

FOOD FOR FAMILIES REPORT FORM

REFUND AND PLAQUE APPLICATION 2021 - 2022

FORM DUE TO THE SUPREME COUNCIL BY JUNE 30.

**Featured Program
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IMPORTANT: PLEASE COMPLETE THIS BOX

Circle One: Council / Assembly Council/Assembly No. 7121
State / Province Florida

FORM MUST BE COMPLETED TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE FOOD FOR FAMILIES PLAQUE
& FEATURED PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

REFUND INFORMATION

See directives on the reverse side before completing this section.

List each contribution of \$500 or more with name, amount and date of check, or each contribution of 1,000 or more pounds of food.
Attach copies of canceled checks (both front and back sides) or other documentation to this application.

NAME OF FOOD BANK	DATE	CHECK #	AMOUNT	POUNDS OF FOOD
Catholic Charities, PO Box 543, St. Augustine FL 32085-0543				
St Johns Ecumenical Ministry, P.O. Box 860191, St Augustine FL 32086-0191				
St. Francis House, 1375 Arapaho Ave, St. Augustine FL 32084-4258				
St. Anastasia Catholic Church Homeless Ministry, 5205 A1A S, St. Augustine FL 32080				
SEE ATTACHMENTS				
TOTAL FROM 5 SEPARATE FOOD DRIVES:			\$31,895	8934

Total hours provided 400

IMPORTANT: Be sure to check off one of the following (if applicable). All approved participation forms will automatically receive a date plate.

- This is our first year participating in Food for Families. Our Food for Families Plaque is full and we require a new one.

I AFFIRM THE ABOVE TO BE ACCURATE:

Brian F. Foy

03932664

Grand Knight/Faithful Navigator

Member #

05 / 26 / 2022

Date

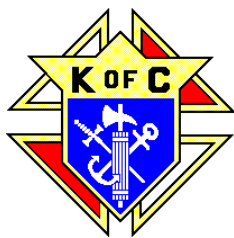
David M. Look, Food Drive Coordinator

Food Bank Representative



Email a copy of this document to: fraternalmission@kofc.org
(Councils should also retain a copy of this completed form for their files)

(See other side for instructions)



Knights of Columbus
St. Thomas More Council 7121
5205 A1A S
Saint Augustine FL 32080-8006

May 27, 2022

Supreme Council
Department of Fraternal Services
1 Columbus Plaza
New Haven, CT 06510

FOOD FOR FAMILIES REPORT FORM SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

St. Thomas More Council 7121 runs what we call the “**MORE THAN A FODD DRIVE**” program every two months at St. Anastasia Catholic Church in Saint Augustine Beach, Florida, from September through May. Large 1/6 bbl kraft paper grocery bags and/or donation envelopes are handed out by Brother Knights to people leaving Mass on the weekend before each Food Drive. The filled bags are collected the following weekend before each Mass, loaded into trucks, vans, or trailers for delivery to food banks. Monetary donations and gift cards are solicited only as direct donations to the food banks, not to the Knights of Columbus nor to the parish. Non-food items, such as blankets, sleeping bags, socks, work shirts, disinfectants, bug spray, toiletries and personal care items are also collected for the St. Anastasia parish Homeless Ministry, coordinated by Sr. Anne Halpin, OSP.

The food collections at each of the three weekend St. Anastasia Masses are designated to the three largest social services organizations in Saint Augustine:

St. Johns Ecumenical Ministry Food Pantry, P.O. Box 860191, St Augustine FL 32086-0191

Phone: (904) 824-2070

St. Francis Housing Crisis Center, 70 Washington St, St Augustine, FL 32084-4921

Phone: (904) 829-8937

Catholic Charities of St Augustine, P.O. Box 543, St. Augustine FL 32085-0543

Phone: (904) 829-6300

For fraternal year 2021-2022, the four Council 7121 food drives collected **8934 lb of food**, with cash and gift card donations totaling **\$31,895**, as shown in ATTACHMENT 1. All Food Drive monetary donations go directly and immediately to the food banks and the Homeless Ministry. Other supporting documentation includes a copy of the flyer attached to the food drive handout bags and the donation envelopes handed out (ATTACHMENT 2), and supporting documentation from each of the five food drives (ATTACHMENTS 3.1 – 3.5). If further verification is required, please contact the St. Anastasia Catholic Church parish manager, Dr. Brian Schoonover, 904-471-5364, email admin@saccfl.org.

Since Council 7121 has met the requirements for a refund of \$100 from the Supreme Council for every \$500 / 1,000 pounds of food contributed by at least a factor of 63 / 9, we wish to claim the maximum fraternal year rebate of \$500. Not included in these totals are over one hundred large bags of non-food homeless item such as gently used clothing, shoes, new adult sized socks & undergarments, yoga mats, travel size soap& shampoo and feminine items. In further satisfaction of the “Featured Program Requirements” specified on Form 10057, Council 7121 also supports Dining With Dignity, preparing and feeding a meal for the homeless on the 3rd Sunday of every month in downtown St. Augustine. Please forward the rebate check and 2022 plaque date sticker to Council 7121 Worthy Financial Secretary Rick Cozby, 433 Marsh Point Circle, St. Augustine, FL 32080-5865

Fraternally,



David M. Look, PGK
Food Drive Coordinator

ATTACHMENT 1: SUMMARY REPORT OF FOOD COLLECTED AND DONATIONS

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 7121 FOOD DRIVE REPORT			
Fraternal Year 2021-2022			
Date	Ministry	Food (lb)	Donations
07/28/21	Homeless Ministry	0	\$ 1,000.00
09/26/21	St. Johns Ecumenical Food Pantry	300	\$ 450.00
	St. Francis House	600	\$ 2,210.00
	Catholic Charities	626	\$ 710.00
	Homeless Ministry	240	\$ 1,585.00
11/15/21	St. Johns Ecumenical Food Pantry	300	\$ 520.00
	St. Francis House	600	\$ 1,825.00
	Catholic Charities	450	\$ 1,350.00
	Homeless Ministry	250	\$ 1,790.00
01/23/22	St. Johns Ecumenical Food Pantry	500	\$ 650.00
	St. Francis House	600	\$ 1,715.00
	Catholic Charities	378	\$ 2,870.00
	Homeless Ministry	500	\$ 2,705.00
03/27/22	St. Johns Ecumenical Food Pantry	500	\$ 595.00
	St. Francis House	400	\$ 3,050.00
	Catholic Charities	560	\$ 1,805.00
	Homeless Ministry	550	\$ 2,260.00
05/22/22	St. Johns Ecumenical Food Pantry	600	\$ 400.00
	St. Francis House	500	\$ 1,520.00
	Catholic Charities	300	\$ 725.00
	Homeless Ministry	180	\$ 2,160.00
	TOTAL	8934	\$ 31,895.00

ATTACHMENT 2: FOOD DRIVE BAG FLYER AND DONATION ENVELOPE

EMPHASIS SHIFTED DURING THE PANDEMIC FROM BAGS OF FOOD TO MONETARY DONATIONS. THE FOOD BANKS AND SOCIAL SERVICE MINISTRIES ARE MUCH MORE ADEPT AT LEVERAGING DONATIONS, AND CAN DO A MUCH BETTER JOB OF PROCURING FOOD IN BULK.

Publix is a dedicated corporate sponsor of local community activities, and graciously provides a bale of bags upon request for each food drive.



MORE THAN A FOOD DRIVE

“I AM MY BROTHER’S KEEPER”






THINGS OTHER THAN FOOD ARE ALSO NEEDED AND MUCH APPRECIATED

Please return this bag next weekend with:

1. **NON-PERISHABLE IN-DATE FOOD**, preferably canned or boxed, factory-sealed packaging only.
2. **PERSONAL CARE ITEMS FOR THE NEEDY AND HOMELESS**, such as socks, towels, shampoo, washcloths, toothpaste, toothbrushes, soap, laundry detergent, bug spray, sunscreen, sheets and blankets
3. **OR** take a **DONATION ENVELOPE** and return it with a monetary or gift card donation. Make checks payable to one of the four supported local food ministries:
 - St. Johns Ecumenical Ministries
 - St. Francis House
 - Catholic Charities of St. Augustine
 - Knights of Columbus Council 7121/
FOR: Homeless Ministry

THANK YOU to PUBLIX –
our food drive sponsor.
PLEASE PATRONIZE THEM.



Publix Donations - General Donation Application  
DGD21-0000089124   

JacksonvilleMCR@publix.com
to me ▾

Mon, Oct 18, 2021, 2:35 PM   

On behalf of Publix, we are proud to sponsor Knights of Columbus Saint Thomas More Council 7121.

Publix was founded in 1930 with the philosophy of being involved in our communities as responsible neighbors. We are proud to support your organization's endeavors to enrich the lives of those in our communities.

The following item(s) has been approved in support of your organization:

- One Bale of Paper Bags

Store 0336, Anastasia Plaza, will be in contact with your organization to coordinate pick up of the product. Store phone number: (904) 461-0231.

Thank you for thinking of Publix and best wishes for continued success!

Sincerely,
Suprena Dove
Jacksonville Community Relations
Publix Super Markets, Inc.
(904) 781-8600

#6 ENVELOPE PRINTED AND HANDED OUT SEPARATELY, ALONG WITH PAPER GROCERY BAGS

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

- St. Francis House
- St. Johns Ecumenical Ministries
- Catholic Charities of St. Augustine
- Knights of Columbus Council 7121 /
For: Homeless Ministry

*For the poor you will always have with you in the land.
Therefore, I command you “You shall open wide your hand, to your
brother, to the needy and the poor, in your land.” (Deut 15:7-11)*

ATTACHMENT 3: SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION FOR EACH OF THE FIVE COUNCIL 7121 FOOD DRIVES

ATTACHMENT 3-1: SEPTEMBER 2021 FOOD DRIVE



Everyday families are in need every day. The economic environment and the COVID-19 pandemic have left many seniors and families in need of groceries.

Hunger is usually assumed to be caused by homelessness, but hunger often looks like you or me. It affects kids, single moms, fathers trying to support their family and seniors on a fixed income.

Pick up your **grocery bag** or donation envelope **September 18th & 19th!**
Grocery bag collection **September 25th & 26th!**

We know that many of you have been staying home for your safety and the safety of your loved ones, but we also know that many of you want to help! **There ARE ways you CAN participate!**

1. You can purchase a Publix or Winn Dixie gift card or gas gift card or make a monetary donation to one of the 3 supported local food banks below (note "St. Anastasia Food Drive" in the memo) and mail your contribution directly to the food bank of choice.
2. You can purchase groceries using Publix or Walmart shopping services, schedule a time convenient for you to pick them up on Collection Weekend—**Sept. 25 & 26**—and come through the "drive-thru drop off lane".

If you are attending Mass and want to participate, a great way to fill your bags affordably is to utilize the grocery store "BOGOS"! Fill your bag(s) with NON-PERISHABLE, IN-DATE food. Canned or boxed food is preferred. For monetary donations, please make your check to one of the 3 supported local food banks below. **DO NOT** make checks out to St. Anastasia. **Please notate "St. Anastasia Food Drive" in the memo.**

Donations will be collected by the Knights of Columbus before each Mass on the weekend of **Sept 25 & 26** in the **drive-thru lane at the northeast corner of the St. Enda of Aran Formation Center only.**

St. Johns Ecumenical Ministries
P.O. Box #860191
St. Augustine, FL 32086

St Francis House
c/o St. Augustine Society, Inc.
1375 Arapaho Ave
St. Augustine, FL 32084

Catholic Charities St. Augustine Regional Office
P.O. Box 543
St. Augustine, FL 32085

The generous will be blessed, for they share their food with the poor.
—Proverbs 22:9

St. Anastasia Bulletin announcements started 4 weeks early – Sunday August 19, 2021, with the page-length kickoff announcement shown to the left.

Smaller announcements appeared in the bulletin each Sunday preceding the food drive on Sept. 25-26:

FALL FOOD DRIVE

Hunger is usually assumed to be caused by homelessness, but hunger often looks like you or me. It affects kids, single moms, fathers trying to support their family and seniors on a fixed income.

Pick up your **grocery bag** or donation envelope **Sept. 18th & 19th!** Grocery bag collection **Sept. 25th & 26th!**

For monetary donations, please make your check to one of the 4 supported local food banks below. **DO NOT** make checks out to St. Anastasia.

Donations will be collected by the Knights of Columbus before each Mass

St. Johns Ecumenical Ministries
P.O. Box #860191 St. Augustine, FL 32086

St Francis House
c/o St. Augustine Society, Inc.
1375 Arapaho Ave St. Augustine, FL 32084

Catholic Charities St. Augustine Regional Office
P.O. Box 543 St. Augustine, FL 32085

Knights of Columbus Council 7121/Homeless Ministry
benefitting the St. Martin de Porres Ministry w/Sr. Anne



FALL FOOD DRIVE
Bag distribution
Sept. 18th & 19th!
Bag collection
Sept. 25th & 26th!

For monetary donations, PLEASE DO NOT make checks out to St. Anastasia, please make your check to one of the 4 supported local food banks below. Donations will be collected by the Knights of Columbus before each Mass.

St. Johns Ecumenical Ministries

St Francis House

Catholic Charities St. Augustine Regional Office

Knights of Columbus /Homeless Ministry
benefitting the St. Martin de Porres Ministry w/Sr. Anne



Our recently-added fourth ministry also received some publicity in the parish newsletter



All loaded up!

Caroline Volk and George Hill are two of the many people who help Sister Anne Halpin in her ministry of helping the poor and homeless in our community through the St. Martin de Porres Room.

If you're interested in helping her sort and prepare things for pick up or delivery, stop by and see Sister Anne in the St. Martin de Porres Room located just off the Narthex.



FALL FOOD DRIVE Bag distribution THIS WEEKEND

Bag collection
Sept. 25th & 26th!

For monetary donations, Please make your checks payable to one of the 4 supported organizations below. Donations will be collected by the Knights of Columbus before each Mass.

- St. Johns Ecumenical Ministries
- St Francis House
- Catholic Charities St. Augustine
- Knights of Columbus / Homeless Ministry

benefitting the St. Martin de Porres Ministry w/Sr. Anne

ATTACHMENT 3-2: NOVEMBER 2021 FOOD DRIVE



HOLIDAY FOOD DRIVE
Bag distribution THIS WEEKEND!!!!
Bag collection NOV. 13th & 14th!

The Knights of Columbus will be holding the **ANNUAL HOLIDAY FOOD DRIVE** to provide groceries for those in most need in our community this holiday season! Please pick up your bag **THIS WEEKEND** and fill it with canned and non-perishable items to help needy families fill their holiday tables and return it next weekend for collection.

If you prefer to make a monetary or gift card donation, please pick up an envelope and return it next weekend for collection. **PLEASE DO NOT make checks out to St. Anastasia**, please make your check to one of the 4 supported local food banks below.

- ♦ [St. Johns Ecumenical Ministries](#)
 - ♦ [St Francis House](#)
 - ♦ [Catholic Charities St. Augustine](#)
 - ♦ [Knights of Columbus /Homeless Ministry](#)
benefitting the St. Martin de Porres Ministry w/Sr. Anne
- Donations will be collected by the Knights of Columbus before each Mass on Nov. 13 & 14.

*If you lavish your food on the hungry
and satisfy the afflicted;
Then your light shall rise in the darkness,
and your gloom shall become like midday*

HOLIDAY FOOD DRIVE SMASHES RECORD FOR DONATIONS

The parishioners and snowbirds of St. Anastasia started the Christmas giving season off with a bang as they set a new record for donations to the Council 7121 **MORE THAN A FOOD DRIVE** on Nov. 13-14. A grand total of **\$5485** in monetary donations and gift cards was received, beating the old record of \$4955 set in September. Over 1600 lb of food was also delivered in three truckloads to **St. Francis House, Catholic Charities, and St. Johns Ecumenical Ministries Food Pantry.**

Left: Sr. Anne received \$1720 to use any way she sees fit for the Homeless Ministry.

She says **THANK YOU!!**
Below (left): truck load headed to St. Francis House; (right) Catholic Charities load stored in the St. Cecelia Room.



Confirmation of 11/15/2021 food delivery to Catholic Charities

Food drive #'s

1 message

Tara Provini <tprovini@ccbstaug.org>

Tue, Nov 16, 2021 at 3:19 PM

To: David Michael <dave32080@gmail.com>, "admin (admin@sacclf.org)" <admin@sacclf.org>

We had a wonderful turnout for the food drive!

Total pounds was 457.2 with an estimated value of 818.39

Thanks again for everything you do!

Happy Thanksgiving.

TARA PROVINI

Administrative Manager

CATHOLIC CHARITIES BUREAU

St. Augustine Regional Office

525 SR 16 • Unit 112 • St. Augustine, FL 32084

904-829-6300, Ext. 712 • ccbstaug.org

ATTACHMENT 3-3: JANUARY 2022 FOOD DRIVE

January 9, 2022—The Baptism of The Lord

St. Anastasia
Catholic Church



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

There is much good and necessary work to be done in this world, and that's what Knights do every day. When the time is right, joining online is easy. Just visit kofc.org/joinus

St. Thomas the More Council #7121

The Knights of Columbus North Florida Office is currently seeking candidates for the position of Field Agent in this area. If you are self-motivated, people oriented person looking for a great career; this F/T insurance sales position could be for you. The position currently offers full benefits, 401K and a non-contributory retirement plan. If you are interested, please contact Jim Spinelli at 352-873-9417 or Joseph-GA.Spinelli

FOOD DRIVE
Bag distribution
January 15 & 16
Bag collection
January 22 & 23

For monetary donations, PLEASE DO NOT make checks out to St. Anastasia, please make your check to one of the 4 supported local food banks below. Donations will be collected by the Knights of Columbus before each Mass.

St. Johns Ecumenical Ministries
St Francis House
Catholic Charities St. Augustine Regional Office
 Knights of Columbus /Homeless Ministry
benefitting the St. Martin de Porres
Ministry w/Sr. Anne

ANOTHER RECORD SETTING FOOD DRIVE!!

Parish bulletin

February 13, 2022



THANK YOU to the parishioners and snowbirds of St. Anastasia for supporting the Food Drive held January 23-24 by the Knights of Columbus. **GOOD NEWS** – the volume of food donated remained high - almost 2000 lbs. In addition to large amounts of high-protein foods such as beans, rice, soup, peanut butter, and tuna, 2 carloads of personal care items were also collected. **EVEN BETTER NEWS:** Monetary and gift card donations soared to a new record \$7900, beating the previous record of \$5365 set last Thanksgiving. The big winner was Sr. Anne's Homeless Ministry, showered with \$2605.

These donations enable social service agencies – like St. Johns Ecumenical Ministries, St. Francis House, and Catholic Charities – to meet family crisis needs that cannot be met with food.

What a BLESSING!

Special thanks to Publix for their consistent support in providing bags for these drives. Thank you for your generosity! Next food drive will be held March 26-27.

Thank you email from Catholic Charities

#'s from food drive

1 message

Tara Provini <tprovini@ccbstaug.org>

Wed, Jan 26, 2022

To: David Michael <dave32080@gmail.com>, "admin (admin@saccfl.org)" <admin@saccfl.org>

Thanks again for another great food drive!

St. Anastasia collected 378.15# of food for an estimated value of \$676.89



TARA PROVINI

Administrative Manager

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ATTACHMENT 3-4: MARCH 2022 FOOD DRIVE

COUNCIL 7121 NEWSLETTER APRIL 1, 2022 – PRELIMINARY RESULTS

FOOD DRIVE STRIKES THE HEARTSTRINGS AGAIN!

The **MORE THAN A FOOD DRIVE** on March 26-27 resulted in around **1800 lb** of food (filling two trucks and two SUV's), and over **\$6200** in cash and gift cards (filling the stack of envelopes shown to the right).

More parishioners and guests are opting to make monetary donations to the food ministries, which is much more effective at meeting the needs of the homeless and hungry. Food is always needed, but cash gives food pantries the option to utilize resources that work best to solve crisis needs, some of which cannot be solved by food.

Thanks to Pat Petrick, Dennis Tucker, Chuck Nitsch, Nelson Jambard, Tim Buckley, Brian Foy, Fred Hernandez, and Tony lafrate for doing the heavy lifting. Thanks also to the 30 or so Brothers who contributed cash and/or food/homeless items.

From a "thank you" letter received from the January food drive: "I wish you could see the difference you make. I see it in the eyes of the individuals, families, and youth you help each day. Thank you from those who will never know your name but are so grateful for your generosity."

Below left: the load for Catholic Charities sitting in the St. Cecelia Room until being delivered on Monday when they are open. Right: Caroline Volk from Wildflower Clinic, Sheila Byrne and Sr. Anne fill two vehicles with non-food items for the Homeless Ministry



THANK YOU LETTER FROM CAROLINE VOLK, WILDFLOWER CLINIC

Thank you so much to the Knights of Columbus from all of us at the homeless ministry of St Anastasia. I work closely with Sister Anne and run to medical outreach clinics for the homeless population through the Wildflower Clinic. We identify the need, be it blankets, bug spray, bike lights, tents, flashlights - in fact, all of the above!! I use the funds you raise to buy whatever is the immediate need for the homeless and distribute it directly to them. Every penny you raise goes directly to where it is needed - and we are so very grateful for your ongoing support.

Thank you from

St Anastasia Homeless Ministry
and from our homeless neighbors
who benefit from your generosity!

With thanks

Caroline Volk.

“Thank You” email from Catholic charities:



David Michael <dave32080@gmail.com>

Food Drive #'s

1 message

Tara Provini <tprovini@ccbstaug.org>

Wed, Apr 6, 2022 at 2:02 PM

To: David Michael <dave32080@gmail.com>, "admin (admin@sacccfl.org)" <admin@sacccfl.org>

Hi Brian and Dave.

I just returned from vacation and realized I had forgot to send you the #'s before I left. I apologize!

The food donation was 520 pounds with an estimated value of \$930.80

Thank you both and the Knights, it was a great collection!

TARA PROVINI

Administrative Manager

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Parish bulletin announcement:

April 10, 2022—Palm Sunday

ST. ANASTASIA ALMSGIVING IN ACTION—A RECORD SETTING FOOD DRIVE!

THANK YOU to the parishioners and visitors of St. Anastasia for supporting the Knights of Columbus “More Than A Food Drive” held March 26-27. GOOD NEWS – the volume of food donated remained high - almost 2000 lbs., along with 2 carloads of personal care non-food items. GREAT NEWS: Monetary and gift card donations soared to a new record \$7420, beating the previous record of \$7245 set two months ago. The big winners were St. Francis House/Port In the Storm receiving \$3050 and Sr. Anne’s Homeless Ministry, showered with \$2060. These donations enable social service agencies to meet family crisis needs that cannot be met with food. Special thanks to Publix for their consistent support in providing bags for these drives. Thank you for your generosity!

ATTACHMENT 3-5: MAY 2022 FOOD DRIVE

First Holy Communion Weekend - May 8, 2022

COMING UP IN MINISTRY!

Help Us Feed The Hungry!



One Can!



Two Cans!



Who Can?



YOU Can!



The Knights of Columbus will be handing out empty grocery bags after all Masses **next weekend May 14 & 15!** Start shopping BOGO's now for non-perishable, IN-DATE food and personal care items for **the homeless**. Donations will be collected before all Masses the weekend of May 21-22 in the drive-thru lane of the Formation Center. Suggested personal items: socks, t-shirts, lip balm, sunscreen, insect repellent, yoga mats, top sheets, hand sanitizer, travel-sized soaps and powder. Canned or boxed food is preferred. In addition to food, cash and gift card donations are most appreciated.

For monetary donations, please write a check payable to one of the four supported ministries: **St. Johns Ecumenical Ministries, St. Francis House, Catholic Charities or Knights of Columbus Co. 7121/For: Homeless Ministry.**

FOOD DELIVERY:(left) Sr. Anne and Sheila Byrne fill one of the loads of non-food items; (center) 30 minutes later, the bags are put on the back loading platform at St. Francis House; (right): food bag delivery to St. Johns Ecumenical ministry Food Pantry



PARISH BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT:

GREAT GENEROSITY SHOWN IN FOOD DRIVE

THANK YOU to the parishioners and visitors St. Anastasia for supporting the **Knights of Columbus "More Than A Food Drive"** held May 21-22. Even with the snowbirds gone, the volume of donations is still impressive – 1600 lb of food, two carloads of non-food homeless items, and \$4,805 in monetary and gift card donations. The 5 food drives in the past year have collected nearly 9,000 lb of food and \$31,895. Your generous gifts help the local social service ministries meet unprecedented demand. Sr. Anne's Homeless Ministry remains the local favorite, taking in \$2,060, exactly the same as the March food drive. **Special thanks to Publix** for their consistent support in providing bags for these drives.

Thank you for your generosity! The Food Drive program takes the summer off, but people are still homeless and hungry. Donations may always be dropped off in the St. Martin de Porres Community Outreach Room Mon-Fri 8:30am-10:00am or 30 minutes after all weekend Masses.