Saline Area Social Service

November 2026
Thank You News

Holiday Meals & Adopt-a-Family

Since 1961, you've been helping us support families in need during the holidays. Sign-ups are now open for the 2026 Holiday Season. Please consider sponsoring gifts and/or a meal basket for our neighbors in need.

The Thanksgiving and Adopt-A-Family signup deadline is November 12.

Visit www.SalineSocialService.com/holiday for details.



Tutoring Volunteer Info Meeting

We're looking for a few interested volunteers to help with our after-school tutoring classes. If you have an interest in teaching, please join us at our information session on November 17 at 5pm. More volunteers means that we can help more kids!

November 17, 2026 at 5pm
Contact Olivia Helmer at (734) 429-4570 or by email:
OHelmer@SalineSocialService.com



GivingTuesday: December 1, 2026!

Join us at Reinhart Realtors in Saline, MI for a cookie sale and Match Challenge. Donate $25 or more in person, and receive your choice of holiday cookies.

Thanks to a generous match from the Ryder-Faulstich Foundation, every dollar donated to Giving Tuesday will be doubled up to $15,000. That's double the impact for our neighbors in need this both this holiday season and throughout the year. Please help us meet our match to reach $30,000 in aid!

Tuesday, December 1, 2026, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Reinhart Realtors – Saline
1020 E. Michigan Ave., Saline, MI

Learn more and donate at:
www.SalineSocialService.com/GivingTuesday-2026



Thanks & Gratitude

We're sending our thanks to Steve O'Keefe for donating snacks for our clients. Many thanks, Steve!



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Volunteer Opportunities

Interested in helping at the pantry this month? There are still several open shifts for shopping assistants and the warehouse. Scan the QR code to view open times and sign up for a slot.



Volunteer of the Month:
Jan Schippers

Today, we want to say a huge thank you to Jan Schippers. Jan is a shopping assistant and also volunteers with our tutoring program. We are so thankful to have volunteers like Jan who help us continue our mission to provide for our community! Thank you!



We're more than just a food pantry...

- Coaching with Mentorship & Support
- Senior Programs
- Education & Employment Skills Training

Mark Your Calendar!

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