CONGREGATION NETIVOT SHALOM

Holiday Dinner Drive

Benefiting the Alameda County Community Food Bank

1 in 5 people in Alameda County rely on the food bank

Your donation of **\$36** provides **7** holiday meals

Your donation of **\$72** provides **15** holiday meals

Your donation of **\$120** provides **25** holiday meals



Please give generously. For every \$1 you donate, the food bank provides \$6 of food.

Thank you for your generous support!

MATCHING GRANT: Thanks to the Koret Foundation, this year your donation will go even further with a match for the first \$25,000 in contributions.

DONATE ONLINE: www.accfb.org/dinner

Scroll down the page, click on Congregation Netivot Shalom and complete your donation





Dear Friends:

With fall upon us, Alameda County Community Food Bank is preparing for our busy holiday season.

We are grateful that your congregation has again joined a dozen others in Alameda County for the **2017 Holiday Dinner Drive!** This drive has been one of our community's most remarkable fundraising efforts, raising \$1.2 million for Bay Area food banks over two decades.

We serve an immense need: 1 in 5 county residents turns to us for help. These upcoming months are critical for our efforts.

The holiday season brings stress and an added burden to our neighbors, especially in an area with such high cost of living. Many find themselves making impossible decisions – between food and rent, food and gas, or even food and medicine. A joyous holiday meal is often out of reach.

Your support will help us reach our goal of providing 16,000 holiday meals through this year's Holiday Dinner Drive – making the holidays brighter for thousands of families.

Thanks to the generosity of The Koret Foundation, this year your gift will go even further with a match for the first \$25,000 in contributions.

You and your congregation will provide much more than healthy holiday meals. You'll give children the energy to learn and grow; security for seniors; and stability for families so they can focus on securing a better future.

Participating is easy: Donate online at accfb.org/dinner or mail a check payable to "ACCFB" to the address on the front of this flier. (Please note your congregation on the check.)

Please take advantage of the matching grant and give generously to this year's drive. Our ability to provide nourishment and hope during the holiday season—and sustain our efforts into 2018—relies on contributors like you. We're so grateful for your support and wish you a joyful holiday season!

Gratefully,

Suzan Bateson

Executive Director

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P.S. Give generously - The Koret Foundation will match the first \$25,000 in contributions!