



**CASEY'S  
CORNER**  
EMERGENCY FOOD PANTRY

# PANTRY NEWS

A local outreach shopping pantry with a mission to "Help our hungry neighbors who are in need of food"

## FOOD PANTRY REPORT

January 31, 2019

### CLIENTS SERVED:

In January 2019

- (1) 183 families were served totaling 378 adults and 206 children.
- (2) Our 34 volunteers logged 277 hours of time.
- (3) We processed 12,962 pounds of food.

### PANTRY OPERATIONS:

### Sources and use of funds

<b>Pantry Balance</b>	<b>January 1, 2019</b>		<b>\$ 13,983.50</b>
<b>Sources:</b>	<b>Individuals and organizations</b>	<b>+\$ 585.00</b>	
	<b>Total</b>		<b>\$ 14,568.50</b>
<b>Uses:</b>	<b>Food purchases:</b>		
	<b>Oregon Food Bank-Meat, margarine, canned food</b>	<b>-\$ 655.46</b>	
	<b>MHCC – Milk, eggs, bread, canned food</b>	<b>-\$ 457.51</b>	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>-\$ 1,112.97</b>	
<b>Ending balance</b>	<b>January 31, 2019</b>		<b>\$ 13,455.53</b>

**“Souper Bowl” Canned Food Drive:** On Super Bowl Sunday, a challenge was made between the first and second church services to see who could bring the most soup or stew for our food pantry. The loser has to provide coffee and Danish pastries at a coffee hour to be announced.

It was a close contest (as was the football game), but the second service brought 137 pounds and the first service did 118 pounds for a total of 255 pounds of good stuff! The food pantry and its clients who are in need of food are the winners. Thanks to all our members for your donations in this win-win event.

**Pantry Sunday each month?** “Souper Bowl” Sunday was such a success, what about a “Monthly Pantry Sunday”? It has been suggested we have a drive to bring needed items on the first Sunday. For example, March 3rd (St. Patrick’s) bring stew, potatoes, April 7th (Easter) ham, May 5th (Cinco De Mayo) salsa, corn, etc. Other Sundays could feature items our clients need badly, but are not available from the Food Bank such as toiletries, laundry detergent, baby diapers, T.P., etc.

Since all Pantry items are not “free”, cash donations from our “friends” are always welcome.

**Are the two Church Services up for it?**

Jim Ahl, Secretary - Casey’s Corner Food Pantry