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ANNOUNCEMENT – MEDIA ADVISORY

24/7 FREE FOOD PANTRY OPENS AT First Lutheran Church 116 BOND STREET

A Free Food Pantry is open day and night in front of First Lutheran Church, 116 Bond Street, Toronto. People can take what they need or donate non-perishable food items. First Lutheran hopes this project will enhance food security in the Bond Street and Ryerson University neighbourhood.

Items to help stock the food pantry include **sealed** food stuff items such as: canned fish, fruit and vegetables, dried and canned beans, pasta sauce or stews, fruit and soy beverages in Tetra Paks, pasta, rice, peanut butter and jam, cereal granola bars, vegetable oils and baking supplies. Please do not donate fresh dairy or meat products, fresh fruit or vegetables or previously opened products or expired items. Personal products like toothpaste, soap, shampoo, diapers, female hygiene products can also be dropped off/gladly accepted.

With the motto “Take What You Need – Donate What You Can” this project is supported with a start-up grant from the Eastern Synod of the ELCIC. It is part of a network of Toronto Little Free Pantries: <https://www.torontolittlefreepantriesproject.com/>

For more information or to arrange for a drop-off of bulk supplies or to make a financial contribution (which would be very welcome) please contact:

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