## **Brantford-Brant Community Resources**

# **Food Programs**

# Brant Community Church – Emergency Food Market, 69 Superior Street, Brantford, 519-756-3993

Drop-in Wednesdays from 9:30-11:30am (Bi-weekly). ID required; Food Bank can be accessed once per month.

- Wed. March 25, 9:30-11am
- Wed. April 8, 9:30-11am
- Wed. April 22, 9:30-11am
- Wed. May 6, 9:30-11am
- Wed. May 20, 9:30-11am
- Wed. June 3, 9:30-11am
- Wed. June 17, 9:30-11am

# Brantford Food Bank-Community Resource Service, 1100 Clarence St S, Suite 102, Brantford, 519-751-4357

The Food Bank intake office and waiting area will only be open to one person at a time. As being practiced by other food banks across the province, food pickups at the Brantford Food Bank will be provided outside the food bank entrance. Individuals are encouraged to dress accordingly. Beginning April 1st, Food Bank Services will be provided by appointment only. Anyone anticipating needing service at that time is encouraged to call ahead. Visit the **Food Bank calendar** for more information.

#### Meals on Wheels Brantford Branch, 25 William St., Brantford, 519-753-4189

• The Meals on Wheels program delivers affordable, nutritious and delicious meals to members of the community who are unable to prepare their own food.

#### Salvation Army - Paris Food Bank, 258 Dundas St West, Paris, 519-442-3432

• Drop in Mondays and Thursdays 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

#### Salvation Army - Brantford Food Bank, 33 Diana Avenue, Brantford, 519-752-7814

• By appointment only Wednesdays and Fridays from 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. To book an appointment, please call 519-752-7814. ID for all household members, proof of income, and proof of address are required.

#### Faith Lutherin Brantford, 57 Brant Avenue, Brantford, 519-753-3833

• Pantry program will run as scheduled on Wednesdays.

#### First Baptist Church, 70 West St., Brantford, 519-753-2406

• Food bank is still operating Thursdays 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

#### St. Andrew's Church, 95 Darling St., Brantford, 519-752-5823

• The Soup for the Soul meal program is open and serving food Monday to Friday at 1:00pm. Serving take-out style from the front door of the CE building with strict social distancing measures in place.

#### Why Not Youth Centre, 368 Colborne St. East, Brantford, 519-759-2221

• Open to youth with modified hours: 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Prepared packaged meals to go are also available outside the centre (available to adults as well)

#### Food4Kids

• Supporting food security for families in need through \$10 grocery store gift cards available at **food2kidsbh.ca** 

### **Housing Resources**

#### **Housing Resource Centre**

- BBHPA: Brantford-Brant Homeless Prevention Assistance Program- helps residents with utility relief; assist with housing related arrears, last month rent and utility deposits
- Assists at risk tenants by connecting with property management and making payment arrangements on their behalf
- Do not need to be on social assistance to qualify but must meet financial need
- 519-759-7009

#### **Brant Family Counselling**

- Ontario Energy Support Program (OESP); helps low income residents apply for discount on energy bills
- Low Income Energy Assistance Program & Union Gas (LEAP): provides low incomes families with grants towards electricity and natural gas bills when they are unable to make payments in emergency situations.
- Terry Gilroy: 519-753-4173 ext. 223