

BACKPACK MINISTRY

FEEDING CHILDREN IN OUR COMMUNITY

THE BACKPACK MINISTRY AT MIDTOWNE CHURCH PROVIDES MEALS TO SCHOOL-AGE CHILDREN, ON WEEKENDS AND HOLIDAYS, WHO WOULD OTHERWISE GO WITHOUT.

THE “KID-FRIENDLY” READY-TO-EAT FOOD IS DELIVERED TO PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS AT NO COST TO THE CHILD’S FAMILY OR THE SCHOOL. THROUGH PROGRAM COORDINATORS, THE FOOD IS DISTRIBUTED TO STUDENTS WHO DISPLAY EDUCATIONAL, PHYSICAL, OR EMOTIONAL PROBLEMS AT SCHOOL DUE TO HUNGER AT HOME.

THE BACKPACK MINISTRY FEEDS OVER 400 CHILDREN EACH WEEK FROM LOCAL SCHOOLS. MOST OF THE CHILDREN RECEIVE 4 MAIN MEALS, 2 BREAKFAST ITEMS, AND 4 SNACKS EACH FRIDAY FOR THE WEEKEND. THIS EQUATES TO 1,300 MAIN MEALS, 650 BREAKFAST ITEMS, AND 1,300 SNACK ITEMS PER WEEK.

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**LISTED BELOW ARE THE BACKPACK MINISTRY
APPROVED FOOD ITEMS THAT WE NEED!**

**RAMEN NOODLES • CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP •
RAVIOLI • SPAGHETTIOS • BOXED MAC 'N CHEESE
• BEANEE WEENIES • VIENNA SAUSAGES • CANNED
CORN • GREEN BEANS • POP TARTS • CEREAL BARS
• INSTANT OATMEAL PACKETS • CRACKERS •
CHIPS • FRUIT SNACKS • PUDDING CUPS •
APPLESAUCE CUPS**