

LUNCH BREAK ANNUAL REPORT

2024



OUR NUMBERS



COMMUNITY KITCHEN

132,497 meals served



YOUR CHOICE PANTRY

35,228 food pick ups

7,324 meals delivered to the homebound



CLARA'S CLOSET

1,613 bags of clothing distributed to those in need

24,104 individuals received clothing on an on-need basis

742 people outfitted through the Suit Up for Success Program



VOLUNTEERS

2,453 caring volunteers

50,643 volunteer hours dedicated



ALLIANCE FOR SUCCESS

35 enrolled high school students

36-48 students per workshop

45 volunteer mentors



FAMILY PROMISE OF MONMOUTH COUNTY

We saw an unprecedented demand for housing in 2024

16 Families in the Shelter Program

202 Families in Prevention

190 Families in Diversion

221 Families referred to other agencies



YOUTH SERVICES

1,589 toys given to children newborn to 12 years old

1,635 backpacks distributed to youth



LIFE SKILLS

Our program helps clients grow skills toward economic self sufficiency

Up to 136 people per month attended coaching sessions - 26 gained employment



HEALTH & WELLNESS

150 participants in transformative experiences

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Corporate volunteers from K-aj... help in the kitchen.

Some of our incredible volunteers in action at Lunch Break's Prom Giveaway, or suit at a time.

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At Lunch Break's Kids cooking class students gain confidence in the kitchen and learn healthy eating habits.

A family portrait of a family who has benefited from Lunch Break's services.

A volunteer in a grocery store helping a customer with their shopping.

OUR MISSION

As a caring community, Lunch Break freely provides food, clothing, life skills, and fellowship to those in need in Monmouth County and beyond.

OUR VISION

We envision a world where every human being has a healthy meal, a warm home, an open heart, and the resources to achieve one's unique potential.

OUR VALUES

We serve everyone with compassion and dignity.

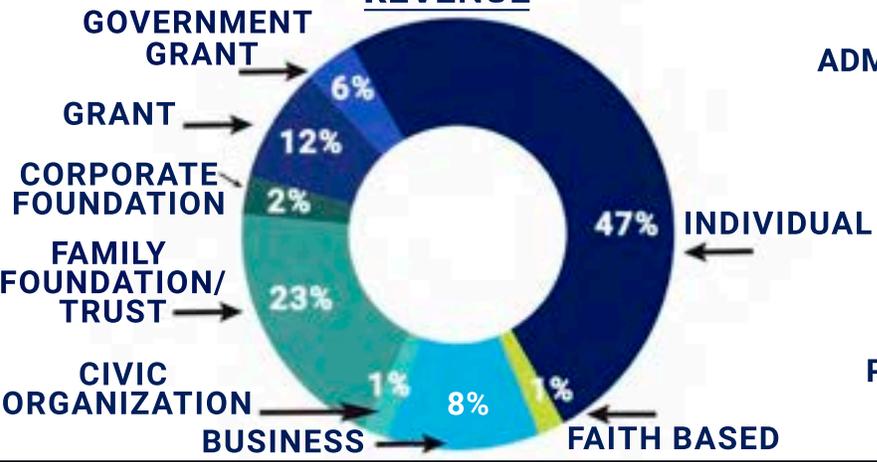
TESTIMONIALS

“ Thank you for everything you do. You guys are the heart of this world in these trying times you work tirelessly. ”

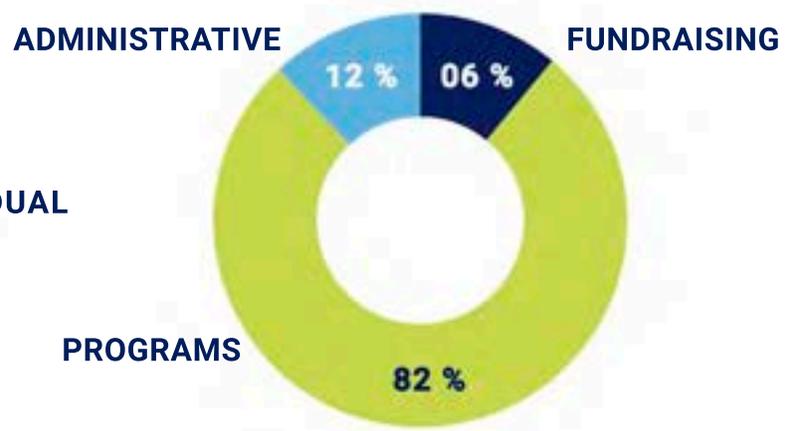
“ Living on Social Security can be challenging, especially when unexpected bills hit and food runs low at the end of the month. One Saturday, when my food stamps hadn't come in yet, Lunch Break provided a warm meal and food to take home, relieving stress and helping me get through until Tuesday. Thank you for being there when it truly mattered. ”

FINANCIALS

REVENUE



EXPENSES



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