



# Annual Report

July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022





## OUR MISSION

Loaves & Fishes' mission is to provide nutritious food, in an atmosphere of kindness and respect, to individuals in need who reside in Ayer, Devens, Dunstable, Groton, Harvard, Littleton and Shirley.

# OUR BOARD of DIRECTORS

<b>Jim Breslauer</b> – President	11/9 /15 – 6/30/22
<b>Hilary Curtis</b> – Vice President	9/17/18 – 6/30/24
<b>Paul Musgrove</b> – Treasurer	2/8/21 – 6/30/24
<b>Andrea Myette</b> – Clerk	11/9/15 – 6/30/22
<b>Susan Edgett</b>	7/1/20 – 6/30/23
<b>Jeff Howe</b>	7/1/19 – 6/30/22
<b>Joseph Knox</b>	2/28/22 - 6/30/22
<b>Hugh Silk</b>	2/8/21 - 6/30/24
<b>Mary Timmons</b>	7/1/20 – 6/30/23
<b>Beth Walker</b>	7/1/21 – 6/30/24
<b>Linda Blackwell</b>	7/1/21 - 4/30/22
<b>Willie Wickman</b>	7/1/16 -1/31/22

## A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

It's been an interesting year. Having volunteered at the Pantry for the past eight years, I thought I had a pretty good idea of how things worked. My year as Board President has opened my eyes. Patty and the staff (both hereinafter 'staff') are much more amazing than I had realized.

With a grant from the Greater Boston Food Bank (GBFB) and assistance from Senator Jamie Eldridge we purchased a truck to use to get supplies from GBFB. A great design was conceived by staff and put on the truck to advertise the Pantry's services wherever it traveled. Board member Jeff Howe coordinated schedules with 6 other food pantries so that we could obtain GBFB supplies for them as well. A tremendous benefit for them and a wonderful example of non-profits cooperating for the benefit of clients.

Then the Board decided to engage in a formal planning process to try to improve services to clients as the COVID crises stabilized. The staff spent considerable time using their expertise to develop a staged plan which they presented to the Board. The first stage is now in effect, giving clients more options as to when to get food. Other stages will be implemented over time.

In spite of some significant staff turn-over (some anticipated, some not) services to clients never decreased. A special shout-out to the volunteers on our Personnel Committee who spent many hours screening and discussing dozens of candidates for our open positions this year: Aleta Manugian, Leslie Row, Jeff Howe, Mary Timmons, and Andrea Myette.

On behalf of our clients, I thank the Board, the staff and all our volunteers for their efforts. I'm looking forward to seeing what this next year will bring. Whatever it is, I know our clients will be well taken care of.

Jim Breslauer  
President-Board of Directors

## A MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

It has been another challenging year, but with the support of a committed team of Board members, staff, and volunteers, and the generous support of our community we have been able to adapt, respond and continue to serve our neighbors who are struggling. Despite the challenges, there were also highlights. The acquisition of our new truck has solved the problem of retrieving our orders from the Greater Boston Food Bank. We are particularly proud that we have been able to establish partnerships with other area pantries and utilize our truck to help them retrieve their orders as well. Collaboration at its best and a shining example of what can be accomplished if we all work together.

The upcoming year will be a busy one as we work to enhance and expand our operational model. I am confident that with our team of dedicated staff and volunteers and continuing support from the community, we will emerge even stronger as we approach our 40th anniversary year. My sincere thanks to everyone who has supported the mission of Loaves & Fishes. It is a pleasure and a privilege to be part of such an amazing organization.

Patricia A. Stern  
Executive Director

# OUR LEADERSHIP TEAM

**Patricia Stern** – Executive Director

**Melissa Richard** – Senior Administrative Assistant

**Sharon Cordero** – Administrative Assistant (through January 2022)

**Grace Miller** – Client Services Coordinator

**William Loehfelm** – Client Counselor

**Timothy Last** – Food Coordinator (through April 2022)

**John Cauley** – Food Coordinator Assistant

**Daniel Daly** – Truck Driver

**Eileen O'Dea** – Volunteer Coordinator

**Paige DePietro** – Volunteer Coordinator (through March 2022)



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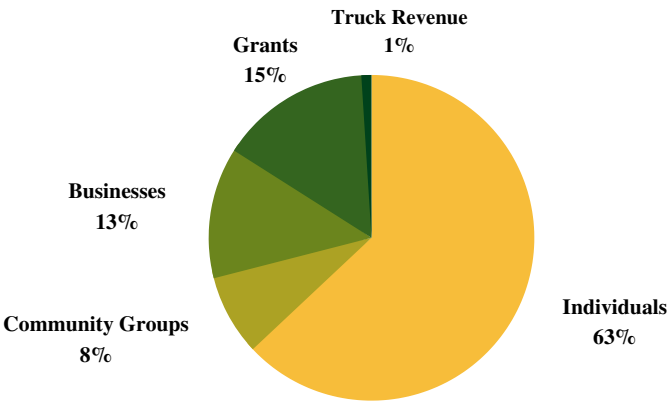
*"We're so glad you're still here. We haven't needed to come to the pantry for a couple of years but now the prices of everything have gone up so much, we need help to feed our family again."*

~ **Jessica & John,**  
residents of Dunstable

# FINANCIAL PROFILE



**CENTS OF EVERY DOLLAR DONATED  
WENT TOWARDS CLIENT SERVICES!**



**WHERE DID OUR FINANCIAL  
DONATIONS COME FROM?**

MONETARY CONTRIBUTIONS	\$ 893,379
VALUE OF DONATED GOODS & SERVICES	\$ 916,192
VALUE OF VOLUNTEER HOURS	\$ 342,212
<b>TOTAL SUPPORT</b>	<b>\$2,151,783</b>
EXPENDITURES	\$ 573,889
GOODS/SERVICES/VOLUNTEER TIME	\$1,258,404
<b>TOTAL DISTRIBUTED</b>	<b>\$1,832,293</b>
	*unaudited



Kerry Madden, owner of **KAM FITNESS AND NUTRITION**, hosted their 10th anniversary Plank-a-thon to benefit local food pantries including Loaves & Fishes. Kerry also supported our Neighborhood Food Project!



**MAIN STREET BANK** is a longtime supporter of Loaves & Fishes!

# GENEROSITY

**WE ARE GRATEFUL TO THE MANY  
BUSINESSES, COMMUNITY  
ORGANIZATIONS, AND INDIVIDUALS WHO  
SUPPORTED LOAVES & FISHES LAST YEAR.**



The **FORGE & VINE RESTAURANT** in Groton (part of the Migis Hotel Group) found a unique way to support the Pantry. They sponsored a RAISE YOUR GLASS event to benefit Loaves & Fishes. When select beverages were purchased they and their partners donated \$1 per glass to the cause.



## 2ND ANNUAL SPRING INTO ACTION 5K RAISED OVER \$20,000!







# SUPPORT

576

## FAMILIES VISITED LAST YEAR!

*"I had enough food for two more days if I stretched it, then we were out. A neighbor told me about Loaves & Fishes and I am so relieved that I visited the pantry. I can feed my children now. My sincere thanks to everyone who supports the pantry—it truly makes a difference."*

~**Heather**, a Littleton resident

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Those 576 families had 1,510 household members. They sought help for many different reasons - a job loss, health issues, fixed income, addiction, abuse and even an unexpected household expense which they did not have the resources for. Each family, if they visited twice each month, received enough groceries for approximately half of their monthly meals. Groceries included: Fresh and frozen produce, eggs, margarine, cheese, frozen meats, cereal, juice, pasta, pasta sauce, rice, helpers, condiments, canned products, personal care items and vouchers for milk.

# ASSIST

18%

**WERE OVER THE AGE OF 65!**

Seniors are a very proud group. We often hear that they “don’t want to take food away from those who need it more.” The reality is that many seniors are struggling to stretch their fixed income to pay their bills. They are making some very difficult decisions about heating their home, paying their rent or mortgage, purchasing necessary medications or buying nutritious food. Often, there is little left for groceries.



*"I'm so grateful for all of the nutritious food, especially the fresh produce, I receive from the Pantry. I couldn't afford it on my own."*

**~Lorraine, a Littleton resident**

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# NOURISH

24%

WERE CHILDREN!

*"My tummy was always hungry until my Mommy started going to Loaves & Fishes."*

~**Brianna**, a Shirley resident

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Parents tell us that when money is tight, they try to stretch their limited budgets to put food on the table. Often what they can afford has little nutritional value. The children suffer. They go to school hungry and cannot focus on learning. Thanks to the generosity of our community, Loaves & Fishes is able to provide nutritious food, including fresh produce, meats, eggs, milk vouchers and so much more to help our neighbors.

# SUSTAIN

63%

**WERE RETIRED, DISABLED, ILL  
OR CARING FOR SOMEONE WHO IS!**

We hear about their struggles every day. Some are living on a fixed income. Others cannot work because they are ill or caring for someone else who is ill. They are doing the best they can to survive and the support they receive from the Pantry sustains them. No one should be without nutritious food.



*"My son was in the hospital for several weeks. He's home now but needs around-the-clock care. The food from the Pantry is what we depend upon."*

~**Michelle**, a single mom from Groton

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*"My son and I have been homeless for the last couple of months and we've been living in a motel...he was so excited to have food, he almost cried!"*

~ **Brandon**, a homeless veteran

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# COMFORT

67%

**EARNED LESS THAN \$25,000!**

Making ends meet on \$25,000 annually is hard. Many live in low-income housing or are homeless and living in area motels. They do not have the simple things which many of us take for granted. Some do not have access to a stove and can't prepare proper meals. It's a struggle.



# FEED

539,399

## POUNDS OF GROCERIES DISTRIBUTED!

It takes a lot of food to feed 576 families! We could not possibly have managed without the support of the community who provided financial support, food, personal care products, and the gift of volunteer time. Together we lightened the load for 1,510 of our neighbors.



In its 32nd year, the **SHIRLEY SCOUT DRIVE** collected 11,804 pounds of food last year. It is a glowing example of what a community can do if everyone works together – it makes a huge difference!



Members of the **TAHATTAWAN LODGE** gleaned items from area stores and shuttled them to the Pantry.



These young ladies from **LITTLETON GIRL SCOUT TROOP 82443** had some fun collecting food from the community! They offered to "BOO!" a house with spooky ghost yard signs in exchange for non-perishable items for the Pantry.



This enthusiastic crew from the **LURA A. WHITE SCHOOL** in Shirley planned a very successful food drive!

# COMMUNITY

**AREA SCHOOLS, SCOUT TROOPS AND COMMUNITY GROUPS WERE GREAT SUPPORTERS OF THE PANTRY!**



**ROBIN MILLER**, pictured with John Cauley a member of our Staff Team, had an idea for her Girl Scout Gold Award Project. She decided to create a cookbook for those who only had a microwave to cook in. She personally tested 27 recipes, assembled them into a booklet, produced the booklets and purchased microwave-safe dishes. She gifted them to the Pantry to distribute to clients in need.

# ENRICH

17,442

**POUNDS OF FRESH PRODUCE!**

Over 20 local gardens, orchards, and home gardeners donated 17,442 pounds of fresh produce. The benefits of produce in a healthy diet are undeniable, however, many of our clients cannot afford it. Thanks to our donors, we can provide this important component to our neighbors.



## THANK YOU

Ayer Community Garden  
Community Harvest Project - Grafton  
Community Harvest Project - Harvard  
Gaining Ground - Concord  
Garden at Church Meadows - Littleton  
Littleton Community Farm  
Little Leaf Farms - Devens

\*Plus many grocery stores, organizations and individuals





# NEIGHBORS

68,206

**POUNDS OF GROCERIES COLLECTED  
BY THE GROTON NEIGHBORHOOD  
FOOD PROJECT AND THE  
NEIGHBORHOOD FOOD PROJECT  
(AYER, DEVENS, HARVARD, LITTLETON  
AND SHIRLEY)**



The "Green Bag Program" was started by a group of Groton residents in 2014. Since then, the program has grown to include neighborhoods throughout our service area. It's so easy - over the course of two months, you collect shelf stable items and place them in the green, recyclable bag that the Pantry provides to you. A neighborhood coordinator will pick-up your donations and deliver them to Loaves & Fishes. Simple!

# VOLUNTEERS

265

## INDIVIDUALS GAVE THE GIFT OF TIME!

The gift of time is precious! 265 individuals selflessly gave their time to keep the Pantry running. Collectively they donated 9,407 hours!



Rosemary Anderson  
Stephen Anderson  
Ross Andrews  
Elizabeth Arimento  
Matthew Arner  
Dave Astolfi  
Diane Baker  
Michael Bangrazi  
Doris Barreiro  
Charline Barron  
Cole Beigel  
David Beigel  
Heidi Beigel  
Nanci Bell  
Sheryl Belley  
Kimberly Benjamin  
Patti Bennett  
Karen Bergan  
Cathy Berse-Hurley  
David Berwind  
Bonnie Bielefeld  
John Bielefeld  
Diane Bishop  
Alexis Blackwell  
Linda Blackwell  
Dennis Blair  
Cathleen Blair  
Diane Bolivar  
Jaclyn Bolivar  
Chris Bottger  
Cathy Bowles  
Kevin Boyd  
Denise Boyd  
Elizabeth Brennan  
Jim Breslauer  
Victoria Brier

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Melinda Carlson  
Robin Caron  
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Aldea Choquette  
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Lori Daniells  
Heather Davis  
William Delisle  
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Derek DeLorenzo  
Lorraine DiNardo  
Paige DiPietro  
Alli DiPietro  
David Dolan  
Diane Douglas  
Korry Dow  
Susan Edgett  
Owen Edwards  
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Kasey Ensslin  
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Stephen Essman  
William Estes  
Carol Evans  
Rob Farnsworth  
Mina Femino

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Wendy Flaherty  
Sally Foley  
Maribeth Ford  
Cheryl Frazer-Lerich  
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Denis Garcia  
David Gaynor  
James Geller  
Jennifer Gerlach  
Joanna Gerwig  
Paul Gerwig  
Sarah Gibbons  
Michele Girard  
Glean Team  
George Gogas  
Manon Goulding  
Marilyn Gray  
Dorothy Greco  
Carole Greenfield  
Groton Neighborhood Food Project  
Gerry Hall  
James Hanlon  
Leah Hannon  
Barbara Hantz  
Tammy Haschig  
Avery Haschig  
Stephanie Hausladen  
William Haynor  
Hans Heer  
Joanne Helhowski  
Crystal Hermann  
Sarah Hocking  
Nancy Holden  
Niki Holtzman  
Maureen Hopper  
Jeff Howe  
Yu-Chi Hsu  
Patricia Jackson  
Deborah Johnson  
Glynn Johnson  
Greg Johnson  
Laurie Johnson



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Katherine Kimball  
Charles King  
Jenn Klein  
Joseph Knox  
Barry Kroening  
Benjamin Kuehl  
Michael Kuehl  
Julie Kulchuk  
Belle Kuo  
BethLadew  
Trisha Lamb  
Claire Last  
Lisa Last  
Timothy Last  
John Lawlor  
Huguette Leahey  
Tenay Lee  
Maureen Lemieux  
Scott Lewis  
Deborah Locke  
Curt Logee  
Jane Logee  
Abir Lottoug  
Jeff Lowe  
Nicky Lowney  
Dick Lyons  
Mary Ellen Lyons  
Aleta Manugian  
Martha McCown  
Judy McDermott  
Terry McGrady  
Andre Menard  
Cecile Menard  
Sondra Michaud  
Rebecca Miller  
Robin Miller  
Pascal Miller  
Elizabeth Miskin  
Christian Modica  
Oscar Monarrez  
Justin Montisano  
Victoria Morrow  
Rebecca Mumaw-Miller

Paul Musgrove  
Andrea Myette  
Leslie Neville  
Paul Niemira  
Mike Noeth  
Paula Noeth  
Cynthia Ober-Ressijac  
Gayle O'Brien  
Kathleen O'Connor  
Violetta O'Donnell  
Nancy Ohringer  
John O'Keefe  
Julia O'Keefe  
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Joanne Ouellette  
Jenny Outman  
Jessie Panek  
Jason Pare  
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David Pillitteri  
Venu Pingali  
Janet Providakes  
Cindy Proulx  
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Meena Venkat  
Laura Vianello  
Carolyn Waite  
Charles Waite  
Elizabeth Walker  
Sean Walker  
Sarah Walker  
Cheryl Walters  
George Watkins  
Aaron Weitekamp  
Julie Weitekamp  
Juliet Whitehill  
Ann Whitney  
Jason Wiatr  
Willie Wickman  
Brian Wong  
Annette Woodle  
Darnell Woodson  
Anlu Yan  
Erin Zhang  
Hongfei Zheng  
Jia Zheng  
Rebecca Zolla



volunteer  
do good, feel good



# HARVEST CLUB PARTNERS



*"My wife and I work long hours to support our large family. Thank you so much for always greeting us with a smile and treating us with dignity and respect. You have made these hard times a little brighter."*

~Miguel, a resident of Ayer

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## PLATINUM LEVEL \$10,000 and above

Bridget Collins and William Pudans  
Commonwealth of MA Dept. of  
Agricultural Resources  
Devens Enterprise Commission  
Donelan's Supermarket - Littleton  
Groton Neighborhood Food Project  
Hannaford Supermarket - Townsend  
John & Eunice Charitable Foundation  
Madigan Family Foundation Inc.  
Roche Brothers Supermarket - Acton  
Shaw's Supermarket - Groton  
Shaw's Supermarket - Stow  
Shirley Scout Drive  
Shop 'n Save - Ayer  
Donald and Janet Stevens  
Tahattawan Masonic Lodge - Littleton  
The Greater Boston Food Bank  
Town Of Ayer  
Town of Shirley  
Trader Joe's - Acton  
United Way of North Central MA  
Whole Foods - Westford

## GOLD LEVEL \$5,000 to \$9,999

Alltown Fresh - Ayer  
Steve Bakke & Julie Staraitis  
Bemis Associates  
Catania Oils  
Community Harvest Project - Harvard  
James Curran and Yolanda Rigali  
Gaining Ground  
Glenmede Trust on behalf of  
Fullwood Foundation  
Kristine Hunt  
Independent Church Of The Free Spirit

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Of America  
Porsche Club of America-  
Northeast Region  
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Thomas and Verna Sefranek  
Ted and Mary Shasta  
Richard Shurtleff  
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Gifts Program  
Willie and Darrell Wickman

## SILVER LEVEL \$2,500 to \$4,999

A Helping Hand Foundation, Inc.  
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BMS Matching Gift Program  
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Groton-Pepperell Rotary Club  
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Holy Trinity Parish (St. Theresa /  
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Michael Horton  
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Lewis Studios  
Littleton Community Farm  
Massachusetts Youth Soccer  
Brent and Roberta Mangel  
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Middlesex Corporation  
Olympus Corporation of the Americas  
Gina Perini  
Radfit Nutrition LLC d/b/a Disc Golf 978  
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James and Margaret Soucie  
Stone Soup Kitchen  
Clark Swain  
Swallow Union Elementary School  
Robert Tosi and Jo-Ann Dery



\*Some of our donors wish to remain anonymous and are not listed here.

## THANK YOU, DAVIS FAMILY!

Every year for over 20 years, members of the Davis Family of Littleton visit Loaves & Fishes the day after Thanksgiving to donate food. This tradition was begun by Russ and Ann Davis when their family was young. The family has continued this tradition in memory of their husband, father, and grandfather who passed in 2008. There is always chatter, hugs, smiles, and clearly lots of love as they go about moving hundreds of pounds of groceries from their vehicles to our loading dock.



### BRONZE LEVEL \$1000 to \$2,499

Abbott Elementary School  
Ingrid Adam  
Avago Technologies / Broadcom Gift  
Matching Program  
Ayer Post Office  
Bagels Plus  
Albert and Catina Barbieri  
Berry Global, Inc.  
BJ's Wholesale Club - Leominster  
David Braithwaite  
Bromfield School  
Jessica Brown  
Burroughs Charitable Foundation  
Peter and Diane Carson  
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Community Harvest Project - Grafton  
Congregational Church of Littleton  
Louis Conrad and Lois Bisson  
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Lenny and Nora Leonardo  
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Douglas and Elizabeth Williams  
Dawn Wilson  
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Workers Credit Union - Groton  
Jayne and Cornelis Wortel  
John and Ann Wortman  
Robert Zimmer

# TOGETHER

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## AREA PANTRIES WORKING TOGETHER!

Thanks to the efforts of a determined Pantry task force, a grant from the Greater Boston Food Bank (GBFB) and a state budget earmark supported by our Legislative Team, Loaves & Fishes is the proud owner of a shiny, new F650, 24' insulated box truck!

For the past 1 ½ years we have struggled to find a way to pick-up our orders from the GBFB. Many local businesses offered their trucks and/or drivers to help us during this difficult time. We are very grateful to the following companies for their support: New England Apple-Leominster, Bursaw Gas & Oil-Acton, Wilson Brothers-Pepperell, Bull Run-Shirley, Habitat for Humanity and long-time supporter, Bemis Associates-Shirley.

Not only are we able to pick-up our orders from the GBFB, but we are also helping six other area pantries including Acton, Bedford, Pepperell, Townsend and two Medway pantries. A bright spot in the past year!



### Medway Village Church Food Pantry



### Acton Community Supper and Food Pantry



Helping Feed our Neighbors since 1984



Townsend Ecumenical Outreach

### Medway Food Pantry









Mailing address: P.O. Box 1, Ayer, MA 01432  
Located at: 234 Barnum Road, Devens, MA 01434  
978-772-4627 // [office@loavesfishespantry.org](mailto:office@loavesfishespantry.org)  
<https://loavesfishespantry.org>

