

Walk. **FOODSHARE** 27th annual against hunger

Every day, people throughout greater Hartford reach out for help to feed their families. Some of the people who need help have lost their job. Others are working in part-time or low-paying jobs but just cannot make ends meet due to rising costs.

128,000 people seek food assistance from food pantries, shelters and community "soup" kitchens in our area each year... and roughly **50,000 of those needing help are children!**

Here in central Connecticut, these organizations turn to **Foodshare** for help. Foodshare works with food manufacturers, faith and civic groups, and local farmers and gardeners to provide a healthy and varied supply of food to nearly 350 local hunger-fighting programs. We distributed over **12 million pounds of food last year**—that's more than a tractor-trailer load of food every single day!

Please participate in the annual **Walk Against Hunger** on Sunday, May 2. It's a fun, family-friendly event, and is currently our region's largest fundraiser to support programs that feed our hungry neighbors. Just sign up online at www.Foodshare.org, call us at (860)286-9999 or return the attached form. We'll send you the necessary materials so you can start asking for pledges today.

Foodshare's 27th annual Walk Against Hunger Sunday, May 2, 2010

Check-in at 1:00 p.m. / Step-off at 2:00 p.m.
The Hartford Financial Service Group
690 Asylum Avenue, Hartford

Why wait? Sign up online today at www.foodshare.org!

Every \$30 donated to Foodshare allows the regional food bank to distribute a month's worth of food for a hungry person.

Yes! I want to get involved and help fight hunger.

Walk Against Hunger

Count me in! I will Walk the Walk and ask my family, friends & co-workers to support me. I can join online today at www.foodshare.org.

I can't join the Walk, but wish to support Foodshare's work.

Enclosed is my gift of \$30 \$60 \$120 \$360 Other
Preferred method of payment:
 Check enclosed **OR** Please charge to my VISA MC
Account # _____ Exp. Date _____
 My employer will match this contribution. I have enclosed the appropriate form.



Walk the Walk at www.foodshare.org! Join as an individual or team, download flyers & other materials, or donate online.

Other Volunteer and Educational Opportunities

I would like to volunteer to help Foodshare in its mission of ending hunger. Please contact me.
 I would like a tour of Foodshare. Please contact me.
 I would like to arrange to have someone speak to our community, civic, or religious organization. Please contact me.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Thank you for your prayers and support!

Please return this form to: **FOODSHARE**
450 Woodland Avenue
Bloomfield, CT 06002
(860) 286-9999