

Ideas To Host A Socially-Distanced HOLIDAY DRIVE

HOST A FOOD DRIVE

Host a socially-distanced food drive to help those experiencing hunger.

Organize A Collection

Invite friends, family, and neighbors to drop non-perishable food items on your porch on a specific date. Share photos or videos of you dropping the food at KLF, and share how much your donation weighed and approximately how many meals your collection created.

Provide A Holiday Meal

Team up with friends and family to provide a specific number of holiday meals for families in need. Include items like fresh, frozen meat, canned or fresh veggies, pasta or stuffing, and a boxed dessert. Share your good deed on social media, tagging the people you teamed up with, and challenge others to do the same!

Give As A Group

Still going to the office each week? Provide a collection box for non-perishable food items! Set a workplace collection goal, update your co-workers on progress via email or through office signage, and be sure to celebrate (safely) when you reach your food-collection goal.

HOST A FUND DRIVE

Host a virtual fund drive to fight hunger in Kalamazoo County.

Host A Digital Drive

Encourage friends, family, and social media followers to help raise money to fight hunger this year! Create a social media event page and goal for your drive, and utilize payment apps like Venmo and PayPal to collect funds. Be sure to periodically connect with contributors with hunger stats, thank-yous, and progress check-ins.

Give Something Up

Challenge friends and family members to give up a typical weekly purchase (i.e. coffee, yoga class, lottery tickets) and donate that money to a collective fund drive instead. Host a virtual meeting with contributors at the close of your drive to celebrate how much you raised and to talk about what you each gave up to participate.

Honor A Friend or Family Member

Donate to honor the life of a friend or loved one this holiday. Reach out to mutual friends and family and invite them to make a donation to KLF in your loved one's honor. Donations will be included in KLF's February/March newsletter alongside the name of your loved one.