

Logan County Good Samaritan 2023 YEAR IN REVIEW

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NOTES FROM THE DIRECTOR

2023 has been another year of increases! Financial Assistance increased almost double over last year. People assisted increased monthly.

Our partnership with Feeding America has allowed us to provide a full range of healthy foods including meats and fresh vegetables to our neighbors in need.

Be sure to see the "Hunger in Logan County" section included to see what we are doing and how Feeding America is committed to supporting us in our mission to ensure no one goes to bed hungry in Logan County.

I hope the next few pages will tell our story in a captivating way and encourage you to continue or start supporting our organization! Please continue to pray for Logan County Good Samaritan's success and that the programs offered are a blessing to those in need and our community in general.

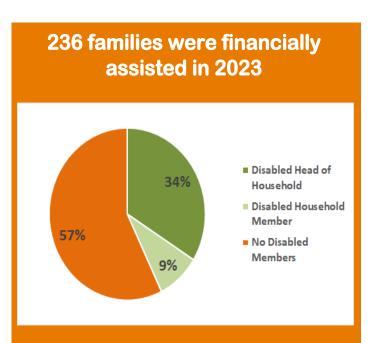
Thank you and God bless!

Denise McDonald, Executive Director



2,578
TOTAL UNDUPLICATED NUMBER OF PEOPLE SERVED

1,596
SENIORS, DISABLED
AND CHILDREN SERVED



\$40,852

TOTAL FINANCIAL

ASSISTANCE

PROVIDED

AVERAGE AMOUNT OF ASSISTANCE PER FAMILY

LOGAN COUNTY GOOD SAMARITAN

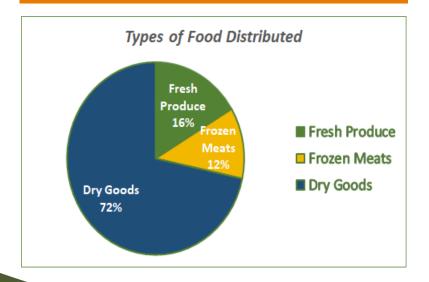
Russellville City Water Discount for Low-Income Seniors/Disabled

This program provides a monthly \$10 discount to those who qualify.

53 families benefitted from this program in 2023.

The City of Russellville provided a total of \$5,850 in discounts.

If you know of someone who may qualify for this, encourage them to apply!



VITA Tax Program
Volunteer Income Tax Assistance

In 2023, the LCGS tax office completed 360 tax returns for tax year 2022.

Assuming average tax return prep / fees of \$250, this program saved these taxpayers \$90,000 in fees.

An additional 15 prior year returns were completed for an additional \$3,750 in savings.

LCGS is very blessed to be able to offer meats and fresh produce to our neighbors in need.

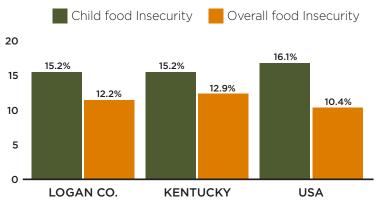
38,800 POUNDS OF MEAT DISTRIBUTED

53,367
POUNDS OF FRESH
PRODUCE DISTRIBUTED



HUNGER IN LOGAN COUNTY





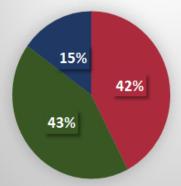
Source: Map the Meal Gap 2023

FOOD INSECURITY

Food insecure households are not necessarily food insecure all of the time. Food insecurity may reflect a household's need to make trade-offs between important basic needs, such as housing or medical bills, and purchasing nutritionally adequate foods.

LOGAN COUNTY GOOD SAMARITAN 2023 FOOD DISTRIBUTIONS

Logan County Good Samaritan Food Distributed



- Government Commodities
- (value \$223,900) ■ Retail & Private
- Donations (value \$258,576)
- Purchased by LCGS (cost \$38,487)

325,077

POUNDS OF FOOD DISTRIBUTED

270,898

MEALS PROVIDED IN LOGAN COUNTY

Value Breakdown = \$1.57 per pound for govt. commodities and \$1.93 per pound of donated food.

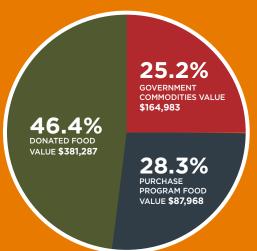
1.2 pounds of food = 1 meal.

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TOTAL FEEDING AMERICA 2023 INVESTMENT = \$634,239

VIA FEEDING AMERICA, KENTUCKY'S HEARTLAND
PARTNERSHIP





427,799

POUNDS OF FOOD DISTRIBUTED



356,499

MEALS PROVIDED IN LOGAN COUNTY

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LCGS IS NOT THE ONLY FEEDING AMERICA
PARTNER IN LOGAN COUNTY BUT IS THE LARGEST
DISTRIBUTOR OF FOOD IN LOGAN COUNTY.

LCGS HAS HELD THE COUNTY CONTRACT FOR GOVERNMENT COMMODITIES SINCE 2000.

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EVERY DOLLAR COUNTS! HOW CAN YOU HELP?

Private Donations
Food and monetary donations are
always much appreciated.

Volunteer
Volunteers needed! One day a
week can make such a
difference!

Through your church or group or organization
Support or plan a fundraiser.
Serve as a Board member.

PLUS ONE
Add \$1 a month to your electric
bill. Contact your electric

company to enroll.

Donate used ink cartridges
Each cartridge is worth \$2
towards
office supplies!

United Way
Donate through payroll if offered.
Support UW sponsored events.

DONATE NOW!



Logan County Good Samaritan is a Christian benevolent organization funded by participating churches in our area, private donations, and United Way. We strive to provide, upon proper evaluation, assistance of food, emergency housing, or household necessities for residents of Logan County. We assist clients in locating the proper local and state agencies to meet their needs.

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