

SUMMER BACKPACK PROGRAM

The Summer Backpack Program is a FOOD program done in coordination with the Washington School District.

Students in the Washington School system that would normally receive supplemental food assistance during the year are eligible.

The Summer Backpack Program distributes boxes of food to each student's family, once a week during the summer months. The distribution is coordinated by Life Stream Church.

The Presbyterian Church of Washington has supported this program formally for three (3) years, giving both funding for perishable goods and delivery of non-perishable goods to Life Stream Church for packaging.

This year we are continuing to collect both funds and non-perishable goods. Funds can be provided to the office or donated in the area designated on Sundays. Non-perishable items can be brought in during weekly office hours or on Sunday. Some suggestions for non-perishable items follow, but remember no glass containers.

Canned Fruit
Soups
Canned meat (tuna, chicken, spam)
Spaghetti O's, Chef Boyardee, or similar pasta products
Mac and Cheese
Beef Stew
Cereal
Pop tarts



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