



## Emergency FOOD ASSISTANCE

The Brazos Valley Food Bank is a 501c3 nonprofit organization that receives, stores and distributes over 5 million pounds of food each year to organizations throughout the Brazos Valley that feed people.

At the food bank, we understand that knowing where to turn for help is half the battle. This Emergency Food Assistance Referral Sheet should help you figure out quickly who helps with food assistance in the Brazos Valley.

If you find out that any of the information listed is incorrect or out of date, or if you have any difficulties receiving assistance from any of the organization listed, please do not hesitate to contact the food bank at (979) 779-3663.

**If you need assistance with other services** (utilities/rent assistance, transportation, housing, etc.),

please call **211** First Call for Help  
(dial 2-1-1 from any phone, anytime)

## SNAP (formerly known as Food Stamps) ASSISTANCE

If you are interested in applying for food stamps, TANF, Medicaid, CHIP or the Women's Health Program, please contact Cheryl Butler at the Brazos Valley Food Bank, 979-779-3663, ext. 105

### Home Delivered Meals

For Brazos, Burleson, Grimes, and Robertson County Residents only

	Agency	Phone	Special Instructions
<b>Home Delivered Meals</b>	Brazos Valley Community Action Agency	(979) 595-2800	<b>Requirements:</b> 60 years of age or older, homebound, unable to prepare or secure a meal
<b>Meals on Wheels</b>	Brazos Valley Community Action Agency	(979) 776-7494	<b>Requirements:</b> Living at or below poverty, disabled, unable to prepare or secure a meal
<b>Private Pay Meals</b>	Brazos Valley Community Action Agency	(979) 823-2203	There is a cost per meal for this service. Private Pay Meals are for persons wishing to have a hot, noon-time meal delivered to their home.

## Grimes County: Food Pantries

	Address	City	Phone	Hours of Operation	Special Instructions
<b>Bedias Food Pantry</b>	3202 Main Street	Bedias	(936) 395-2023	3rd Saturday of each month 9:00am-3:00pm	Bring proof of residence (physical address). Serves residents of Northeast Grimes County - East of Hwy 39, North of Hwy 30.
<b>Christian Community Services</b>	814 N. LaSalle	Navasota	(936) 825-7454	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 9:00am-12:00pm	Bring proof of residence (current utility bill, Medicaid card, note from landlord & utility bill if landlord pays utility bill). Serves residents of Grimes County.
<b>Iola Food Pantry</b>	23365 FM 39	Iola	(936) 825-5895	3rd Saturday of each month 1:00-3:00pm	Proof of residence (bill, photo ID) required. Serves residents of Northwest Grimes County - West of Bedias, North of Hwy 30.
<b>Shiro Baptist Church</b>	6670 Carrell St.	Shiro	(979) 204-6414	4th Wednesday of each month 6:00pm - 8:00pm	Serves entire Brazos Valley. No proof of residence required.
<b>Anderson Food Pantry</b>	367 Fanthorp	Anderson	(936) 873-3363	1st Thursday of each month 9:00am - 12:00pm and 5:00pm	Serves entire Brazos Valley. No proof of residence required.
<b>Grimes Mobile Pantry</b>	Grimes County Expo/Fairgrounds FM 3455	Navasota	(936) 873-2195 (936) 825-2637	2nd Thursday of each month 10:00am-12:00pm	Bring proof of residence in Grimes County (ex. Photo ID). Pantry closes when all food is distributed.

**You can visit each pantry that serves your area once a month.**

### Food Pantries that serve all counties.

	Address	City	Phone	Hours of Operation	Special Instructions
<b>First Baptist Church of College Station</b>	2300 Welsh	College Station	(979) 696-7000	Every Tuesday 10:00-11:30am	Bring proof of residence (ex. Photo ID).
<b>Lincoln House of Hope</b>	1013 Eleanor	College Station	(979) 775-6788	2nd Friday of every month 8:30-10:00am	Pantry closes when all food has been distributed.
<b>The Bridge Ministries</b>	1401 MLK #201	Bryan	(979) 704-6037	Every Thursday 6:00-7:30pm	Bring proof of residence (ex. Photo ID). Pantry closes when all food has been distributed.
<b>Bryan Church of Christ</b>	1701 W. Hwy 21	Bryan	(979) 822-7790	Every 3rd Saturday 9:30am-1pm	Bring proof of residence in Brazos Valley.
<b>Shiro Baptist Church</b>	6670 Carrell St.	Shiro	(979) 204-6414	4th Wednesday of each month 6:00pm - 8:00pm	Serves entire Brazos Valley. No proof of residence required.
<b>Anderson Food Pantry</b>	367 Fanthorp	Anderson	(936) 873-3363	1st Thursday of each month 9:00am - 12:00pm and 5:00pm	Serves entire Brazos Valley. No proof of residence required.

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## Produce Distributions

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<b>First Baptist Church of College Station</b>	2300 Welsh	College Station	(979) 696-7000	Every Tuesday 10:00-11:30am	Bring proof of residence (ex. Photo ID). Serves residents of the Brazos Valley.
<b>North Bryan New Birth</b>	2405 N. Earl Rudder Freeway	Bryan		2nd and 4th Wednesday of every month 3:00-3:30pm	Serves residents of Brazos County.
<b>Project Downtown</b>	800 Cypress Bend	Bryan		4th Saturday of every month 11:00am-12:00pm	In the parking lot of the duplex. Serves residents of Brazos County.
<b>The Bridge</b>	1401 West Martin Luther King	Bryan	(979) 704-6037	1st Friday of every month 11:00am-12:30pm	Serves residents of Brazos County.
<b>Calvert</b>	208 West Texas St (FM 1644)	Calvert		1st and 3rd Thursday of every month 11:00am-12:00pm	Serves residents of Calvert.
<b>Progressive Missionary Baptist Church</b>	N. Colorado & 11th Street	Hearne	(979) 279-9940 (979) 906-0208 (979) 279-3844	2nd and 4th Thursday of every month 1:00-3:00pm	Serves residents of Robertson County.
<b>Wellborn Baptist Church Food Expo</b>	14575 FM 2154	College Station	(979) 690-2360	1st Wednesday of every month 2:30-3:30pm	Serves residents of the Brazos Valley

**You can visit produce distributions that serve your area every time they are open.**