

The McLennan County Hunger Coalition presents

The September 2018 Hunger Calendar

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday


Thursday

Friday

Saturday



2 Test your Hunger IQ! Go to www.seedspublishers.org/hunger-statistics.




3 Start a neighborhood community garden.



4 Find a mentoring program where you can spend time with an at-risk student. Try Kid Hope: <https://kidshopeusa.org>.

5 Make plans to attend Mission Waco Jubilee Health Fair THIS SATURDAY, Sept. 8.

6 Call the Shepherd's Heart Food Pantry at 254-722-9517 and volunteer to help on Thursdays from 12:00 to 6:00.




7 Join the MCHC Advocacy meeting TODAY: 1:30 at Caritas. Call Buddy Edwards at 254/753-4593 ext 205.

1 Start a food journal and write down everything you eat for a month.

8 Volunteer with the Wheels of Sharing Mobile Pantry every second Saturday at 3300 Franklin from 10:00 to noon.


9 Be thankful for your food today and promise yourself that you'll do everything you can to see that everyone gets enough to eat every day.

10  Volunteer at the Caritas of Waco Food Pantry. Call 254/753-4593 ext 203.

11 Drink only water today and donate what you would have spent on drinks to the Salvation Army Community Kitchen. (254/756-7271)

12 Look in your closet and find something ORANGE to wear tomorrow for Hunger Awareness!

13 Come to the monthly McLennan County Hunger Coalition meeting at 11:45. (254/753-3545)



Don't forget to wear orange!

14 Eat lunch at the Gospel Cafe—10th & Cleveland—and listen to people's stories.



15 Take your kids to visit the World Hunger Relief, Inc. Training Farm (www.worldhungerrelief.org).

16 Get your congregation to start collecting canned goods for Food For Families on Nov. 16. Or call Andrew Bryngelson at 254-753-4593 ext 203 to volunteer that day!

17 Buy school uniforms for a homeless student. Call Seventh & James Baptist Church (753-5943) for more information.


18 Volunteer at the Wheels of Sharing Mobile Food Pantry at the Paul Quinn campus: 1020 Elm Street. 10 a.m. to 12 noon every third Tuesday.

19 Volunteer TODAY to fill weekend backpacks with  Erasing Hunger in McLennan County. packofhope@gmail.com 254/772-0975 www.packofhope.org

20 Go to bed hungry and pray for those who have to do so every night.

21 Don't eat between meals today.


22 Find out how SNAP (formerly Food Stamps) helps hungry people & the local economy. Call Esther Morales at 254/753-3545.



23 Join Mission Waco's Walk for the Homeless TODAY: 8:00 to 10:30 starting at the Meyer Center at 1226 Washington.

24 Take the SNAP Challenge! See if you can live on a SNAP food budget for a month. Go to www.feedingamerica.org for more info.

25 Volunteer to deliver meals for Meals on Wheels: 254/752-0316.



26  Donate dog or cat food to Meals on Wheels to help feed the constant companions of our seniors.

27 Organize your group to walk in the Heart of Texas CROP Hunger Walk on Nov. 11! Come to the Pizza & Prep Rally TODAY at noon at Caritas.

28 Write a letter about to your representatives in Congress about keeping SNAP benefits in the Farm Bill. Go to www.bread.org to find out how.

29 Volunteer or contribute to the Street Ministry's Street BBQ TODAY! Email tonya_tenberg@baylor.edu for info.

30 Look a homeless person in the eye.

Turn to the back for important anti-hunger events in October & November. For more information, go to www.mclennanhunger.org.



**Also put these October & November
dates on your calendar!**

Nov. 7-9:

Hunger Summit, Baylor University

Oct. 11:

McLennan County Hunger Coalition
regular meeting *at Caritas*

Nov. 11-17:

**National Hunger & Homelessness
Awareness Week**
(watch for the week's schedule)

Nov. 11:

Heart of Texas CROP Hunger Walk
Registration at 2:00
Step-off at 3:00
Bledsoe Miller Pavillion

Nov. 16:

Food For Families Food Drive
All Day at Local Stores

Nov. 17

Turkey Trot
benefiting The Cove