

## Lac Qui Parle County Food Resources

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This list is informational only. These programs are not administered by Lac qui Parle County Family Services. If any information is outdated/incorrect, please call us at 320-598-7594.

| Name   | Location/Contact   | Population Served                                 | Details  |
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| Lac qui Parle County Food Shelf              | 308 6 <sup>th</sup> Ave S, Madison, MN 56256<br>Thursdays, 2pm to 5pm  | All   | 1 pickup per month per household.<br>Must call ahead & pick up order (320) 598-7803.   |
| Dawson Food Shelf at Grace Lutheran Church   | 716 8 <sup>th</sup> St, Dawson, MN 56232<br>Tuesdays, 1pm to 4pm   | All   | 1 pickup per month per household.<br>Pickup onsite in person.  |
| St. Michael's Church Meat Distribution       | 412 3 <sup>rd</sup> St, Madison, MN 56256<br>Parish House Garage<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month, 5pm                                     | All   | Pickup onsite in person. May also have other protein-rich foods at this distribution other than meat.  |
| St. Michael's Church Food Truck Distribution | 412 3 <sup>rd</sup> St, Madison, MN 56256<br>Parish House Garage<br>Subject to availability, usually 1x per year                                     | All   | Distribution dates vary. Call the Lac qui Parle County Food Shelf at (320) 598-7803 to ask about scheduling.   |
| Ruby's Pantry                                | 123 1st Street, Dawson, MN 56232<br>1st Wednesday of each month, 5pm-6:30pm  | All   | \$25 contribution required, cash only.   |
| WIC: Women, Infants, & Children              | Countryside Public Health, Madison Office<br>455 5th Ave, Madison, MN 56256  | -Children age 0-5<br>-Pregnant & postpartum women | Call 1-800-657-3291, or visit <a href="http://www.health.state.mn.us/people/wic">www.health.state.mn.us/people/wic</a>   |
| SUN Bucks (Summer EBT)                       | Administered through DCYF<br><a href="http://dcyf.mn.gov/sun-bucks">dcyf.mn.gov/sun-bucks</a>  | Children attending school age 7-17                | Household must already be on public assistance or have been approved for free or reduced lunch through the National School Lunch Program.<br>Questions/issues, call 651-431-4608.  |
| FLY Backpack Program                         | Dawson-Boyd School, (320) 769-4590<br>MMN Elementary, (320) 598-4102<br>LQPV Middle School, (320) 752-4200   | Elementary & some middle school grade children    | Runs during the school year only.<br>Elementary & some middle school grades only.<br>No eligibility criteria, just request a form through the front office to get your child signed up.  |
| Prairie Five Meals Home Delivered            | Call (320) 269-9009<br>-Delivery routes determine availability<br>-Meals on Wheels (hot meals) and/or Frozen Meals available<br>-EBT (SNAP) accepted | All - cost varies by age                          | Older Adults (age 60+) can apply for income-based meals.<br>Suggested donation is \$4.50 per meal for 60+ age group.<br>For those under age 60, the cost is \$10.32 per meal.<br>Children under age 12, the cost is \$5.00 per kids' meal. |

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| <b>Prairie Five Meals<br/>Congregate Dining<br/>Attend in-person meals</b> | Park Ave Apartments, (320) 598-3374<br>310 Park Ave, Madison, MN<br>Pantry Café, (320) 598-3374<br>217 6th Ave, Madison, MN<br>Hoyt Memorial Building, (320) 269-9009<br>Marietta, MN | All - cost varies by age | Call the phone number next to location for dates/times.<br>Older Adults (age 60+) can apply for income-based meals.<br>Suggested donation is \$4.50 per meal for 60+ age group.<br>For those under age 60, the cost is \$10.32 per meal.<br>Children under age 12, the cost is \$5.00 per kids' meal. |
| <b>Food Boxes for Seniors<br/>(CFSP/NAPS)</b>                              | Pick up at Faith Lutheran Church<br>106 8 <sup>th</sup> St, Madison, MN 56256   | Age 60+                  | Must apply to qualify.<br>Prairie 5 can help with applications: 320-598-3027<br><a href="http://www.2harvest.org/find-food/csfpnaps">www.2harvest.org/find-food/csfpnaps</a>  |
| <b>Other Resources</b>   |   |                          |   |
| <b>Minnesota Food<br/>Helpline<br/>MN Food Helper</b>                      | Call 1-888-711-1151   | All                      | Help applying for SNAP and help looking for other food resources.<br><a href="http://mn.gov/dhs/mnfoodhelper">mn.gov/dhs/mnfoodhelper</a>   |
| <b>Market Bucks</b>  | Visit a participating farmers market, and go to the Information Booth.<br>Currently Canby & Marshall are the nearest.   | SNAP Recipients          | Market Bucks match SNAP EBT spending dollar for dollar up to \$10.<br><a href="http://hungersolutions.org/programs/market-bucks">hungersolutions.org/programs/market-bucks</a>  |
| <b>United Way (211)</b>  | Dial 211<br><a href="http://211unitedway.org">211unitedway.org</a>  | All                      | Access free and confidential information about a variety of resources including food, housing, and healthcare.  |



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