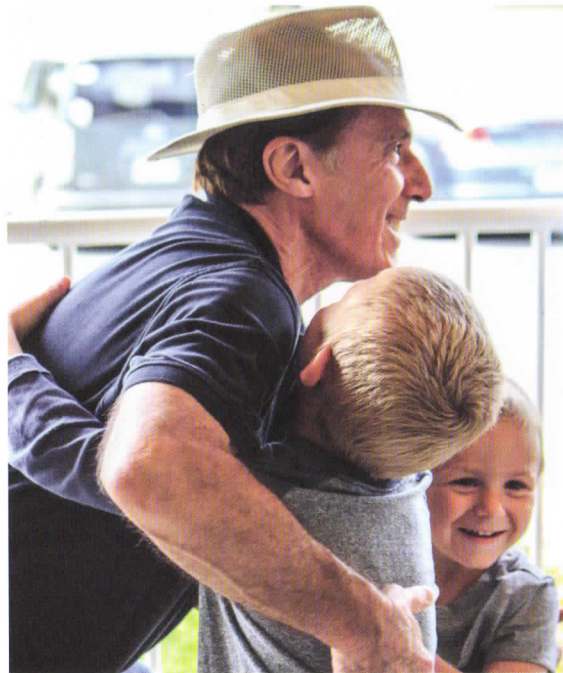


GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- We are mission passionate for feeding those in need
- We fight hunger, not just with food, but with knowledge of the issue
- We serve our clients compassionately and free of prejudice
- We act with integrity as we steward the resources entrusted to us
- We value collaborative partnerships – both internally and externally – which are the lifeblood of our success
- We are driven by the moral responsibility to uplift our community



BLESSINGS & HOPE FOOD PANTRY

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BECAUSE NO ONE SHOULD
GO HUNGRY

THE MISSION FOR BLESSINGS AND HOPE:

To package, distribute, and share food with ministries, churches, and families committed to building relationships in the community through food and acts of love.



HUNGER HAPPENS TO EVERYDAY PEOPLE, EVERY DAY.

Look around you. There's a good chance someone you see each day is hungry. In Lakeland, Bartow, Auburndale, Winter Haven, Plant City and the surrounding towns, people are food insecure, meaning they lack consistent and easy access to safe, nutritionally adequate food. And the problem isn't limited only to the homeless. Many who struggle to find adequate food are working adults, children and the elderly.



FACTS ABOUT FOOD INSECURITY

- Polk County is the second highest food insecure (not enough money to purchase food) county in the country.
- **16.7%** of county population
- Nearly **60 million people** in America (including almost one child in four) struggle to get enough to eat.
- Too often, we associate being hungry with negative stereotypes, such as being homeless or uneducated, when that couldn't be further from the truth.
- The new Hunger in America data humanizes the hungry in our community by showing they're largely families or seniors with homes.
- They truly are our neighbors, our friends, our fellow church members and our coworkers.

DONATE TO BLESSINGS & HOPE

Please consider how you can help us make a difference in people's lives and build the Kingdom of God together! Serving and empowering people to impact their communities to make the world a better place!

Blessings and Hope Food Pantry purchases food at discounted prices.

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