

Thanksgiving Basket Grocery Shopping List

(for family of 2-6 people)



One can each of:

- Corn
- Green beans or collard greens
- Yams or sweet potatoes
- Cranberry sauce
- Fruit
- Chicken broth
- Turkey gravy
- Pie filling (*apple, pumpkin, cherry, etc.*)
- Juice (*large size can of cranberry, grape, etc.*)

Plus:

- Box of macaroni or boxed macaroni and cheese
- Small bag of potatoes (*5-lb.*)
- Package of rice
- Package of cornbread mix
- (2) Packages of stuffing (*6 oz. each*)
- Package of rolls
- Box of tea bags (*small*)
- Graham cracker pie crust
- Evaporated milk
- Can of coffee (*small*)
- Seasonings: (e.g., salt, black pepper, garlic powder, onion powder, sazón)
- Pasta sauce (traditional flavor)
- Can of kidney beans or pidgeon peas
- Soups (all varieties, but especially cream of chicken and mushroom)
- Snack foods (*cookies, cakes, crackers, chips*)
- \$25 grocery gift card** for meat and other perishables
(*suggested: Price Rite, C-Town, Stop & Shop, Save-A-Lot, Aldi's Supermarket*)

We do have clients who are diabetic and would appreciate some items that are sugar free.

IMPORTANT!

There is NO refrigeration available for us to keep perishable items. Please do not add items that could spoil like meat, eggs, milk, pie shells, etc. and check all items for usable expiration dates.

Please provide your own basket. Families love receiving their food in laundry baskets or plastic storage bins that can be repurposed. Make the basket as plain or fancy as you like. If wrapping the basket in cellophane, please bring in the gift card separately.

Baskets may be dropped off **Monday, November 20, 2017, 3:00 to 6:00 pm, at the Friendship Service Center, 85 Arch Street, New Britain, CT 06051, Phone: 860-225-0211.**

Questions? Contact:

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Have a Happy Thanksgiving!
And, thank you for being a blessing to others.