

# LASALLE PARISH

IMPACT REPORT FY22: July 1, 2021—June 30, 2022

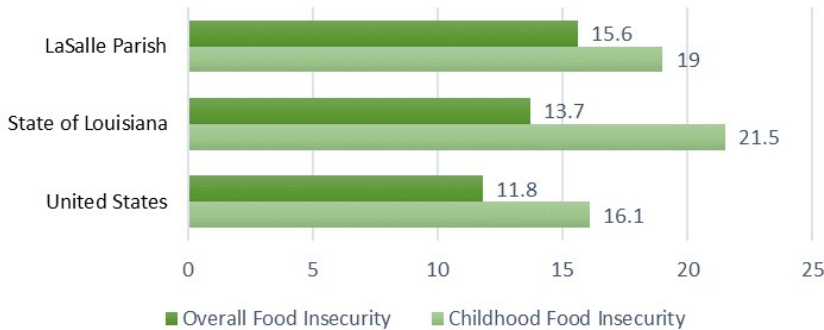
FOOD BANK  
OF CENTRAL  
LOUISIANA



## Food Insecurity

Food insecurity is defined as not having access to enough food for an active, healthy life. Louisiana ranks fourth in the nation for overall food insecurity, and first for food insecurity among children. LaSalle Parish is in line with Louisiana state averages.

Estimated Food Insecurity Rates  
(% of Population)



## Food Bank Partner Agencies

These local programs provide groceries and meals to those in need in their communities.

### LaSalle Baptist Ministries

2618 North 1st Street, Jena  
318-992-8864

### Love's Lighthouse Ministries

135 Mayhaw Lane, Jena  
318-316-1204

**127,141**

Meals Provided

## Feeding Families



Partner Agency Programs provided **152,569 pounds** of food to neighbors through food pantries, meal programs, shelters, and community services.

## SNAP Assistance

SNAP Assistance helped **65 families** complete & submit applications for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (Food Stamps).



**16%**

Nearly one in six LaSalle Parish residents is food-insecure

## Food Bank Board

Lottie Bash	Christina Hathorn	Marie Simpson
Ronny Briley	Tim Holloway	Todd St.Romain
Gary Brown	Kent Lachney	Cornelia Sutton
Brian Couvillon	Krystal Rachal	Kelli West
Joe Gardner	Mandy Scoggin	Robert Willett

**152,569**

Pounds Distributed

## Strengthening Children

School Gardens at **Goodpine Middle School** and **Jena Elementary** taught kids how to grow their own produce and enabled them to taste many foods new to them.



## Nourishing Seniors



**32 fifty-pound Grocery Boxes** were provided to neighbors aged 65 or older participating in the Senior Program.

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