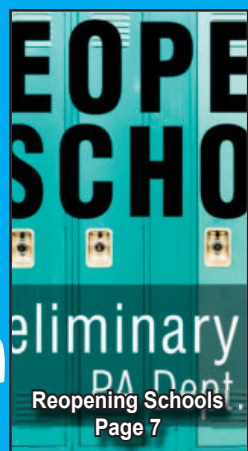


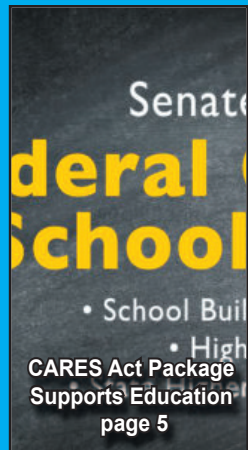
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## Salvation Army East Stroudsburg Provides Over 600,000 Meals

By Salvation Army

STROUDSBURG - Robert Hartley, 44, from Stroudsburg, PA, picked up his second Emergency Food Box from our Food Pantry on Friday, May 15, 2020.

"The first time I came for Emergency Food, I didn't know what to expect," Robert said humbly. "But it was like opening a Christmas present. I was shocked when I saw all the fresh fruits, vegetables, meats and seafood. I couldn't believe the bounty before me."

Robert, like so many other people in Monroe County, is working reduced hours at his normally full-time job, while his wife was laid off completely, putting a huge burden on him to provide for his family of five. Being referred to The Salvation Army Food Pantry by a co-worker, meant everything to Robert and his family.



"Normally, we don't need it," he said from his car. "I mean, providing food for my family shouldn't be a stress, but the reality is, at this horrible time, it just is."

Since March 16, 2020, The Salvation Army East Stroudsburg Corps has provided over 600,000 meals to families in need. Per the current shelter in place mandate, our Soup Kitchen is providing a 3-day supply of grab and go meals, our Food Pantry, on top of our monthly Food Distribution, has been blessed to provide two emergency food distributions per week to our neighbors in need.

"We have been overwhelmed and blessed abundantly with the generosity of our community," said Jill Brink, Food Pantry/Volunteer

Director said. "It's simple really. We feed the hungry. It's what The Salvation Army does. It's what we believe in. But we couldn't do it, at this strained and uncertain time, without the generous support of our donors."

"God Bless the people who donated the food or the money to buy it," Robert said, quietly. "And may God Bless every person working so hard at The Salvation Army who touched it, who packed it, and who loaded it in my trunk."

Robert, a 20-year volunteer Fire Fighter for the Saylorsburg Fire Department, like the countless others in our community, relies on the many support services that The Salvation Army offers.

"I already knew who The Salvation Army was," Robert said, wistfully from his car. "My father was a State Trooper and always talked about the humility of The Army, how you guys were always there, steady, quiet, and working behind the scenes. He taught me to have respect for The Army, that you always showed up, without recognition or fanfare, simply happy to do God's work. He gave me an appreciation of The Army before I even knew who you were. Being a volunteer Fire Fighter, and seeing what you do, reinforced his message to me. Your Emergency Services Disaster Canteen shows up at 2:00am on a fire call with coffee and donuts, which means everything for us. You show up. It's who you are and what you stand for."

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## Megan Guthrie Awarded Jonathan P. Antonioli Scholarship

By Kristin M. Harvey, Esquire

The Jonathan P. Antonioli Scholarship Memorial Scholarship, in the amount of \$1,000.00, has been awarded to Pen Argyl High School senior, Megan Guthrie. Applicants were asked to submit an essay on inclusivity, one of Jonathan's most admirable traits. The Antonioli family also wished to select someone who embodies Jonathan's generous spirit and hardworking qualities.

Ms. Guthrie is ranked in the Top 5 students in her class. She is the Vice President of the Senior Class, the Student Government Treasure, and the National Honor Society PAHS Chapter Secretary. She serves on the Mini Thon Leadership Committee, is a TV studio anchor, and participates in Varsity Cheering, Varsity Basketball and Varsity Track and Field.

Megan will be attending Penn State University in the fall to major in finance and plans to attend law school thereafter. The Antonioli family was honored to present this award, in Jonathan's name, to Megan and wishes her the best in her future endeavors.



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Sale Ordered By: Estate of Walter Hoffman

**11 A.M. SATURDAY JUNE 27, 2020**

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"We are filled with the love of God every time we fill a trunk of food," Mrs. Brink said. "To have the privilege of feeding hungry bellies is everything to us. For the past 20 years, it has been what has fed my soul."

"You are doing God's work," Robert agrees. "It's one thing to donate the much-needed resources to feed families like mine. But it's another thing to donate your heart, which every single staff member and volunteer are doing today. They filled my trunk with food, but they used their hearts to do it. And that means everything to me and my family."

If you or someone you know needs help with food during the COVID-19 pandemic, please call The Salvation Army at 570-421-3050 or complete our Emergency Food Application online at: <https://pa.salvationarmy.org/East-Stroudsburg/emergencyfoodapplication>.

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## Covid-19 Drive-through testing center to remain open until June 26th

By Becky Bartlett

EASTON - The Northampton County sponsored Covid-19 drive-thru testing site at Easton Hospital will remain open until June 26th. Hours of operation are Monday through Friday, from 10:00AM - 4:00PM. The Coronavirus testing site is located in the main parking lot at Easton Hospital, 250 S 21st Street, Easton, PA 18042 and the tests are free. The risk of viral transmission at a drive-thru site is much lower than at a walk-in clinic.

As of June 3rd, the site had performed 1,237 tests, 6% of which showed positive results for Covid-19.

"Northampton County moved to 'Yellow' status today," says Lamont McClure. "It's important that we keep testing to track the prevalence of the virus in our community both to protect public health and to continue the process of reopening our economy."

Only residents from Northampton County will be accepted for testing and they must show at least one of the following CDC recognized symptoms of Covid-19 to be eligible: fever, dry cough, shortness of breath, chills, muscle pain, headache, sore throat or loss of taste and/or smell. A prescription from a doctor is not required. Although insurance is not required to be tested participants should bring a photo ID and their insurance card, if they have one, with them.

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