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*Our Mission Guided by the Love of Jesus Christ*

## Donate to Trinity Cathedral Walk-In Ministry to Unlock Matching Funds



Did you know that 42% of people receiving Pennsylvania assistance are disabled? Or that 33% of food insecure people have more than one job? Did you think that one in seven of your neighbors is hungry? Sad, but unfortunately true.

To help combat these growing statistics, Trinity Cathedral hosts a Walk-in Ministry and Food Pantry, staffed and managed entirely by volunteers, in partnership with the diocesan Social Justice and Outreach Committee and the Downtown Pittsburgh Ministerium.

The Ministry has 20 volunteers, a diverse group of both lay and clergy from a number of Episcopal parishes spread across our diocese.

In any given week, the Ministry serves between 40 and 110 households that represent upwards of 175 individuals. Volunteers also sit one-on-one with the clients to offer referrals to appropriate social services.

Because the Ministry is volunteer-driven and the dedicated space for the pantry is donated by the Cathedral, 100% of donated funds go directly to client needs. These efforts are maximized by working with the Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank to keep the shelves stocked and help develop best-practices in the distribution of food.

None of this would be possible without the generous support of the volunteers, several local foundations, and the financial support of diocesan grants and our local parishes.



On May 1, for one day only, The Pittsburgh Foundation is organizing a Critical Needs Alert online fundraising event to support vital Allegheny and Westmoreland County organizations that have food pantries as a primary part of their mission. The Walk-in Ministry at Trinity Cathedral is honored to participate. Every dollar raised will unlock matching funds, with the goal of raising \$1 million for #FeedPGH.

**Please take time between 8 a.m. and 11:59 p.m. tomorrow, May 1, to help families and individuals in crisis.**

**Click to donate now!**

or visit [www.pittsburghgives.org/trinity](http://www.pittsburghgives.org/trinity)

*"Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me." Matthew 25:40*



**CRITICAL  
NEEDS ALERT**

59,300 veterans in Pa.  
receive food assistance.

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on May 1 to unlock matching funds.  
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