

BREAD OF HOPE

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION AND PROCEDURES

The Bread of Hope initiative provides unsold bread from Lakewinds Cooperative to Hope Presbyterian Church for the Loaves and Fishes evening meal. The Rotary, Optimists and Lions Clubs along with Headway Family Services each deliver bread one day per week, with Rotary delivering on Thursdays.

Pick-up and Delivery Procedures

Lakewinds Food Co-op at 6420 Lyndale Ave. in Richfield will have the bread ready for pick-up any time after 7:00 AM until 2:00 PM. There is no delivery on National Holidays.

Go to the loading dock area on the southwest end of the building. At the main door you will see a buzzer. Push the buzzer and wait for a long beep. Once you hear the beep, pull hard on the door handle to open. If the door buzzer does not respond, go to the customer service desk in the store and tell them you are there to pick up day-old bread for delivery to Hope Presbyterian for distribution during the evening Loaves and Fishes dinner.

Once inside the door, you'll see one or more carts in the long hallway. Look for one or more large bags of unwrapped bread and rolls, which are intended for distribution through Bread of Hope. (Any bread products that are wrapped are intended for pick-up by VEAP.)

Deliver the bags of unwrapped bread to Hope Presbyterian Church, 7132 Portland Ave So. Drive into the parking lot off Portland and enter Door #1 (by the stop sign). You'll see the church office on your left and hallways straight ahead and to the right. Walk a short way down the hallway on your right to Room H132. Place the bags of bread on one of the tables in H132.

Key Contacts if you have questions or problems:

Lakewinds Co-op: Contact Cari at 612-814-8012 or caris@lakewinds.com

Hope Presbyterian: Cindy Forsgren, Administrative Assistant, 612-866-4050 X 3110 or the custodian at 612-325-4057

Loaves and Fishes – Trevor Koch, Site Coordinator, 612-869-7700 or hopechurch@loavesandfishesmn.org