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**UNITED WAY for Southeastern Michigan**

Phone: Call 2-1-1

**Faith in Action**

603 S. Main Street  
Chelsea, MI

Phone: (734) 475-3305

[www.faithinaction1.org](http://www.faithinaction1.org)

<https://faithinaction1.org/wp-content/uploads/INCOME-ELIGIBILITY-2024.pdf>

Open to Chelsea and Dexter Residents.

Call to set up meeting with Social Worker in order to apply.

**Faith in Action Dexter Food Pantry**

7651 Dan Hoey Unit C  
Dexter, MI

Phone: (734) 426-7002

[www.faithinaction1.org](http://www.faithinaction1.org)

<https://faithinaction1.org/wp-content/uploads/INCOME-ELIGIBILITY-2024.pdf>

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**Saline Social Service Inc.**

1259 Industrial Drive  
Saline, MI 48176

Phone: (734) 429-4570

<https://salinesocialservice.com/find-help/eligibility-registration/>

Provides Holiday Assistance for residents of the Saline School District.

**Ann Arbor Community Center**

625 North Main Street  
Ann Arbor, MI 48105

Phone: (734) 992-3128

<https://annarbor-communitycenter.org/contact-us/>

Across Washtenaw County, the center distributes free food and grocery baskets with good that are needed for a full and healthy Holiday dinner.

**Food Gatherers**

1 Carrot Way  
Ann Arbor, MI

Phone: (734) 761-2796

Website: <https://www.foodgatherers.org/foodresources/>

Food Gatherers exists to alleviate hunger and eliminate its causes in our community.

We rescue local food and leverage state and national food resources for hunger relief. We lead a network of hunger relief providers and engage the public in the fight against hunger. We create and sustain innovative new food programs in response to emerging needs. We recognize that hunger will not be solved through the provision of food alone, so we advocate for policies and system changes to create an equitable food system.

For information on in person holiday meal resources: <https://www.foodgatherers.org/find-help/holiday-meals/>

There may be additional resources for you to consider through various community agencies. Michigan 2-1-1 is a free confidential service that connects you with local community-based organizations offering support services for people seeking answers to help in addressing their needs and questions. You can connect with Michigan 2-1-1 by either:

- Visiting the website at <http://www.mi211.org>
- Dialing 2-1-1 or either one of these Toll Free phone lines at (844) 875-9211 or (800) 649-3777 (Michigan Relay) for personal assistance 24 hours a day, 7 days a week



**REGIONAL ALLIANCE FOR HEALTH SCHOOLS**

Phone: (734) 998-7057  
Website: <http://umhs-rahs.org/rahs-health-centers>

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**The Salvation Army of Washtenaw County**

**Holiday Assistance Sign Up**

- ❖ Ann Arbor Office  
1000 Arbana Dr  
Ann Arbor, MI 48103  
Phone: (734) 668-8353  
Call to schedule an appointment.
- ❖ Whittaker Rd. Library  
5577 Whittaker Rd.  
Ypsilanti, MI 48197  
Phone: (734) 668-8353  
Call to schedule an appointment.
- ❖ Superior Library  
1900 N. Harris Rd  
Ypsilanti, MI 48198  
Phone: (734) 668-8353  
Call to schedule an appointment.
- ❖ Dexter  
3255 Alpine St.  
Dexter, MI 48130  
Phone: (734) 668-8353  
Call to schedule an appointment.

In-Person Christmas Assistance Registration to receive toys for children 0-18 years of age.

**Required Documentation:**

- \*Current Photo ID of every adult in the household
- \*Current Washtenaw County lease or mortgage statement
- \*Proof of each dependent in the household (birth certificate AND one of the following: social security card; school records; guardianship papers; insurance cards; updated shot records; mail with dependent's name)

**Toys for Tots-Ypsilanti**

Local Campaign Coordinator: Tracy Pittman  
Email: [ypsilanti.mi@toysfortots.org](mailto:ypsilanti.mi@toysfortots.org)  
Website: <https://ypsilanti-mi.toysfortots.org/local-coordinator-sites/lco-sites/request-toys.aspx>  
Phone: (313) 850-5697

Please bring all required documentation:

- \*ID for adult
- \*Birth certificates for all children
- \*Lease/DHS/Section 8/School records to ensure the children are in the household.

The RAHS community resource directory information is up-to-date to the best of our knowledge. Please call the agency/service to confirm this information, availability, and eligibility. **Please feel free to provide us feedback** on your personal experiences with any agency or service by calling RAHS at (734) 998-7057.



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**United Way of Washtenaw County**

2305 Platt Rd, Ann Arbor, MI  
Phone: (313) 226-9200 or dial 2-1-1  
<https://unitedwaysem.org/get-help/community-resources/>

**Kiwanis**

100 N Staebler, Ann Arbor, MI 48103  
Phone: (734) 368-9738  
<https://kiwanissale.com/>  
Kiwanis has used clothes, toys, household items, and furniture for sale.

**2 Hands**

Website: <https://www.2hands.org/>

2Hands is a free resource where people who have a need can easily post their request to be seen by those with giving hearts who may have a hand to give. Once you have registered and posted in your state, 2Hands will act as the portal for people who want to help you. If someone reads your posting and feels they can assist, they fill out the “Request for Information Form” and 2Hands then sends them your email address only, so a safe dialogue can begin before a decision is made to continue moving forward with assistance. 2Hands exists with only one purpose—to bring one hand together with another.

**NEIGHBORING COUNTIES**

The Salvation Army of Detroit will begin accepting applications for Christmas assistance in October and early applications are strongly recommended. Applicants must bring a photo ID for each household adult, birth certificates for household children and a current utility bill, as well as proof of household income and expenses.

**APPLICATION SITES:**

- Dearborn Heights (313) 563-4457
- Detroit (313) 537-2130
- Farmington Hills (248) 477-1153
- Grandale (313) 361-6136
- Harbor Light (313) 361-6136
- Mt. Clemens (734) 469-6712
- Temple (313) 897-2914

**Good Fellows**

P.O. Box 4444  
Detroit, MI 48244-0444  
Phone: (586) 775-6139  
Website:

Please check with your City Hall to see if your city has a Good Fellow organization.

Website: <https://www.detroitgoodfellows.org/>

Children’s toys, clothing and food available for children ages 4 to 13 in the cities of Detroit, Highland Park, River Rouge, Hamtramck and Harper Woods only.

Girls ages 4-10 also receive dolls lovingly dressed by area volunteers. Please leave a message on how you can be best reached.

Boys ages 4-6 will receive a cuddly teddy bear.

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