

# Haywood County Food Resources

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Haywood County has many resources to help those in need, but it can be hard to know when and where. We hope this handout can help. Resources are always changing; we recommend contacting agencies about their services and schedules (dates may change because of holidays). Please email updates, changes, or additions to: [megan.hauser@haywoodcountync.gov](mailto:megan.hauser@haywoodcountync.gov).

## Food Pantries & Boxes

### Canton

#### **Bethel Baptist Church Necessity Pantry**

5868 Pigeon Rd, 828-648-4106  
2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesdays of each month from 3-4:30pm (NOT a food pantry, necessities ONLY: toiletries/hygiene products, etc) (next: [May 12](#))

#### **Beaverdam Community Center**

1620 N Canton Rd, 828-549-8560  
Every 4 weeks on a Wednesday 9-11am (free choice indoor pantry) (next: [May 6](#))

#### **Beulah Baptist Church**

483 Sunset Circle, 828-648-6505  
Mondays and Tuesdays from 11am-2 pm

#### **Feeding the Multitudes**

50 Azalea Dr, 828-276-6375  
Food boxes distributed by drive thru: Thursdays: 12pm - 2pm  
Special offerings- see Facebook page

#### **First United Methodist Church - Canton 30**

Newfound St, back of parking lot Outdoor Pantry, 24/7

#### **Morningstar United Methodist Church**

2535 Dutch Cove Rd, 828-648-2297  
Blessings Pantry across the street from the church, 24/7 w/ food and necessities

#### **North Hominy Community Development Association**

2670 Newfound Rd, 828-648-6082  
3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays from 9 to 10am (next: [May 21](#))

#### **The Community Kitchen**

143 Pandora Cir, 828-648-0014  
Shopping hours Monday-Friday, 10:30am-3pm (closed on major holidays).

#### **Pigeon River Garden Club**

Shelf-stable foods, personal care items, pet food.

#### **Mill Town Farmers Market**

Thursdays from 4-7, May-October  
8 Sorrells St.  
SNAP/EBT benefits are accepted and are doubled up to \$20 per market day.

### Clyde

**Fines Creek Community Development Association** (Fines Creek, Panther Creek,

White Oak residents only)

190 Fines Creek Rd, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>  
Thursdays, 9:30-10:30 a.m.  
(next: [May 14 and 28](#)) Direct questions to: [info@finescreek.org](mailto:info@finescreek.org)

#### **YMCA Mobile Market**

15 Facility Dr (Haywood Peds Office)  
828-775-7081  
2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays, 12-1 p (next: [May 8 and 22](#))

Fresh fruits and vegetables

#### **Crabtree United Methodist Church**

5405 Crabtree Rd Outdoor Community Pantry, open 24/7

#### **Clyde Central United Methodist**

**Church**, 410 Charles St., Clyde  
Open Tuesday-Saturday, 12pm-6m, eat-in or to-go

### Maggie Valley

#### **Maggie Valley United Methodist Church**

4192 Soco Rd, 828-926-8036  
Monday and Wednesdays 10am to 12pm

#### **Shady Grove UMC Outdoor Pantry**

3570 Jonathan Creek Rd, Waynesville, NC 28785 (By the picnic shelter) Open 24/7

### Waynesville

#### **Bethel Rural Community Pantry**

664 Sonoma Rd.  
2<sup>nd</sup> (Drive Through) and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays (You Choose), 9:00 to 10:00am (next: [May 13 and 27](#))

#### **First United Methodist Church - Waynesville**

140 Academy St., 828-456-9475  
Food pantry only: Monday 12-3p,  
Wednesday 5-6pm.

Full Access, Tuesday-Friday 8:30am-12pm: Client Choice food pantry, clothing, shoes, household items, showers, coffee, resource room, technology room.

Saturday Services: Showers/ coffee 7-9am;  
clothing/shoes/household

items- 7-10 am

hot breakfast- 8-9am;

Client choice food pantry- 8:30-10 am

#### **Grace Episcopal Church Food Pantry**

394 Haywood St, 828-456-6029  
Monday thru Friday: 10-11am  
Spanish speaking volunteers available on Thursdays & Fridays Little Pantry of Grace outdoor pantry Open 24/7 in the driveway on Miller St. **Indoor pantry closes permanently on May 8.**

#### **Haywood Christian Ministry**

150 Branner Ave, 828-456-4838  
No office visit needed before visiting pantry. NEW pantry hours: Monday 12-4 pm, Wednesday 9am-1pm and Friday 11-4pm. Full choice shopping system (pre-packed boxes still available). Hygiene and baby supplies available Monday-Friday, 9am-3pm. For those with mobility issues, ask for assistance at the food pantry lot.

#### **Haywood's Historic Farmers Market**

Saturdays, 9am - 12pm, Apr. – Dec. Located at 250 Pigeon St. Waynesville – (HART Theater Parking lot)

[www.Waynesvillefarmersmarket.com](http://www.Waynesvillefarmersmarket.com)

SNAP/EBT benefits are accepted and are doubled up to \$20 per market day.

#### **Mountain Projects**

2177 Asheville Rd., Waynesville  
Office hours: 7:30am-5pm, Monday-Thursday

#### **Pigeon Community Multicultural Development Center**

450 Pigeon St, Monthly distributions on third Wednesdays, 2-4 pm at Pigeon Center, 45 Pigeon Street, Waynesville. (next: [May 20](#))  
Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 11a-4:30p: food, supplies, and emergency food Monday-Friday 2-4 p.m. 828-452-7232

#### **Second Season**

156 Boundary St. - Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday: 9am-12pm

#### **The Salvation Army**

290 Pigeon St, 828-456-7111 ext. 1  
Mon/Weds/Thurs 10am-2pm: food pantry and clothing vouchers. Eligibility information required before making a rent or utility application appointment (T/F by appointment).

# More Haywood County Food Resources – Updated 4/29/2026

## **For seniors 60 and up: Mountain Projects Congregate Nutrition**

Dine-in only; Now open for in-person lunch & activities

M-F, 8:30am - 12:30pm

Call each site to reserve meals. *Donations accepted.*

**Maggie Valley Nutrition Site:** 3987 Soco Road (in the Maggie Valley Town Hall building) 828-788-1362

**Waynesville:** Waynesville Armory,

44 Boundary St. 828-452-7029

Ages <60 may reserve meals for \$5.00

### **Available to all:**

#### **Haywood Pathways Center - Waynesville**

179 Hemlock St, 828-246-0332

To-go supper @ 6:30 seven days/week

### **Haywood's Outdoor Pantries (See Facebook group for more locations)**

#### **Head Start– Waynesville Office**

489 Pigeon St Waynesville, Open 24/7

#### **Bethel Grocery**

5692 Pigeon Rd. Canton, Open 24/7

#### **Waynesville Wellness**

540 Dellwood City Rd, Waynesville,

Open 24/7

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## Other Resources

### **Local Food Guide:**

<https://asapconnections.org/find-local-food/local-food-guide/>

### **Haywood County Website:**

<https://www.haywoodcountync.gov/>

### **Health & Human Services Agency**

157 Paragon Parkway, Clyde

Monday - Friday 8a to 5 p

### **828-452-6620 – SOCIAL/ECONOMIC**

**SERVICES** (Food & Nutrition Services/Food Stamps, Meals on Wheels, Medicaid, etc)

Applications at HHSA or online:

<https://epass.nc.gov/CitizenPortal/application.do>.

### **828-356-2442- Meals on Wheels:**

<https://www.mowhaywoodnc.org/>

### **828-452-6675 – PUBLIC HEALTH**

Vaccines are available by appointment: Call 828-452-6675

### **828 356-2222 - Women Infants & Children Program (WIC) Office**

[www.haywoodcountync.gov/427/WIC-Nutrition-Program](http://www.haywoodcountync.gov/427/WIC-Nutrition-Program)

**Facebook Page: HaywoodNCWIC**

**Hope 4 NC: 1-855-587-3463**

**Stressed? Anxious? Call 24/7 if you're feeling overwhelmed or need to talk! Hope is on the line!**

### **Helping Hands of Haywood**

828-508-3420, Emergency shelter for families with children, people with injuries, and freezing weather/floods.

### **Haywood Public Transit:**

828-565-0362, Mon-Friday 6a-5:30p (7a -5p for the urban route)

### **B.E.A.R Closet: Baby Equipment and Resources - 678-332-7620**

2530 Crymes Cove Rd, Waynesville 1st & 3rd Thursdays: 2:30-5:30p

### **North Hazelwood Baptist Church**

809 Hazelwood Ave, 828-452-4969

3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday, 9-11a

Baby ministry: food/formula, diapers, etc.

### **NC State Resources Hotline: Dial NC 2-**

**1-1 or visit [www.nc211.org](http://www.nc211.org)**

### **Child Care Assistance: 1-888-**

**600-1685**

### **Report a Scam: 1-877-5-NO-SCAM**

### **Small Business Helpline: 1-800-659-2955**

### **Haywood Cooperative Extension Office:**

828-456-3575

<https://haywood.ces.ncsu.edu/>

Cooking, food safety/preservation, farm and

farm worker support

**Uncomplicated Kitchen (Learn how to plan meals, shop ingredients, and cook healthy and affordably):**

<https://www.uncomplicatedkitchen.org/upcoming-events>

Call **2-1-1** or visit **nc211.org** to find resources for housing, food, healthcare, utilities, disaster assistance, caregiving, and more!



**Just Breathe: A tool to reduce stress and anxiety**