Thank you for the food. Thank you for caring about me.
In 2017, we expanded partnerships to address a broader range of challenges. Together, we are transforming access to food.

Emily Moore, FMP Executive Director

Transforming Access to Food in 2017

7,605,948 pounds of food distributed

including 1,738,928 pounds of fresh produce

NEW!

Choose Healthy Program
doubled the heart-healthy and diabetic-friendly food items available

Pop-Up Pantry Program
brought nutrition and resources to families in high-risk neighborhoods

Expanded Network
developed new food pantries in underserved counties with a focus on Trempealeau and Clark

EXPANDED

School Pantry Program
reached students at all levels Head Start through college

40 School Districts
served by backpack programs
Up 207% from 2013.

FoodShare Outreach
partnering with more hunger-relief agencies, senior sites, work programs, and other groups to reach those who are eligible for this benefit—resulting in 470,374 meals in the first three years of the program

72,482 individuals relied on food distributed through Feed My People
Reaching Families in 14 Counties

Meals Distributed Per Person in Need in 2017

FMP Median: 141.5
National Median: 88.4

Source: Feeding America MPIN County Level Report

Community Collaboration Makes a Difference

Feed My People’s efforts have been essential in getting the Arcadia Pantry in Trempealeau County up and running. It would not have happened without the support and encouragement of so many dedicated to supporting those in need in our area.

Sandy Witte, UW Extension

Thank You Volunteers!

27,165 hours given, the equivalent of 13 full-time employees!

Organization of the Year
Bush Brothers & Company

Volunteers of the Year
Peggy Larson
Larry Stevens

FMP was proud to accept the following awards on behalf of our staff, volunteers and donors who collectively make a difference in the lives of those in need:

- United Way Nonprofit Excellence Award
- West CAP Outstanding Partner Award
- Woman of Achievement Award, Eau Claire Chamber of Commerce
- Emily Moore, Executive Director of FMP
2017 Audited Financial Report

Revenue

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Increased donations from individuals and private foundations in 2017 made it possible for Feed My People to expand its programs and replace two 24’ refrigerated trucks!

Expenses

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FMP President’s Message

There is no one solution to ending hunger.

In 2017, Feed My People commemorated 35 years of existence. During these years west central Wisconsin has easily mirrored the national growth trend of food insecurity. Feed My People has been able to stay ahead of this trend, however, through both partnerships and collaboration with agencies and organizations across our 14 county service area. I cannot thank you enough for supporting the work Feed My People does through your hours of volunteering and financial support.

You make community possible by coming together to work alongside our brothers and sisters who—perhaps momentarily—need to make ends meet by leveraging the help of the agencies that Feed My People serves. Someday, perhaps, we can say that we have solved hunger in West Central Wisconsin.

In the meantime, there is much still to do. Our work isn’t done. I look forward to continuing our collaboration with you so that no one need go hungry.

Reverend Paul Oppedahl
2018 President
Feed My People’s Board of Directors

Partnerships with Meals on Wheels & L.E. Phillips Senior Center

Since 2015 the number of seniors who rely on food from FMP has increased by 14%.

2017 Board

President:
Cindy Hangartner

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Reverend Paul Oppedahl

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Scott Polenz
Ray Schlachtenhaufen
Cheryl Thiede
Becky Wurzer
Shannon Young
FMP Hunger-Relief Partner Programs

Barron County
Backpack Food 4 Kids, Barron
Barron Area Food Pantry
Benjamin’s House, Rice Lake
Boys & Girls Club, Barron HS & MS
Boys & Girls Club, Cumberland
Youth Center
Boys & Girls Club, Rice Lake HS & MS
Cameron Area Food Pantry
Camp Chetek
Chetek Food Shelf
Cumberland Food Pantry
Cumberbland Nutrition Over Weekends
Feed Our Kids, Rice Lake*
Heart Island Family Enrichment Center Onsite, Rice Lake
Heart Island Family Enrichment Center Pantry, Rice Lake
Our Kids Soar Food Pantry, Rice Lake
Our Kids Soar Food Onsite, Rice Lake
Prairie Farm/Rigeland Backpack
Prairie Farm/Rigeland Food Pantry
Pregnancy Help Center Pantry, Rice Lake
Pregnancy Help Center Onsite, Rice Lake
St. Vincent de Paul Community Meal, Rice Lake
St. Vincent de Paul Pantry, Rice Lake
Turtle Lake Area Food Pantry
Turtle Lake Backpack
UW Baron County Cans for Students*
We Share Food Pantry, Rice Lake*

Buffalo County
Buffalo County Food Pantry, Alma
Cochrane-Fountain City Backpack
Gilmanton Elementary Backpack
Mondovi Area Food Pantry
Mondovi Elementary Backpack
Mondovi Sharing Table
Southern Buffalo County Mobile, Fountain City
St. John’s UCC Food Pantry, Fountain City*

Chippewa County
Agnes’ Table, Chippewa Falls
Backpack Buddies NOW, Cadott
Barnabas Table, Chippewa Falls
Bloomer Backpack
Bloomer Food Pantry
Bloomer Sunday Social Supper
Boys & Girls Club, Chippewa Fall
Cadott Christian Community Center Pantry
Come Now & Eat, Cadott
Community Pantry, Chippewa Falls
Cornell Backpack Program
Cornell Food Pantry
First Presbyterian Church Food Pantry,
Chippewa Falls
Jim Falls Community Food Pantry
Lake Holcombe Food Pantry
OSLC Sunday Meals, Chippewa Falls*
Pantry Pals Food Pantry, Chippewa Falls
St. Francesca Resource Center,
Chippewa Falls
Salvation Army, Chippewa Falls
Stanley Area Food Pantry
Stanley-Boyd Weekend Kids Meals
Trinity Lutheran Senior Outreach,
Chippewa Falls
Valley Vineyard Pantry, Chippewa Falls
Veterans Housing & Recovery,
Chippewa Falls

Clark County
Clark County Area Food Pantry, Neillsville
Community Alliance FF, Withee
Fruit of the Vine Food Pantry, Stanley/Thorp
Granton Community Food Pantry
Loyal Community Food Pantry
Missionary Baptist Food Pantry, Greenwood
Neighborhood Food Pantry, Humbird
Thorp Community Food Pantry
Thorp Backpack*
UCC Angel Project, Neillsville
United Church of Christ Backpack,
Neillsville
W-O-W Kids’ Meals, Withee

Dunn County
Arbor Place, Menomonie
Boys & Girls Club, Menomonie*
Bridge To Hope, Menomonie
Caring Ministries Backpack, Colfax
Colfax Community Care Pantry
ECAHMAA Rice Pantry, Menomonie*
Food Harvest Ministry, Boyceville
Knapp Community Project
Mounder Meals, Elk Mound
Positive Alternatives, Dunn County
SAM Backpack, Dunn County
Shepherd of the Hill Food Pantry,
Elk Mound
Stepping Stones Food Pantry, Menomonie
Thursday’s Table, Menomonie
West CAP Backpack, Boyceville
West CAP Backpack, Glenwood City
West CAP Food Access & Resource Center, Boyceville

Eau Claire County
Altoona Compassion Coalition Meal
Altoona Compassion Coalition Food Pantry
Altoona UMC After School Program*
Altoona United Methodist MANNA Meals
ARCW-AIDS Resource Center, Eau Claire
Augusta Area Food Pantry
Augusta Backpack
Blugold Beginnings Snack Program,
Eau Claire
Bolton Refuge House, Eau Claire
Boys & Girls Club, Eau Claire
Campus Harvest Pantry (UWEC),
Eau Claire
Chapel Heights Food Pantry, Eau Claire
Choose Aftercare, Eau Claire
Christ Temple Food Pantry, Eau Claire
CVTC Student Food Pantry, Eau Claire
ECAHMAA, Building Bridges & Rice Pantry,
Eau Claire
Fall Creek Backpack Kids’ Meals
Fall Creek Community Cupboard
Family Promise of the Chippewa Valley,
Eau Claire
Feed A Child Nyre You, Altoona
First Baptist Church Food Shelf, Augusta
Good Neighbor Project Snack Program,
Eau Claire
Hope Gospel Mission & Ruth House,
Eau Claire
Immanuel Lutheran Food Pantry, Eau Claire
Inn Towne On-Site, Eau Claire
L.E. Phillips Senior Center, Eau Claire*
Lighthouse Youth Center Food Pantry,
Eau Claire
Lighthouse Youth Center Onsite, Eau Claire
Literacy Chippewa Valley
LSS, Positive Avenues Onsite, Eau Claire
LSS, Positive Avenues Pantry, Eau Claire
Needful Things, Christ Church Cathedral, Eau Claire
Plymouth Street Ministry, Eau Claire
Prairie Ridge Early Learning Center, Eau Claire
Salvation Army, Eau Claire
Sojourner House, Eau Claire
St. Francis Food Pantry, Eau Claire
The Community Table, Eau Claire
Trinity Lutheran Food Pantry, Eau Claire
Western Dairyland Fresh Start Snack Program, Eau Claire

Jackson County
Boys & Girls Club of Jackson County
Friends Sharing Food, Food for Kids
Friends Sharing Food Friends Food Shelf
Jackson County Food Pantry
LSS Wazee House, Black River Falls
Neighborhood Food Pantry, Alma Center
Neighborhood Food Pantry, Brockway
Neighborhood Food Pantry, HiXton
Neighborhood Food Pantry, Merrillan
Neighborhood Food Pantry, Millston
Neighborhood Food Pantry, Taylor*

Pepin County
Community Café, Pepin/Stockholm
Durand Area Food Pantry
Pepin County/Durand Area Mobile
Pepin Food Pantry Senior Site
Pepin/Stockholm Food Pantry
Pepin/Stockholm Kids Meals

Price County
Backpack 4 Kids, Park Falls*
Maranatha Baptist Church, Phillips
Society of St. Vincent DePaul, Catawba
Society of St. Vincent DePaul, Phillips
The Lord’s Cupboard, Park Falls

Rusk County
Backpack Blessings, Bruce*
Community Cupboard, Hawkins
Embrace, Ladysmith
Flambeau Community Backpack*
Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Conrath
Hope & Friends Backpack Food Program, Ladysmith

Hope Lutheran Manna Meals, Ladysmith
Hope Lutheran Food Pantry, Ladysmith
ICAA Connections – Rusk County
Sheldon Food Pantry
YWAM Northwoods, Weyerhaeuser

Taylor County
Christ’s Community Church of Jump River
First Baptist Food Pantry, Medford
Loaves & Fishes Pantry, Gilman
Medford Mobile Food Pantry
Northland Baptist Church, Hannibal
Stepping Stones Shelter, Medford*

Trempealeau County
Arcadia CommUNITY Mobile Pantry*
Blair Backpack for Kids
Blair Food Pantry
Community Cupboard, Trempealeau County
Elevo/Strum Weekend Meals for Kids
Independence Children’s Center
OLPH Emergency Food Pantry, Arcadia*
Osseo Weekend Food Program
Strum Area Food Pantry
Strum Village Cafe
Table of Friendship Community Meal, Osseo*
Tri-County Food Pantry, Osseo
Western Dairyland Weekend Food 4 Kids
Whitehall Food Pantry
Whitehall Weekend Project

Washburn County
Birchwood Backpack for Kids
Birchwood Food Pantry
COMFORTS, Minong
Helping Hands Backpack, Minong
ICAA Connections, Washburn County
Washburn County Food Pantry, Spooner

* New in 2017

FMP Direct Programs:

ADRC Meals on Wheels, Fall Creek*
Altoona School Food Pantry
Chippewa High School Food Pantry*
Chippewa Valley High School Pantry
Eau Claire Early Head Start
Eau Claire County Produce Drop
FoodShare Outreach
Longfellow School Pantry*
McKinley School Food Pantry*
Meals On Wheels /ADRC Box Program
Park Towers Resident Food Pantry
Parkridge Village Resident Food Pantry, Boyd
Pop-Up Pantry Program
Romeis Senior Apartments
Southridge Village Resident Food Pantry, Cadott
St John’s Resident Food Pantry
Weekend Kids’ Meals
Woodsedge Resident Food Pantry

Partners Completing FoodShare Outreach Training:

Jackson County Food Pantry, Black River Falls
Trinity Lutheran, EC
Stepping Stones, Menomonie
Sojourner House, EC
LSS, Positive Avenues, EC
West CAP Food Pantry, Boyceville
Jerry and Betty have lived on their farm in rural Chippewa County for 40 years. For their whole life, they woke up early and went to sleep late, taking care of crops and the animals they raised. They made enough for their family to get by, but now, in their seventies, the couple had to ask for assistance for the first time from a food pantry.

Help was there for them because of you.