



September Resources



Resources in or near northern Kent County 2023

Distributions & Events at North Kent Connect

10075 Northland Dr NE, Rockford, MI 49341 ~ (616) 866-3478

The NKC building will be closed from Saturday, 9/2 through Monday, 9/4, in honor of Labor Day.

SENIOR MONTHLY COMMODITIES by Kent County

Monday, September 18 from 12pm - 2pm (outside on south side of NKC building)

- Open to Kent County Residents 60+ who meet income requirements.
- Please see an NKC case manager to complete an application for this program.

SENIOR PANTRY by Meals on Wheels

Thursday, September 21 from 10am - 12pm (NKC Classroom, north entrance)

- Open to Kent County Residents 60+ who meet income requirements.
- Photo ID & proof of income required for registration.
- Please call Meals on Wheels (616) 459-3111 for income qualifications.

PANTRY TASTINGS in the NKC Pantry

1st Wednesdays (9/6, 10/4) from 10am - 12pm

- Open to registered NKC clients. No sign-up required.
- Spend time with our master gardener, Nikki, and enjoy a recipe made from our garden.

If you have any questions or if you'd like to learn about becoming a client at North Kent Connect, please call (616) 866-3478 during office hours, Monday through Thursday from 8am to 5pm and Friday from 8am to 12pm.

Area Classes and Programs

INTRODUCTION TO RESUME WRITING/JOB SEARCH TECHNIQUES by West Michigan Works!

Wednesday, September 6, from 1pm - 2:30pm at the Greenville Service Center (114 S Greenville W Dr.)

- In this workshop you will learn tips and techniques on how to navigate your job search in today's digital world, and help you improve or create and tailor your resume to stand out to employers.

To register for this FREE workshop, call West MI Works at (616) 754-3611 or visit <https://jobs.westmiworks.org/montcalm-county-events/>

FINDING FINANCIAL FREEDOM at Cedar Creek Community Church (2969 14 Mile Rd NE, Sparta)

Saturday, September 9, from 11am - 12pm. (No registration needed).

- Free **10 week course** discussing budgeting, debt elimination, wealth accumulation, insurance and more.

COMMUNITY TAX DAY at Sparta Baptist Church (38 S. State St. Sparta)

Saturday, September 16, from 10am - 1pm. (Walk-ins only. No appointment needed).

- Tax volunteers will be on hand to help you file your home heating credit return.
- Call 211 for more information and instructions on what to bring with you.

Weekly Pantries

FOOD PANTRY at St. Joseph Catholic Church (409 S. Bridge Street, Belding)

- Thursdays (9/7, 9/14, 9/21, 9/28) from 2:00pm - 3:00pm

GROCERY GARAGE at City Impact (288 North Main St, Cedar Springs)

- Thursdays (9/7, 9/14, 9/21, 9/28) from 9:00am - 11:30am
- Saturdays (9/2, 9/9, 9/16, 9/23, 9/30) following the 6:00pm church service.

FOOD PANTRY at Sparta United Methodist Church (54 E Division Street, Sparta)

- Sunday through Thursday from 10:00am - 1:00pm
- Located at the Church Office and Ministry Building (next to the church).

Mobile Pantries

Monday, 8/28 at 4:30pm - First Church of God (Walk up: 101 South Franklin St, Greenville)

Friday, 9/8 at 5:00pm - Sparta Early Childhood Center (Drive thru: 480 S State St, Sparta)

Saturday, 9/9 at 10:00am - Pine Grove Community Church (Walk up: 8775 E. 88th St, Howard City)

Saturday, 9/9 at 2:00pm - The Vine an Assembly of God Church (Drive thru: 112 Commerce, Grant)

Friday, 9/15 at 4:30pm - Belding High School (Drive thru: 850 Hall Street, Belding)

Monday, 9/18 at 5:00pm - Cedar Springs Fire Station (Drive thru: 38 N Second St NE, Cedar Springs)

Tuesday, 9/19 at 5:00pm - Northland Church of Christ (Drive thru: 9891 S. Mason Drive, Grant)

Monday, 9/25 at 4:30pm - First Church of God (Walk up: 101 South Franklin St, Greenville)

If you have questions about a specific Mobile Pantry, please contact the host agency. You can find this information and other food resources online at www.feedwm.org/mobile-pantry-schedule/. This schedule is provided as a courtesy. It is not guaranteed to be error free, and may be updated or changed at any time, so use it at your own risk. For the most up-to-date information, visit www.feedwm.org/findfood. This site is updated in real time.

The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) Federal Commodity

Friday, 9/21 from 3pm - 6pm - Peace Lutheran Church (Drive thru: 1225 Twelve Mile Rd. NW, Sparta)

FOR A COMPLETE LIST OF FEDERAL COMMODITY SITES AVAILABLE IN KENT COUNTY PLEASE VISIT
KENT COMMUNITY ACTION AT ACCESSKENT.COM/DEPARTMENTS/COMMUNITYACTION/TEFAP OR CALL (616) 632-7950

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