

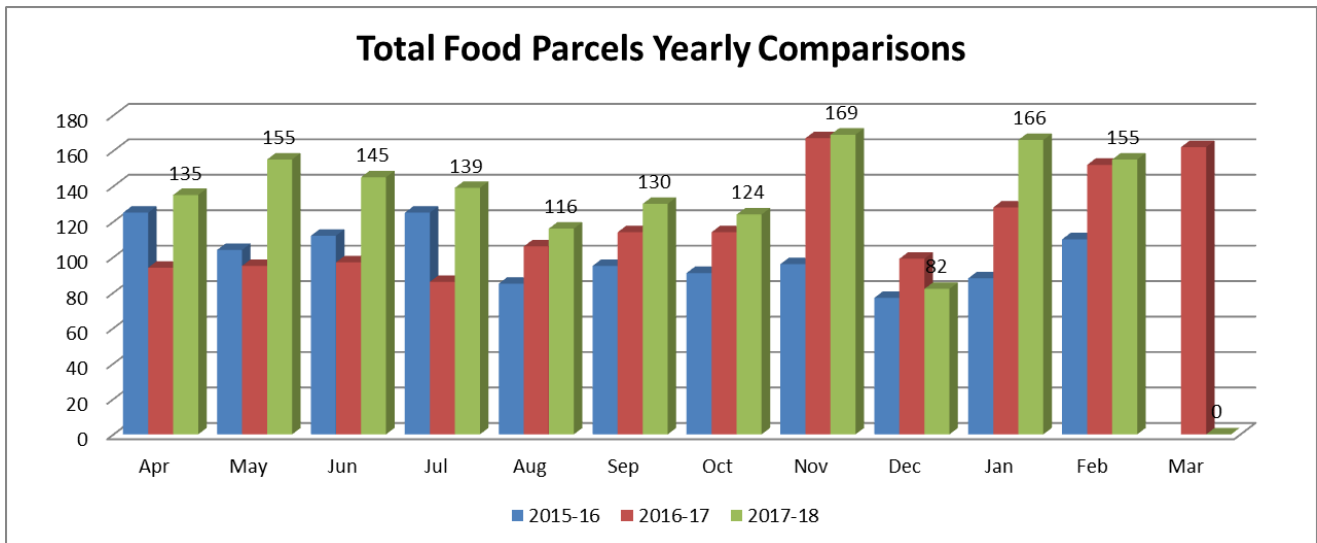


"I was hungry and you gave me something to eat"

[Matthew 25:35]

Serving Jesus in His most distressing disguise

Need Project Report Febuary 2018



Statistics Excluding Christmas Parcels

Hubs Summary	Total to Date	Monthly Average
Flitwick	221	22
Sandy	209	21
Stotfold	346	35
Shefford	249	25
Biggleswade	163	16
Marston	51	5
Out of Area	278	28
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Children	Age 0-4	Age 5-10	Age 11-17	Adults
Totals (yr)	864	873	427	2052

Total value to date at £45 per parcel	£ 68,220.00
Total value this month at £45 per parcel	£ 6,975.00

The total food parcels delivered this month is higher than the same period in the previous two years.

Furniture, Furnishings and White Goods

Items	Totals		Actual Items Includes	Totals
White Goods	28		Cookers	3
Beds, single, double, bunk	78		Fridges/ Freezers	12
Bedroom Furniture, Furnishings	33		Suites/Sofas	18
Lounge Furniture, Furnishings	55		Washing Machines	11
Misc &, Baby Equipment	43		Microwaves	2
Bedding	68		TV's DVD Players	9
Estimated Value	£13,427.00			

There's a Cost.

None of this could happen without funds so we are actively seeking funds through grants and donations.

Would you consider donating something on a regular basis? If you can and are willing, please let our Administrator (Dave Marchant) know and he will tell you how to do it e-mail:

admin@theneedproject.co.uk .

Lots of small monthly donations can become a big amount of funding every month. Annual or one-off donations are good too. Together we can make a difference.

Our objectives

To relieve persons in Central Bedfordshire and the surrounding area that are in poverty or financial hardship in such ways as the Trustees from time to time think fit, in particular, but not exclusively by:

1. Providing food parcels to support individuals and families who are experiencing food deprivation.
2. Providing other items to meet immediate and essential needs, as resources allow.
3. Developing other forms of support to meet immediate need and alleviate financial hardship.

Our values

We are a Christian organisation motivated by Jesus' teaching on poverty and injustice. We operate according to Christian principles of compassion, honesty, integrity, openness, kindness and care of all people, regardless of backgrounds or beliefs (or none). We are passionate about inclusion and being non-judgemental is central to what we do. We believe that everyone has the right to have food on their plate, dignity, skills, a chance to work and hope for the future.

Please pass this report on to anyone who would be interested in the work of the Need Project.

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