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Welfare & Monthly Food Distribution - Program Overview

Mission

A monthly food support initiative by Potter's House Kitchener, providing food assistance to individuals and families experiencing financial hardship and food insecurity. Through this initiative, the church seeks to support households and demonstrate Christian love and care within the community.

Schedule

The recurring program is associated with the **last Sunday of every month**. Distribution time, location, service area, eligibility and capacity can vary. Participants should confirm current arrangements directly with the welfare team. The automated date list does not guarantee that food is available at a specific time or location.

Volunteer procedures

1. Establish the monthly service plan, food quantities and budget authorization.
2. Verify procurement and in-kind donations, food handling and storage requirements.
3. Arrange volunteer roles for arrival, packing, distribution, transportation, safeguarding and clean-up.
4. Communicate access details clearly without collecting unnecessary beneficiary information.
5. Keep a simple aggregate delivery tally: food packages, households, volunteer hours and supplies distributed.
6. Document incidents, shortfalls and follow-up resource needs through appropriate confidential channels.

Recipient dignity

Never require an identifiable photograph, testimonial, public recognition, personal religious statement or a fundraising appearance in exchange for essential assistance. Keep welfare circumstances confidential and make referral or assistance procedures respectful and transparent.

Fundraising opportunities

Approved appeals could finance food purchases, grocery gift cards where appropriate, hygiene supplies, storage, containers or transport. Confirm whether food donation drives or cash gifts carry different receipt rules. Sponsorships and in-kind gifts must be assessed by finance before any tax-receipt promise.

Impact reporting

Report validated monthly outputs and expenses; distinguish new households from repeat households where feasible and consent-safe. Summaries can link to the church's public Accountability and Publications page. Detailed recipient data remains restricted.