbor Ministries  
1349 E. Michigan Ave.  
Battle Creek, MI 49014  
269-719-2422  
Mon: 3:00p – 6:00p  
Wed and Fri: 9:00a – 12:00p

The North East Food Pantry  
Maple United Methodist Church  
342 Capital Ave NE.  
Battle Creek, MI 49017  
269-964-1252  
M, T, W, H, F: 9:00a – 11:45a

The Urbandale Food Pantry  
Overflow Church  
3515 W Michigan Ave.  
Battle Creek, MI 49037  
M,T,H: 10:00a – 12:00p

Urbandale Food Pantry  
Christ United Methodist Church  
65 N. Bedford Rd  
Battle Creek, MI 49037  
269-965-3251  
M, T, TH: 10:00a – 12:00p

Athens Congregational Church  
203 W. Burr Oak St. Athens, Mi. 49011  
269-317-8766  
269-729-9600

Serving Marshall:  
Marshall United Methodist Church  
721 US Hwy 27 North  
Marshall, MI 49068  
269-781-5107  
First Weds. of the month: 4:00p – 6:00p

Lakeview Food Pantry  
Falam Baptist Church  
7 S. 20th St.  
Battle Creek MI 49015  
269-830-3228  
M,W,F: 9:30a – 11:45am

The Franklin Food Pantry  
First United Methodist Church  
111 E. Michigan Ave.  
Battle Creek, MI 49017  
269-963-5567  
M, T, TH: 1:00p – 3:00p

Serving Athens, East Leroy, and Fulton:  
Wakeshma Community Church  
16732 East UV Ave.  
Fulton MI 49052  
269-729-5431 – referral is required  
Last Wed of the month 10:00 – 10:30a

Salvation Army  
400 Capital Ave NE  
Battle Creek, MI 49017  
269-966-4162 ext 23: Intake  
269-966-4162 emergency  
Mon – Fri: 11:00a – 3:00p

Tri-County Labor Agency  
Food Distribution Center  
120 North Raymond Rd.  
Battle Creek, MI 49014  
269-962-2185  
Sign-up: Thu: 9:00a Fri: 1:00p  
Distribution: Fri: 10:00a – 12:00p



## Calhoun County Resource Guide

Find additional resources at [smfoodbank.org](http://smfoodbank.org)

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### Pantries

Pantry Name	Address	Pick-Up Day/Time
Alternatives of Battle Creek	1346 W Columbia Ave, Battle Creek	Infant needs; call 269-288-2890
Athens Christian Center	128 Church St, Athens	Open by appointment only, call (269)729-5685
Catholic Charities St. Jerome Church	229 Collier Ave, Battle Creek	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Friday 10:00am-12:00pm
Community Missionary Community Church	88 Saratoga Ave, Battle Creek	2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> Friday of the month, 10:30am-12pm
Community Table of Albion	705 E. Michigan St, Albion	1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month, 10am-6pm
Crossroad Church Bread of Life	14701 N Old US 27, Marshall	2nd Mon of every month, 5:30pm-7pm
Family Bible Church	725 US 27 N, Marshall	3rd Sat of every month, 10am-12pm
First Congregational Church	203 W Burr Oak, Athens	2nd Wed of the Month 3:30pm-4:30pm 60 & older 4:30-5:30 59 & younger
Franklin Neighborhood Pantry	111 E Michigan Ave, Battle Creek	Mon, Tues and Thurs, 1pm-3pm
Greater Kingdom Builders Pantry	50 Spencer St, Battle Creek	4th Wed of the month 11am-12pm for seniors 4th Thurs of the month 4pm-6pm for general public
Homer Caring and Sharing	6020 23 Mile Rd, Homer	Mon, 3pm-5pm; Thurs, 6pm-7:30pm
Kendall Street Pantry	175 Kendall St., Battle Creek	Mondays 3:00pm-5:00pm
Lakeview Neighborhood Pantry	7 South 20th St, Battle Creek	Mon, Wed, and Fri 9:30am-11:45am
Love Thy Neighbor Neighborhood Pantry	1391 E Michigan Ave, Battle Creek	Mon, 3pm-6pm; Weds and Fri, 9am-12pm
Marshall Adventist Community Services Food Pantry	1115 Verona Rd., Marshall	Tuesdays 12pm-2pm
Newton United Church	8804 F Drive S, Ceresco	3rd Tues of every month, 4:30pm-5:15pm
North East Neighborhood Pantry	342 Capital Ave NE, Battle Creek	Mon, Tues, and Weds, Fri 9am-11:45am
Parkway Neighborhood Pantry	380 Truth Dr, Battle Creek	Mon and Fri 9am-11:45am

St. Joseph SVdP Society	63 N. 24th Street, Battle Creek	Call 211
Pete's Pantry	1079 Riverside Dr. Battle Creek	Tuesdays 12pm-3pm
Tri-County Labor Agency	5906 E Morgan Rd, Battle Creek	Call 211 for appointment
Trinity Development Center	10 W. Bidwell St, Battle Creek	3 <sup>rd</sup> Thurs of every month, 4pm-6pm; Every Fri 12pm-2pm
Urbandale Neighborhood Pantry	65 N Bedford Rd, Battle Creek mi	Mon, Tues, and Thurs 10am-11:45am

## Fresh Food Distributions

Distribution Site	Address	Pick-Up Day/Time
Athens First Congregational	203 W. Burr Oak St. Athens MI	2nd Wed of the Month 3:30pm-4:30pm 60 & older 4:30-5:30 59 & younger
Battle Creek Pride	104 Calhoun St, Battle Creek MI	4th Fri of the month 4pm-6pm
Community Service 7th day	1115 Verona Rd., Marshall	2nd Tues of the month 12pm-2pm
Community Table of Albion	705 E. Michigan St, Albion	4th Tues of the month, 4pm-6pm
First Baptist Church of Tekonsha	166 Spires Parkway, Tekonsha MI	1st Wed of the month 2:30pm-4:30pm
Grace Baptist Church	500 Cosmopolitan, Marshall MI	3rd Wed of the month 10am-12pm
Homer Community Center	112 W Adams St, Homer	2nd Thurs of the month, 2:30pm-4:00pm
Lakeview Neighborhood Pantry	7 S 20 St Battle Creek	2nd Weds of the month, 1:30pm-3:30pm
Maranatha Original Church of God	400 Waubascacon Rd, Battle Creek	4th Mon of the month, 3:30pm-5:30pm
Marshall United Methodist Church	721 Old US 27 N, Marshall	1st Weds of the month, 4pm-6pm
Network Family Church	13600 28 Mile Rd, Albion	1st Tues of every month 3pm-5pm
Overflow Church	3515 W. Michigan Ave., Battle Creek	2nd Fri of the month 5:00pm-7:00pm
Trinity Development Center	10 W. Bidwell St, Battle Creek MI	2nd Mon of the month 4pm-6pm

## Soup Kitchens

Soup Kitchen Name	Address	Days/Times
First United Methodist Church	111 East Michigan Ave, Battle Creek	Wednesdays at 5:30pm
The Salvation Army	400 Capital Ave, Battle Creek	Mon-Fri, 11:30am-1pm; Sat, 1pm-2pm
Share Center	120 E Grove St, Battle Creek	Call 269-964-8133 for dates and times
St. Philip Catholic Church	112 Capital Ave, Battle Creek	Sun, 4pm-5pm





Community Table of Albion is introducing a free meal kit program to support families impacted by paused SNAP benefits. To receive a meal kit, you must show your SNAP approval letter and fill out this Google Form: <https://forms.gle/UxrfcgFTD8UhNnuB8>  
Non-perishable items, frozen meat, and a recipe card will be provided upon pickup!

If you're having trouble filling out the form, [Tech Savvy Seniors](#) ((616) 737-2306 and [techsavvyseniorsalbion@gmail.com](mailto:techsavvyseniorsalbion@gmail.com)) can help!

If you have any other questions, please email [communitytable@albionhca.org](mailto:communitytable@albionhca.org) or call (517) 629-5080



## SNAP Meal Kits

Community Table of Albion is providing free meal kits to help families affected by paused SNAP benefits.

To receive a meal kit, you must fill out the Google Form in the caption.

You **MUST** provide your SNAP approval letter to pick up your meal

### AVAILABLE NOW:

- Chili
- Spaghetti
- Sloppy Joes

### COMING SOON:

- Chicken and rice soup
- Cheesy bean and rice burritos
- Broccoli and rice casserole



## POSSIBLE ALTERNATIVES FOR **SNAP BENEFITS** IN THE BATTLE CREEK AREA EFFECTIVE NOV 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2025

**If you need food assistance, please reach out to the following agencies:**

Alternatives of Battle Creek	Pantry	Products for infants available. Please call for availability; 269-288-2890
Battle Creek Pride	Fresh Food	4 <sup>th</sup> Friday of the month, 4-6pm
St. Jerome Church	Pantry	2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> Friday of the month, 10am-12pm
Community Missionary Church	Pantry	2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> Friday of the month, 10:30am-12pm
First United Methodist Church	Soup Kitchen	Wednesdays, 5pm until all are served
Franklin Neighborhood Pantry	Pantry	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, 1pm-3pm
Greater Kingdom Builders	Pantry	4 <sup>th</sup> Thursday for general public, 4pm-6pm; 4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday for Seniors 60+
Kendall Street Pantry	Pantry	Monday, 3pm-5pm
Lakeview Neighborhood Pantry	Pantry	Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 9:30am-11:45am
Lakeview Neighborhood Pantry	Pantry	2 <sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of month, 1:30-3:00pm
Love Thy Neighbor Pantry	Pantry	Monday, 3pm-6pm; Wednesday and Friday, 9am-12pm
Maranatha Original Church of God	Fresh Food	4 <sup>th</sup> Monday of the month, 3:30pm-4:30pm
North East Neighborhood Pantry	Pantry	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, 9am-11:45am
Overflow Church	Fresh Food	2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday of the month, 5pm-7pm
Parkway Neighborhood Pantry	Pantry	Monday and Friday, 9am-11:45am
Pete's Pantry	Pantry	Tuesday, 12pm-3pm
Salvation Army Battle Creek	Soup Kitchen	Monday, 11:30am-1pm; Tuesday, 11:30am-1pm; Wednesday, 11:30am-1pm
Share Center	Soup Kitchen	Please call for dates and times, (269) 964-8133
St. Philip Catholic Church	Soup Kitchen	Sunday, 4pm-5pm
Tri-County Labor Agency	Pantry	Please call for an appointment, (269) 924-8924
Trinity Community Center	Fresh Food	2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month, 4pm-6pm
Urbandale Neighborhood Pantry	Pantry	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, 10am-11:45am

**Diaper assistance may also be available with the following agencies:**

BC Diaper Initiative	<a href="http://www.bcdiaper.org">www.bcdiaper.org</a>	The last Wednesday of each month, 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM
Alternatives Battle Creek	<a href="http://www.alternativescc.org">www.alternativescc.org</a>	Possible help here- depends on what they have at the time
Charitable Union	Phone: (269) 964-7234	Possible help here- depends on what they have at the time
United Way	Phone: (269) 962-9538	Explain your situation and they might be able to help
Michigan 2-1-1	<a href="http://www.mi211.org">www.mi211.org</a>	May be able to help with referrals or resources

