

Dear Families,

With school meals ending, here are some great options for food this summer!

Feed Our Children Summer Lunch Program



The Feed Our Children Summer Lunch Program will be up and running again this summer.

Lunch will be served on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting June 2nd.

You can pick up a lunch for your child at Our Saviors Lutheran Church 359 Leonard St N from 11:00-12:30. Please use the East Avenue entrance.

Delivery can also be provided within the village of West Salem - the sign up is [Link](#) to Summer Lunches. Watch the Facebook Page, district newsletter and direct any questions to Feedourchildrenws@gmail.com.

West Salem Care and Share

Our Saviors Lutheran Church (359 N. Leonard). Use the alley entrance.

West Salem, Barre Mills, Bangor, Rockland, and Mindoro communities.

Saturdays from 10 am - 12 pm

Will need to present 1 form of ID.

Contact Melody at 608-498-9099.

Volunteer opportunities available.

WAFER Food Pantry

1603 George St, La Crosse

As summer approaches, WAFER Food Pantry is here to support West Salem families who may need a little extra help with food. Our **Mobile Pantry stop in West Salem** provides a full food package—4-5 days of food—offers choices of canned goods, produce, dairy, meat, bread, and more. Or if you prefer, you are welcome to shop for your own groceries at our main location in La Crosse.

New to WAFER? You can register at your first visit. If transportation is a challenge, you may designate someone you trust to pick up food for you.

Questions? WAFER staff are ready and willing to assist you. Visit waferlacrosse.org, email info@waferlacrosse.org, or call 608-782-6003.

To find additional summer meal sites near you:

- Call 2-1-1
 - 2-1-1 is a free, easy-to-remember phone number connecting callers with health and human services in their community.
- Text 'SFSP' to 914-342-7744
- [Check the Summer Meals Site Finder](#)
- [Visit the Summer Food Service Program Webpage](#) for more information

Additional Resources: In need of additional information on how to obtain food? Hunger Free America operates the [National Hunger Hotline](#) on behalf of USDA. The hotline is a resource for individuals and families seeking information on how to obtain food. The National Hunger Hotline staff connects callers with emergency food providers in their community, government assistance programs, and various social services. The hotline can be reached at 1-866-3-HUNGRY (1-866-348-6479) or 1-877-8-HAMBRE (for Spanish) from Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. ET.

Summer EBT

If your child gets free or reduced price meals at our school, they automatically qualify for Summer EBT (Electronic Benefit Transfer) for Summer 2026. Summer EBT is an income-based program that helps families buy food while school is out by providing them with one payment per summer for each eligible child in their household. If you have questions about the Summer EBT program, please email dhssebtsupport@wi.gov. Visit the [Summer EBT webpage](#) to learn more.

If you have questions, don't hesitate to call West Salem School District at 608-786-0700 or visit <https://www.wsalem.k12.wi.us/content/families/nutrition-services> for more information.

We look forward to continuing to serve our students next school year. Have a great summer and see you in the fall!

Sincerely,

Emily Klunk

Director of School Nutrition