

To: Govans Presbyterian Church Members and Friends

From: Community Fridge Committee

Date: January 21, 2026

Re: Update

Matthew 25: 35 “For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in”

Govans Presbyterian Church launches its new and expanded Food Ministry

January 1-21, 2026 A Periodic Update:

January 4, 2026:

- 100 servings of baked chicken, green beans, rolls, and chocolate chip cookies were prepared over two days by 7 volunteers.
- 13 people arrived
- 31 bags given out (2 servings each) = 62 servings
- 38 servings distributed to 4 community fridges (Govans-Loyola, Hamilton, 401 N Chester Street, 863 N Howard)

January 10, 2026

- Structure/pantry dropped off by Baltimore Community Fridge Network (BCFN) volunteers

January 11, 2026

- 60 baked ziti (with meat sauce), green beans, rolls, and chocolate cake were prepared over January 10-January 11
- 8 recipients
- 16 bags distributed
- 32 meals handed out
- 28 meals placed in two community fridges (Govans/Loyola & Fulton Street)

January 12, 2026

- Landscape fabric, gravel, and pavers for under structure added by Tiffany James and Andy Powell
- Beets & goat cheese from church’s kitchen fridge used to make 8 containers of beet salad and distributed to Govans Loyola fridge (Tiffany)

January 13, 2026

- Potatoes and turnips from the church's kitchen fridge were used to make 2 containers of potato, leek, and turnip soup and distributed to Govans Loyola fridge (Tiffany)

January 13, 2026 - Refrigerator installed

January 14, 2026 - Refrigerator wiped down, officially launched



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Full-size Fridge & Pantry outside Govans Presbyterian Church

Neighbors Feeding Neighbors, One Fridge at a Time

DETAILS: <https://linktr.ee/bmorecommunityfridgenetwork>

Want to host a site? Email BmoreCommunityFridgeNetwork@gmail.com.

January 15, 2026 - Refrigerator thoroughly cleaned by Tiffany



Maggie Lears

5 days ago · 🌐



I checked out the new Govans Presbyterian church fridge - very nice and easy access. I dropped off vanilla yogurt & homemade granola along with PB &J sandwiches. If anyone is willing to make stuffed peppers, there is a drawer full of fresh green peppers.



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January 17, 2026 -



Tiffany James

4 days ago · 🌐



Glad to see donations disappearing at the Govans Presbyterian Church fridge! Added 5 containers of potato, leek and turnip soups. They're actually quite yummy. Took a couple squash and will try the recipe someone left and donate it later today or tomorrow.



January 17, 2026, 11:11 AM:



Kimberly Yvonne Moore

4 days ago · 🌐

Govan is fully stocked and pantry...WITH LOVE! 5828 YORK Road. Thank you Dana Holt and KK!



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January 17, 2026, 11:11 AM:

Presbyterian Church fridge!



👍❤️👤 Anne Marie Owens, Megan Bovill and 56 others 8 comments 2 shares
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January 17, 2026, 5:30 PM



Leah Glasheen

3 days ago · 🌐



5:30 pm Sat Govans-Loyola and Govans Church

Had a chance to visit both Govans fridges today (photo is the new Govans Church fridge). The light was out in the new fridge. We fiddled with it to see if we could get it to work but...no go.

So much food! Thanks to Garden and Grounds on Falls Rd for so many delicious items.

[See more](#)



January 18, 12:42 PM



Kelly Dare

2 days ago · 🌐

Govans Presbyterian Church 12:30p added some banana pudding big trays, popcorn chicken, pizza, and garlic hummus cups. Also tajin and Cajun spices!



January 18, 3:30 PM



Areti Afentoulis Vincent

2 days ago · 🌐

I just visited the new Govans Presbyterian Church fridge on York Rd to leave a few pantry items. 3:30pm
Loving this new location. Kudos to the organizers!



👍❤️🤔 You, David Hornbeck and 16 others

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January 18, 3:50 PM



Tiffany James

2 days ago · 🌐



Added some leftovers from a church gathering at Govans Presbyterian Church fridge. Plus some staples for the pantry.



Anne Marie Owens, Wendy Smith and 23 others

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Sunday, January 18, 2026:

- Leftovers from Farewell reception for Pastor Ron were added to fridge (see photo above).

- Prepared 30-40 vegan vegetable soup, ham or turkey sandwiches (with packets of mayo and mustard), grapes, and chocolate cake by 5 volunteers
- 11 recipients were given 22 bags
- 18 meals added to fridge

Monday, January 19, 2026, 2:15 PM:



Leah Glasheen

a day ago · 🌐



2:15 Both Govans

Left 16 servings of chicken soup at Govans-Loyola and split some mini pizzas between the two fridges. Photo is Govans Church, which was looking good.

It was great to meet another volunteer at Govans-Loyola!



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- Added numerous sandwiches, desserts, etc. after MLK Music Monday pre-performance dinner for musicians.

Tuesday, January 20, 2026, 1:40 PM



Maggie Lears

23 hours ago · 🌐



Tuesday, 11:30am at Govans Presbyterian Church. I dropped off turkey chili meals and assorted ham, turkey, and cheese sandwiches. The fridge had a good supply of salads and soups. Stay warm, friends.



Marcus Colasurdo and 15 others

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Tuesday, January 20, 5:51 PM:

- David Hornbeck secured a donation from Atwaters at Belvedere Square and added it to the fridge.



David Hornbeck

18h · 🌐



Govans Presbyterian Church (5828 York road). Just dropped off 2 loaves of country white bread, 2 more of kalamata olive bread, 2 quarts of Beef and Bean chili and 1 quart of Chicken Noodle, all compliments of Atwaters Belevedere, a new partner in our fight against hunger. Thanks Atwaters. Our refrigerator is the 27th in the fabulous Refrigerator Network. Please help fill our fridge and tell anyone you know we are here for them if they need something to eat.



👍 You, Lea Gilmore and 21 others

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