Local Portage Township Food Pantries 2026

Church of Jesus Christ	791 Juniper Rd. Valparaiso, IN 46385	4th Friday of each month 5-7p	No residency requirements. Requires driver's license for identification.	219-928-0808
Food Bank of Northwest Indiana	6490 Broadway Merrillville, IN 46410	Order ahead food lockers: Visit: foodbanknwi.org/order-ahead-locker	Mobile market schedule on a first come first serve basis. Visit www.foodbanknwi.org or for text alerts text: MARKET to 219-500-6464	219-980-1777
YMCA of Portage Township	3100 Willowcreek Rd. Portage, IN	Monday-Friday 2:15-4:15p (supper) 6:30-7:00p (snack)	School aged children grades K-12. **Portage Library- Tuesday and Friday 3:00- 4:00 pm**	219-762-9622
House of Prayer Church	2738 Blake Rd. Portage, IN 46368	2nd Saturday/ mo. 10a-12p, 2nd Thursday/ mo. 1-2p	Porter County residents only. Must provide ID, curbside pickup, first come first serve basis.	219-938-2208
Iglesia Evangelical De Cristo	5929 Stone Ave. Portage, IN 46368	2nd Saturday of each month 9-11a	Porter County residents only.	219-734-6651
Nativity of our Savior	2449 Willowcreek Rd. Portage, IN 46368	2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month 9-11a	Presently available to anyone in need; However, they would prefer a referral from the Portage Township Trustee's office.	219-713-8109
Portage Township Food Pantry	3590 Willowcreek Rd. Portage, IN 46368	1st, 2nd, 4th Thursdays/mo. 10a-12p 3rd Thursday/mo. 4-6p	Portage Township residents only. Please contact the Portage Township Trustee to apply for a voucher. Participants can go 2x per month.	219-762-1623
The Salvation Army	799 Capitol Rd. Valparaiso, IN 46385	Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday 1-3p	Porter County residents only. Bread and sweets are also distributed subject to availability during business hours M-Th 9am-4pm Fri-9am-1pm	219-762-9191
V1 Church	6322 Portage Ave. Portage, IN 46368	Every last Wednesday of the month 4-6p Every second Saturday 10a-1:30p	Porter County residents only. Must provide ID, first come first serve basis.	219-390-9822
Helping Hands	793-4 Juniper Rd, Valparaiso, IN 46385	Every 2nd & 4th Monday, 4-6p		

Blessing Boxes

First United Methodist Church 2637 McCool Rd. Portage, IN 46368 **Blessing Box, 24 hours. Hot Meal, last Wednesday of the month from 4pm-6pm**	**Portage Christian Church** 5880 Evergreen Ave. Portage, IN 46368 **Blessing Box, 24 hours**