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NEW SUPPLEMENTAL FOOD PROGRAM FOR EAST VALLEY RESIDENTS

East Valley residents in need of food can now get some additional assistance. Matthew's Crossing Food Bank is now offering a Supplemental Food Bag to the first 50 families in need, every Friday from 1:00-3:00 pm (or when supplies run out). Residents will need to show a photo ID to receive the free food bag. The supplemental food bag is in addition to the regular Emergency Food Box that is available to those in need once a month. Our hope is that this program can help those in need receive extra assistance in feeding their families. The supplemental food bags will be given out on a first come, first serve basis. There will only be 50 food bags available each Friday afternoon.

Matthew's Crossing Food Bank is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that provides emergency food assistance to residents in the East Valley. The food bank provides food once a month to anyone who registers with a government issued picture ID. Matthew's Crossing currently provides assistance to over 3000 people in the East Valley every month. The Food Bank is located at 1368 N. Arizona Ave, Suite 115 Chandler, AZ 85225. The Food Bank is open for monthly Emergency Food Boxes Monday through Friday from 9:00 am – noon, and the 3rd Saturday of each month from 9:00 am – noon. The Supplemental Food Box program is available every Friday from 1:00-3:00 pm.

*Uniting our community in the fight against hunger
by providing food and basic necessities to our neighbors in need*
COMPASSION * DIGNITY * HOPE

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