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Successful Third Annual Thanksgiving Community Meal

Manitowoc, Wisconsin (November 28, 2023) The Hunger Coalition of Manitowoc County's third annual Thanksgiving Community Meal was very successful! On Thursday, November 23 in partnership with Hope Community Church, 250 free meals were provided to Manitowoc County residents (206 to-go and 44 dine-in).

A huge thank you to the 40 volunteers who helped make this year's event amazing. Volunteers helped with food preparations the day before, cooking the day of, drive thru and dine-in services, and clean up.

With support from the following sponsors, meals included all the traditional fixings like turkey, cranberry jelly, mashed potatoes, gravy, green bean casserole, stuffing, apple pie and pumpkin pie.

- Aurora Medical Center
- CrossFit Manitowoc
- Grow It Forward
- Just Orthodontics
- Hope Community Church
- Lakeside Foods
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The Hunger Coalition of Manitowoc County is a community-based collaborative focused on addressing food insecurity under United Way Manitowoc County's Basic Needs initiative. The Hunger Coalition team includes The Salvation Army of Manitowoc County, Grow It Forward, UW-Madison Extension FoodWise, Manitowoc Public School District, and First Presbyterian Church. Others passionate about addressing food insecurity are welcome to join the coalition at any time. To learn more, call United Way Manitowoc County at (920) 682-8888.

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