

Dear St. John's Family,

April 16, 2020

We hope this finds you well. Like many of you, being sheltered in place has been difficult. With the COVID-19 pandemic swirling around us and with a surge of unemployment, programs providing food services are being overwhelmed. There is a great need in our community and several opportunities for us to make a difference. St. John's has been involved in a number of feeding ministries including: the downtown community through the Saturday breakfast program, service through the Food Hub, and our own food pantry on our campus. All these ministries are viable connections to those who are hungry and are worthy of a special gift as they attempt to meet the needs of the community during this difficult time.

Here are four ways to give:

- 1. Give to ALERT (All Lancaster Episcopal Response Team) Make out a check payable to "St. John's Episcopal Church Marietta" (with ALERT in the memo line) and mail to St. John's Episcopal Church, 239 E. Market Street, Marietta, PA 17547. (Note The Marietta church functions as the banker for ALERT)
- 2. Give to the Lancaster County Food Hub visit their website and donate online. Link: Lancaster Food Hub
- 3. Give to the Anchorage Breakfast Program visit their "Go Fund Me" page to donate: Anchorage Breakfast Program
- 4. Give to the St. John's foodbank (monetary contributions and food welcome. Food can be placed on the back porch of Becker House staff collect it daily).

Many thanks in advance for supporting these programs which support the most vulnerable in our community! Any questions contact Dave Martin or Don Durand.

Eastertide Blessings,

Dave Martin and Don Durand Representatives to ALERT from St. John's

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