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A Difference! <<

## > Twigs Fights Hunger <

### Summer Lunch Program:

In 2011 Twigs began giving out lunches. That summer 2,513 lunches were distributed in four locations. In 2013, 56,367 lunches were given out at 23 locations.

- Each lunch costs about \$1.25 per child a day.



Your tax deductible donation helps the children that otherwise, would not know where their lunch will come from.

### Twigs:

2542 East 25th Street  
Granite City, IL 62040  
618-876-0723

UMC Advance: #6115  
Paypal: twigsforkids@gmail.com

### Mobile Market Program:

On the first Tuesday of every month 12,000 pounds of food is given to 300 needy families. The food is donated by St. Louis Area Foodbank and distributed at 2542 E. 25th Street and Triangle Park on Rock Road.

### Pack-A-Sack Program:

During the school year we pack sacks full of food for children that are at risk of going hungry. As of now, we can only donate 392 a month to participating schools.

- Our cost is about \$20 a child per month.

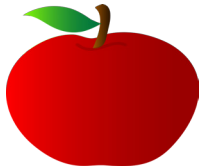
### *Get to know us:*

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**Feeding the children in need  
in our own community.**

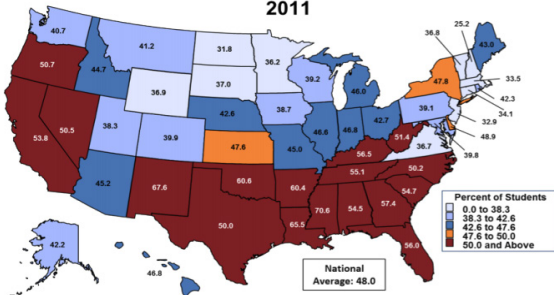
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## Hunger in Our Community-

- 1 in 5 children do not know where their next meal will come from.
- These children do not look much different, but they are suffering.
- Hunger has a dramatic impact on a child's academics, health and economic future.
- Hungry children have much higher levels of behavioral, emotional and academic problems.
- They also tend to be more anxious and aggressive.

Percent of Low Income Students in All Public Schools 2011



There is a growing number of children that qualify for the free or reduced lunch program. These are the children we try to help during the summer, since many of them are home alone and do not know where to go to get lunch.

## Communities Helped-

Alton

Coulterville

Edwardsville

Granite City



Hartford

Jerseyville

Madison

South Roxanna

Tilden

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Volunteering:  
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We are always looking for volunteers from the community to help us hand out lunches over the summer, pack take-home-a-sacks and help hand out food at the Mobile Market.

If you are interested in volunteering please call Lisa Guilliams at 618- 876-0723.

### Our Motto:

To help the communities we serve grow strong, healthy children by eliminating physical hunger, and to raise awareness about the wide spread problem of childhood hunger.

