

# 2019 Highlights

- The ACFP was certified by GuideStar as a Bronze Level Charitable Organization.
- A new “Friend of the Food Pantry” campaign was started for local businesses.
- A new cookbook entitled “Recipes of Iconic Athens Restaurants and Chefs” was compiled. Hard copies were gifted to individuals who donated over \$50. A digital copy was free to anyone who signed up for the newsletter.
- The first satisfaction survey of our clients was completed to gain information about the effectiveness of ACFP services. Overall, our clients were very satisfied with the food they received, and extremely satisfied with our volunteers and their interactions with us.
- A new ACFP Volunteer Training Manual was created and utilized as the basis for consistent volunteer training.
- In cooperation with ACJFS personnel, we were able to serve clients five days a week, every week.

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- partner faith communities
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Please see our website for a list.



**PROVIDING SUPPLEMENTAL AND  
EMERGENCY FOOD AID  
SINCE 1980**

**Mailing:**

Athens County Food Pantry c/o Treasurer  
9 N. College St.  
Athens, OH 45701

**Physical:**

13183 State Route 13  
Millfield, Ohio 45761  
(Limited hours. Call ahead.)

<https://athenscountyfoodpantry.org>  
@athenscountyfoodpantry on Facebook

# Get Help

**The Food Line**  
**1-800-338-4484**

If you are in need of after-hours emergency aid, please contact us directly at:  
**1-(740) 590-7051**  
(The phone accepts texts).



# 2019 Stats



**5,061 families served\***  
**13,658 people served\***

\*We served some households once a month and most households only a few times during the year.

# President's Msg



2019 was quite a year for the Athens County Food Pantry. From just a local agency to one that became known the world over, it was a year marked by change and transition.

For most of you reading this, the now famous Joe Burrow Heisman Speech Fundraiser would be your point of reference for such change. We started the process of transformation much earlier, as you can see from our highlights.

Through short-term projects, on-going intermediate opportunities, and long-term investments, we can serve our community, honor our donors, and creatively and effectively work to find the very best ways to Expand Our Reach, our new initiative for 2020.



**Pounds of food delivered**

= weight of 30 pickup trucks.

**2,840 meals each week\***



\*1.2 pounds of food is a meal equivalent.

# Give Help

## Give money

(We can buy food at sharply discounted rates through the Southeast Ohio Food Bank.)  
Hold a Facebook Fundraiser.

Add to the Joe Burrow Hunger Relief Fund at the Foundation for Appalachian Ohio.

## Give non-perishable food

## Volunteer

[volunteer-coordinator@athenscountyfoodpantry.org](mailto:volunteer-coordinator@athenscountyfoodpantry.org)



**\$11 feeds a family of 4 for 3 days**

**Children 31%**



**Adults 55%**

**Seniors 14%**



# The Need

One in 5 people in Athens County is food insecure. That's an estimated 12,900 people before COVID-19.

It would cost \$35,475 to serve every one of them 3 days of food – one time!

