

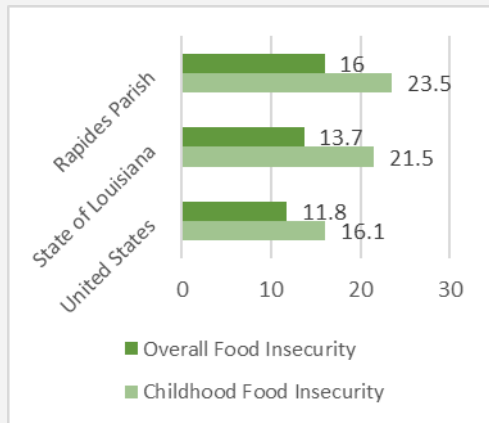
# RAPIDES PARISH

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

FOOD BANK  
OF CENTRAL  
LOUISIANA



## Food Insecurity (% of Population)



**4,031,028**

Meals Provided

## Feeding Families



**Mobile Food Pantries** in Boyce, Flatwoods, Glenmora and Oak Hill served families with food and grocery distributions each month.

**Partner Agency Programs** provided **805,330 pounds** of food to neighbors through their food pantries and meal services.



**19 Community Gardens** across the Parish provided neighbors training and space to grow their own food.

**Disaster Response** efforts distributed **9,496 pounds** of food to sheltered evacuees after Hurricane Ida.



**SNAP Assistance** helped **326 families** complete & submit applications for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (Food Stamps).

## Food Bank Partner Agencies

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

- Amiable Baptist Church
- Ball Community Food Pantry
- Buckeye Food Pantry
- Cenla Community Action Committee
- Christian Love Church
- CLASS
- Clifton-Choctaw Community
- First Union Community Church
- Good Hope Baptist Church
- Greater St. Lawrence Church
- Hope House
- Lone Star Baptist Church
- Main Street Mission
- Manna House
- Nazarene Missionary Baptist
- New Life Christian Fellowship
- Philadelphia Baptist Church
- Pineville Youth Center
- Renaissance Home for Youth
- Salvation Army
- St. Mary's Training Center
- The Extra Mile
- True Vine Baptist Church

## 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

**16%**

More than  
one in six  
Rapides Parish  
residents is  
food-insecure

**4,837,233**

Pounds Distributed

## Strengthening Children

**The Backpack Program** at **14 schools and youth programs** provided food for **643 children** to take home on weekends.



**School Gardens** at **26** Rapides Parish schools taught kids how to grow their own produce.

**2,150 Meals for Kids** were served through June 30 in the Summer Food Service Program at nine Rapides Parish Libraries.



## Nourishing Seniors



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

**1,645 CSFP Boxes** were distributed to seniors in the USDA Commodity Supplemental Food Program.



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