

DONATIONS WELCOME

Many local organisations welcome:

- Non-perishable food
- Fresh produce
- Blankets and warm clothing
- Toiletries
- Financial donations
- Volunteers

Together we can strengthen food security and community wellbeing across North Canterbury.



Prepared collaboratively by Social Services Waimakariri and local community organisations across North Canterbury.
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WHAT'S INSIDE

This brochure brings together local food banks, community pantries, meals, and support services so you know where to turn.

Inside you'll find:

- Where to get food support
- Where to connect socially
- Who to contact for help
- What services are available

Many services can also connect you to budgeting support, clothing, bedding, community meals, and wellbeing services.



Please reach out early.
Support is available.

Need Food or Support?

You are not alone.
Support is available across North Canterbury.

Your local community is here to help.



WAIMAKARIRI FOOD BANKS & FOOD SUPPORT

Hope Community Trust – Rangiora

03 928 3066
thehopecommunitytrust.org/food-bank-form
Tues-Fri 10am-2pm
By appointment. Emergency food boxes available. Contact: Tracy Pirie

Salvation Army – Rangiora

03 313 2370
rangiora.corps@salvationarmy.org.nz
Tues-Thurs 10am-2pm. Walk-ins welcome.
Contact: Diane Stevens
Kai Connect: Wed 12:15-1:15pm
12 Ashley Street, Rangiora

St Vincent de Paul – Rangiora

021 0832 5454
vickildm@hotmail.com
Weekdays during business hours.
Contact: Vicki Turnbull

Mountain Meadow

03 312 1967 / 022 134 0011
Pop-up table: Dudley Park Wed 2:30-3pm
Special focus: Gluten free, FODMAP,
Peanut free, Meat free, Allergy-sensitive
jackie@mmct.co.nz

Oxford Community Trust

03 312 3006
www.oxfordcommunitytrust.co.nz
Mon-Fri 9am-3pm. No appointment needed.
Contacts: Jo or Sandy
Free Food Top-Ups: Fri 1:30pm
Opposite 37 Main Street, Oxford

KAIAPOI & SURROUNDING SERVICES

Community Wellbeing Kaiapoi

0800 88 34 88
foodbank@wellbeingnc.org.nz
Mon-Fri 10am-2pm
Please ring ahead. Walk-ins permitted.
Contacts: Jane or Julie

St Vincent de Paul – Kaiapoi

027 344 0013
mev.brown@hotmail.com
Mon-Fri 9am-5pm
Contact: Maryanne Brown

0800 Hungry

0800 HUNGRY
Delivery: Kaiapoi, Brooklands, Kainga,
Spencerville & Belfast
\$5 donation requested.

Riverside Community Church

office@riversidechurch.org.nz
03 327 69817 (Tues-Fri 9am-1pm)
Food Boxes: Thurs 1:45-2pm
Available for food bank workers.

Waimak Open Door – Riverside Church

Tues & Thurs 10am-1pm
Morning tea & lunch, food to take home,
social connection, homeless support,
bedding & clothing, disabled support.

Person to Person Help Trust

audrey@p2pkaiapoi.org.nz
Friday Fula Kai Lunches 10am-12:30pm
Monday Mingle 10am-11am
Tues Waka iti Playgroup 9:30-11:30am
Creative Catalyst: 1st & 3rd Thurs 10-12

HURUNUI FOOD BANKS & FOOD SUPPORT

Amberley Food Bank

022 140 8067
amberleyareafoodbank@gmail.com
Wed & Thurs. Requests preferred earlier
in the week. Cut-off prior to midday.
Contacts: Belinda or Johanna

Inspire Pantry – Amberley

027 210 9171 / 022 494 8607
inspirechurchamberley@gmail.com
Open Tues, Thurs & Fri
Food parcels pick up at 2pm

Living Waters Food Bank – Waikari

027 656 6351
thewayministries@xtra.co.nz
Mon & Thurs 10:30am-2pm
Walk-ins welcome.
Contact: Kayren Hatherell

HURUNUI COMMUNITY MEALS

Community Dinner

3rd Wed of month, 6-8pm
St John's Hall, 66 Carters Rd, Amberley
Deb 021 859 981 / Jenny 022 171 5076

Community Lunch (seniors)

4th Mon of month
Holy Innocents Church Hall
7 Church St, Amberley
Contact Judy 027 602 3919

Leithfield Lunch (seniors)

2nd Wed of month from 11:30am
Leithfield Community Hall
Contact Judy 027 602 3919