The Pantry Door



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When they say, You Can't Judge a Book by it's Cover, that would describe George Trudeau. He was a guy with a bit of a gruff exterior, and who lived rather minimally, What you didn't realize was that this man had a truly giving heart. HCFP, as well as other non profits, were gifted \$500 a month through his generosity and awarded another \$5,000 from his final estate. Mahalo George! We were so blessed & humbled



I am simply in awe each week at the number of folks that come in bringing donations for HCFP.

Pictured here is *Marilyn Plitnik.* First she came in with a bag full of frozen fish only to return with another bag full of hamburger. That will feed many mouths Marilyn. *Thank* You!

## <u>Upcoming Events!</u>

\*Taco Pantry Palooza!!! Come this Friday, 9/13, to Grace Ridge Brewery from 5:00-7:00 and eat tacos and raise funds for the pantry! \*Empty Bowl Fundraiser Mark your calendar! November 8<sup>th</sup>

Our sincere appreciation to... \*<u>Richard Leiter</u> for his unwavering monetary donations to the pantry. \*<u>Women United in Faith</u> for their additional and ongoing financial support of HCFP. With our yearly expenditures adding

up to \$**180,000** your financial contributions are imperative to HCFP. A Bounty of Fresh Produce Thanks to Homer Farmers Market!



Lauren Jerew, Amber Swain, Oscar Brown and Joe Harrington comprise the board of the Homer Farmer's Market. We are so grateful to the **The Alaska Farmers Market Association** and the **Alaska Division of Agriculture** for their continued support of fresh produce and other foods that are given to the Homer Community Food Pantry and others in need. Our clients are in disbelief with the amount of fresh healthy produce that they receive weekly through this program. It is a labor of compassion and love.





As boats and freezers empty, the food pantry fills! Thank you for thinking of us with your boat overflow!



Jordan Dyer from the Cloudbreaker, a captain from one of the Pitzman vessels and Dick Dunn are shown providing leftover staples from their boat and freezer!

**Providing food and emergency assistance, with compassion, to those seeking our services.** 770 East End Rd., Homer, Alaska 99603 907-235-1968 text or voice homerfoodpantry@gmail.com