

SBIC MESSENGER
South Brunswick Interchurch Council
Monthly Newsletter – February 2024



Providing Help and Hope Since 1981

Publicity Chairperson Resigns

Myra Chapman has resigned as the SBIC Publicity Chairperson. Thank you so much for your service, Myra. If you or someone you know would like to serve as Publicity Chairperson, please let Mike Claxton know at mikeclaxton50@gmail.com.

Critical SBIC Open Board Position
Publicity Chairperson – Serve as the public voice of the SBIC.

THE LORDS FOOD PANTRY STATS FOR	
January 2024	
Number of People Served (Includes TEFAP)	
Children	440
Adults	602
Seniors	461
Total	1,503

The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP)

In January, we served 137 families, or 475 individuals (154 children, 202 adults, and 119 seniors).

Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP)

We received 80 boxes in January. We distributed all 80 boxes on January 13.

PORCH

The Lords Food Pantry received 3,159 lbs. of food in January from the PORCH collection.

Healthy Opportunities Program (HOP)

We delivered 35 HOP boxes in January.

Check us out at our website:
www.thelordsfoodpantry.org

Grants

The SBIC applied for two grants in January (BEMC and Focus) for \$2,500 each. SBIC members have been asked to come up with a list of projects to submit for grants.

Miles for Meals

Coastal Race Productions has partnered with the SBIC to collect food as Miles for Meals. The SBIC will have a booth the day before race day and runners will bring food when they pick up their race packet. This will be monthly through April 2024 and then begin again in October 2024. The next collection will be on February 16 at the St. James Community Center, 4136 Southport-Supply Road SE, from 2-7 p.m.

BSRI Parking Lot Closed

The BSRI Parking Lot will be closed on February 17, 24, March 2, May 18, and September 27, 2024.

The next General Board Meeting will be held on February 19 at 10:00 a.m. at The Lords Food Pantry, 3610 Express Drive, Shallotte. Masks are optional.

The next Executive Board Meeting will be held on March 18 at 10:00 a.m. at The Lords Food Pantry, 3610 Express Drive, Shallotte. Masks are optional.

