

MISSION BELLS FOOD PANTRY

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DEDICATED TO IMPROVING LIVES IN OUR COMMUNITY

Mission Bells Food Pantry has served SW Houston since 1985. We get much of our food from Houston Food Bank at a low or zero cost. We supplement that food with purchases from local grocery stores. All our money comes from donations; we have no other sources of income. We have no paid employees, and all of us are volunteers, some going back over twenty years.



- People served: * June, 2021: 6,480 * July: 7,855 * August: 6,736
- Many thanks to Kroger and HEB! During the last 3 months, they have collected and donated approximately 7,400 Lbs. of groceries under the Red Barrel Partner Program.
- Our website was updated recently. Donations can be made directly from our website using credit cards. Checks can be mailed to Mission Bells Food Pantry. More on our website at www.missionbells.org



The Houston Durga Bari Society has been supporting Mission Bells for several years. Its food donations have increased each year. Last month they donated 3,639 pounds of food, the largest amount ever. We are grateful for such a generous neighbor.



This July, Mission Bells hosted a community health clinic provided by Bee Busy Wellness Center. The center provides high quality, compassionate health care, regardless of ability to pay.



Missionaries from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints have been helping us in several activities. The picture on the right shows them greeting one of our clients and collecting information for our records. To the left, others are filling bags with groceries for distribution that day.

