

Share of McLean



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Food Pantry and Clothing Room:
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What is Share?

Share is an independent, nonprofit organization dedicated to helping low and moderate income neighbors alleviate food, clothing, and shelter insecurities in the McLean, Great Falls, and the Pimmit section of Falls Church areas (zip codes 22101, 22102, 22066, and portion of 22043).

Who are our clients?

Share supports 1,400 households, including 3,500 family members. Our clients consist of economically distressed families and individuals, seniors living on limited pensions, impoverished immigrants, and the unhoused. Clients are referred to us by county social workers, faith communities, and school counselors.

What programs does Share have?

Share programs are led and supported entirely by volunteers

- Food & Clothing pantry
- Furniture distribution
- Back to School and Holiday programs
- Emergency Financial Aid / Family Assistance

How does Share receive funding?

Share receives no government funding; all donations come from individuals, local businesses, and faith-based organizations. Since Share does not have paid staff, office space, or formal fund raisers, nearly all donations directly benefit our neighbors in need.

History of Share

1969 & 1970s The Beginning

- Established in 1969 to provide emergency support to neighbors in need; commitment to an all-volunteer organization
- Focused on family assistance (including food, clothing, furniture, financial), youth programs and transportation
- Supported 16 families with holiday gift baskets in the 1st year



1980s Growing core programs

- Focused on affordable housing and special needs of the senior population
- Expanded furniture program with addition of two donated trucks
- Expanded to provide supplemental food for one week; added fridges to offer fresh items; added truck for food drives
- Created Holiday Event / Program



1990s to present Expanding into new areas

- Added new programs for back-to-school supplies and refurbished computers
- Coordinated Emergency Financial Assistance with Fairfax County Services
- Expanded pantry to every Wednesday and Saturday morning, and 1st and 3rd Thursday for over 55 senior population
- 1,000 volunteer hours per month supported 1,400 households with 3,500 members in 2023



Share's Vision: To positively impact the lives of our neighbors in need

Share's Mission: Share of McLean is an all-volunteer, community-based nonprofit that teams with individual donors and partner organizations to assist our neighbors who face food insecurity, economic hardships or related challenges

Food Pantry

Share clients shop for everything from vegetables, bread, cereals and meats to detergent, oil, and diapers

Pantry Openings

General

Wednesdays and Saturdays
9:30 am to 12:00 pm

Seniors 55 years or older

1st and 3rd Thursday of each
month
9:00 am to 11:00 am

Calendar: shareofmclean.org/calendar



Food Pantry – non-perishable items



Food Pantry – bakery items



Food Pantry – fresh produce



Food Pantry – meat items



Clothing Pantry

Share offers seasonal clothing and shoes for men, women, and children



Household Goods Room

Clients can pick up pots/pans, dishes, office supplies, toys, kid's books, gently used linens, etc.



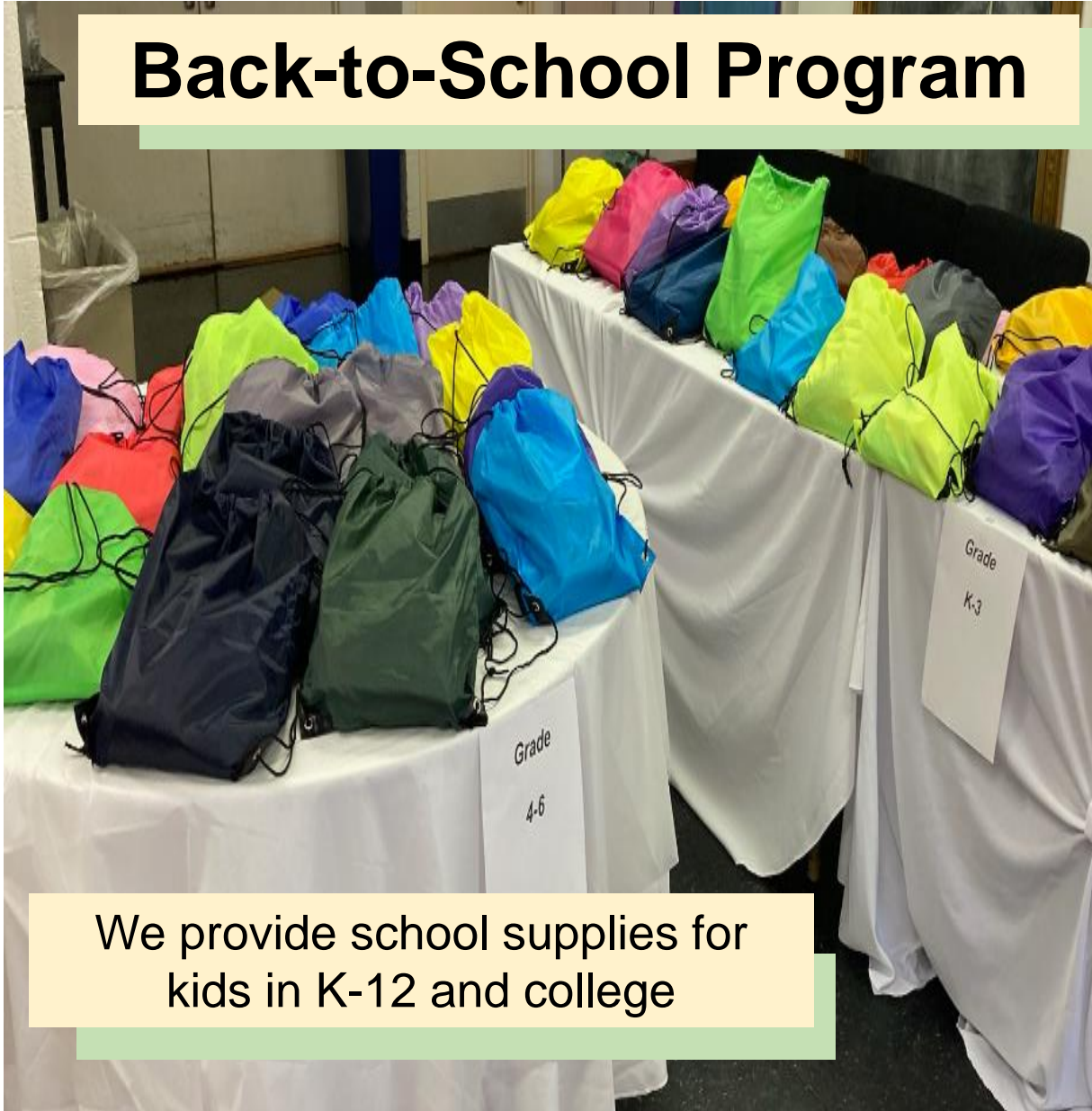
Furniture Program



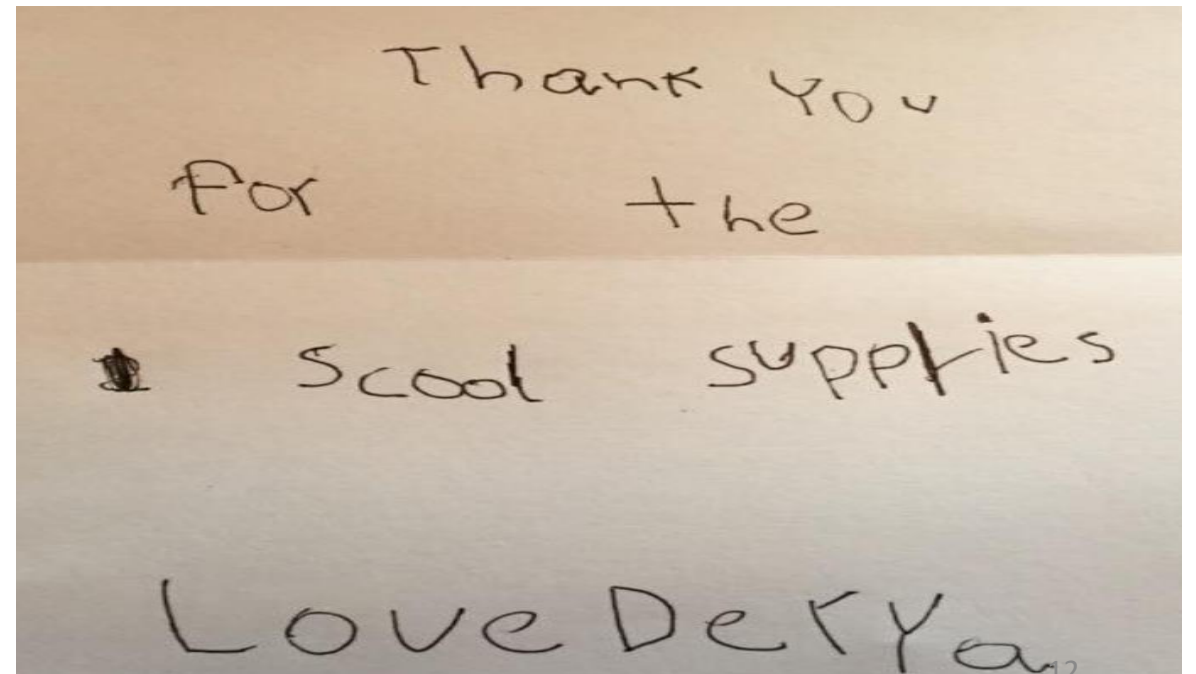
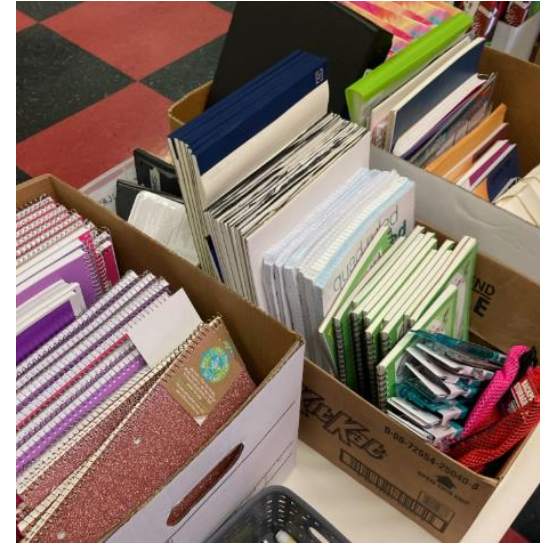
We furnish the homes of those in need with basic furniture such as beds and tables



Back-to-School Program



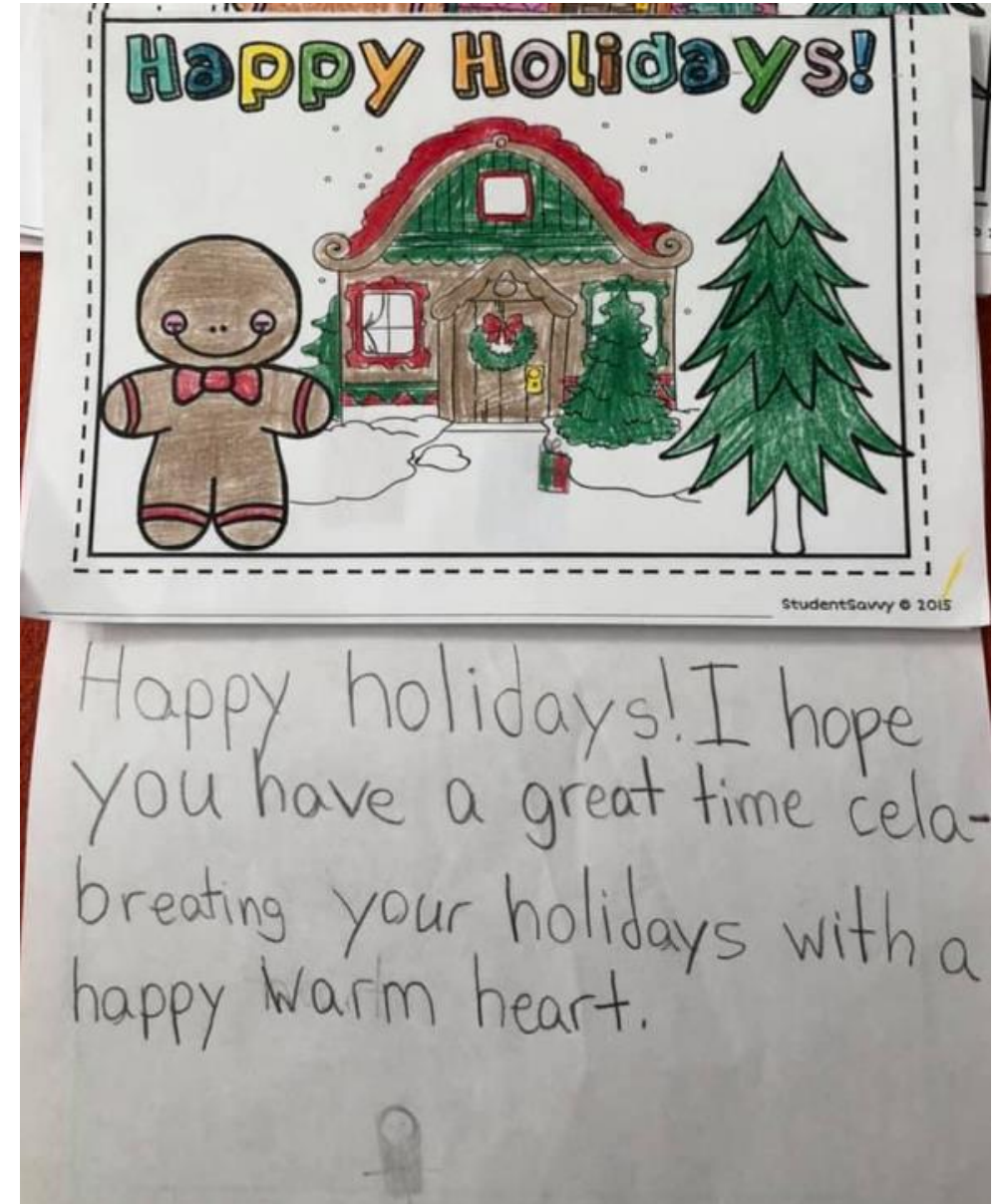
We provide school supplies for kids in K-12 and college



Clients must be registered at Share to receive school supplies

Holiday Program

Share provides gift cards to allow clients to shop for groceries and gifts during the holiday season



Emergency Financial Aid

We provide emergency financial assistance for help with rent, utilities, medical services, prescriptions, school supplies, and other temporary needs



Share's Core Values

- We value our clients and treat them with kindness, respect, and generosity.
- We value our donors and are deeply grateful for their charitableness and partnership.
- We think of our volunteers as family and are inspired by their commitment and dedication.



Want to help out?

Share is a fully volunteer-driven organization, requiring over 1,000 volunteer hours each month to stay operational! We are always looking for volunteers who can participate regularly or bring special skills to the team.

We gratefully accept donations of food, gently used clothing, monetary contributions, and gift cards.

For more information see www.shareofmclean.org



In need of help?

Share provides assistance to neighbors in the 22101, 22102, 22066 zip codes, and the Pimmit Hills area of 22043. Visit www.shareofmclean.org for information on how to register for Share services.

If you live in these areas and need assistance with food, clothing, linens, furniture or emergency funding, please contact Share directly at (703) 229-1414.

If outside the area, please contact [Fairfax County Coordinated Services Planning](#) 703-222-0880

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