

## 2018 In Review

As I look back on 2018, I am humbled by our communities' support of our mission and generous help to our neighbors. We are grateful for the time, energy, and resources many provided to ensure we were able to help as many people as possible. It was tremendously needed.



### Donations Included:

- 247 Christmas gift packages for children
- 184 baskets and 25 Turkeys for Thanksgiving
- 175 Individual donations of foods, paper & personal care products
- 150 Cash donations
- 85 Food drives
- 18 Fresh vegetable drop offs from local gardens and farms

### You Made A Difference to Our Neighbors:

- 6,675 family visits to our pantry in 12 months
- 2,967 family visits to our Free Produce Day in 11 months
- Ages: 0 to 18 - 32% 19 to 40 - 23% 41 to 60 - 21% 60+- 24%



### Volunteer Hours:

- 9,633 Monday – Friday 9am to 4pm
- 904 Free Produce Day
- 972 Greater Chicago Food Depository, twice a month
- 220 Sunday Extravaganza & Bowling Fundraisers
- 193 GCFD Hunger Walk & Crop Walk
- 160 Board & Committee Meetings
- 12,082 Total 2018 Volunteer Hours**

### Fundraisers: Sponsors, Auction & Raffle Donations, Tickets Sales & Advertisers

- 4/29 Crop Walk
- 6/30 Bowling "Let's Stay Connected"
- 9/08 Greater Chicago Food Depository "33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Hunger Walk"
- 10/14 Sunday Extravaganza, Entertainment by Dorothy Roberson (Tina) & Co.



No matter how you helped, we hope you take pride in seeing the difference you've made possible.

On behalf of the clients we serve,  
**THANK YOU!**

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