Blacktown Area Community Centres Inc. has gathered information from local services that may also be able to provide additional support. *We recommend that you check with individual organisations as information may have changed since it was provided.*

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| **Alpha Park** |  |  |  |
| **Baptist Union of New South Wales**  Pastor Tony & Wendy  [tonycalman@oneheartblacktown.org.au](mailto:tonycalman@oneheartblacktown.org.au) | Every Friday 11am | * Lunch, Raffles and Friendship * Counselling * Family Law | * Free lunch * Free counselling – Tuesdays * Free Family Law - Fridays |
| **Bula Feeding Ministry**  Sue  0452 027 558  [bulafeeding@gmail.com](mailto:bulafeeding@gmail.com) | Every Tuesday 5pm - 7:30pm | * Hot meals | * Free * Hot meals, bread, sausage sizzle and groceries |
| **Coptic Orthodox Community Outreach Services**  Nada and Gary [info@cocos.org.au](mailto:info@cocos.org.au) | Every Wednesday at 6pm | * Hot meals * Clothes | * Free * New/used clothing and a variety of other items |
| **Hare Krishna Food for Life**  Anshul  [Anshul.c.74@gmail.com](mailto:Anshul.c.74@gmail.com) | Every Saturday at 4pm | * Meals * Household essentials | * Free * Vegetarian Meals, Fruit &Veg, Homecooked meals, bottled water, toiletries, blankets |
| **Harman Foundation Ltd and the Sikh Motorcycle Club Sydney**  Maninder & Harinder  1800 116 675  [Contactus@harmanfoundation.org.au](mailto:Contactus@harmanfoundation.org.au) | Every Thursday at 5:30pm | * Meals * Household essentials | * Free * Vegetarian Meals, Fruit & Veg, Household essentials, * Coffee van |
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| **Hellenic Orthadox parish and Community of Blacktown and Districts of St. Paraskevi**  George  [stparaskevicommunitymission@gmail.com](mailto:stparaskevicommunitymission@gmail.com) | Fortnightly Thursday 5:30pm (Next 9th November)  (Last is 21st December 2023) | * Food and Clothing | * Free * Hot meals, Cakes, and Fruits |
| **One Meal – It makes a difference**  Joanne  [Blacktown@onemeal.org.au](mailto:Blacktown@onemeal.org.au) | Every Saturday 4pm - 5pm | * Meals * Household essentials | * Free * Hot Meals, Fruit & Veg, Bread, Clothing, Groceries, Toiletries * Referral to Housing NSW |
| **RJC Ministry Centre Inc.**  Pastor Ray & Carol  [Ray.radiance@gmail.com](mailto:Ray.radiance@gmail.com) | Every Thursday at 5:30pm | Food hampers | * Free   Food hampers, Fruit and Veg, Bread, Hot and Cold beverages |
| **Society for Immortality Research Ltd.**  Priya  0421 405 513  [info@immortalresearch.org](mailto:info@immortalresearch.org) | Every Monday 6pm – 7pm | * Hot Food | * Free |
| **Street Side Medics**  [Admin@streetsidemedics.com.au](mailto:Admin@streetsidemedics.com.au) | Every Saturday 3:45pm – 6pm | * Shower & Laundry | * Free |
| **One Heart / Salvation Army**  [contact@oneheartblacktown.org.au](mailto:contact@oneheartblacktown.org.au) | Friday 11:30am  Sunday-Thursday 5.30pm  Saturday 4pm | * Lunch * Food supplies | * Free |

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| **Hills Community Aid**  390 Windsor Rd, Baulkham Hills  **Opening Hours**  Monday – Friday 9:30 am – 3 pm  (02) 9639 8620 | Monday – Friday via phone only  9:30am – 3pm  NOT AVAILABLE FOR REST OF 2023 – Back in Feb 2024 | * Food Vouchers * Financial Assistance * Health Prescription Medication * Community casework | * Food vouchers * Financial assistance – No interest loan up to $2000 for products/services needed e.g., rego payment, school uniforms (not given as cash and cannot be used for bills) * Health Prescription Medication – one-off * Community casework: DV support, counselling, and other services referral * Identification required: Centrelink income statement, or bank statement showing low income. * Opal card top-ups(must have opal card online account details) |
| **Graceades Community Cottage**  2 Rose Crt, Bidwill  **Opening Hours**  Monday – Friday: 10 am -6 pm  (02) 9628 2045 | Friday 9am  Monday-Friday 10am – 6pm | * Food Hampers * Senior Ladies * Men’s group | * Call for food hampers every Friday at 9 am * MUST speak to Breanda and leave your details. * Food varies depending on donations. * Senior Ladies Lunch – Tuesdays from 11 am – Bring your own lunch and socialise. * Men’s group – BBQ provided – participants must cook their food. * Walk in for the other services; no ID required. |
| **The Rev Bill Crews Foundation**  **Mobile Vans -** Bidwill  Opening Hours vary  (02) 8752 4600 | Monday- Friday – Bidwill (Lunch)  Wednesday  3pm – 4pm | * Food Mobile | * Mobile vans * Fresh, healthy meals for those in need |

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| **Adra Care (Adventist Development & Relief Agency)**  Suite 3, Level 2, 24 Main Street, Blacktown  **Opening Hours**  Monday – Thursday 9 am – 5 pm  (02) 9622 7188 | Monday – Thursday  10am – 4pm | * Food Hampers * Counselling * Light case management | * Hamper with vegetables and basic pantry items * Prefer 2 forms of identification e.g., License, Medicare Card, or Centrelink Concession as it makes it easier. |
| **Blacktown Anglican Church**    Corner of Orallo Ave and Richmond Road, Blacktown  **Opening Hours**  Monday – Friday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm  (02) 9831 5454 | Monday  10:00am – 11:00am Fortnightly | * Mobile Food Pantry | * Mobile Community Pantry: $12 for groceries and/or $2 for fresh food - you can then fill a bag with items of your choice from the stock available. * Option of 1 or 2 bags * Free morning tea at the same time |
| **Salvation Army Emergency Relief**  **Opening Hours**  Monday – Friday 9 am – 5 pm  1300 371 288 | Monday – Friday  9am – 5pm | * Food Services * EAPA vouchers * Clothing |  |
| **Mission Australia Emergency Relief Blacktown**  Lot 28, 6 Ayres Gr, Mt Druitt  **Opening Hours**  Monday – Friday 9 am – 4 pm  1800 669 064 | Monday – Friday  9am – 4:30pm  Emergency Services  10 am – 11 am | * Vouchers (when available) * Homelessness Support | * Must live in Blacktown LGA. (Emergency Relief only) * Walk-in |
| **Meals on Wheels**  Gribble Place, Blacktown  (02) 9622 6183 | Blacktown  Monday - Wednesday 8am – 2pm  Mount Druitt  Friday 8am – 2pm | * Food Order and Delivery | * Nutritious meals with a cost but free delivery for the elderly *Requirements - 65+, registered with My Aged Care and have a referral letter from them.* * $7 Main/$5.50 Mini Meals/ $3.50 soup & dessert * In Centre activities and social days * Bus trips (once a month) |
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| **St Vincent de Paul Blacktown**  23 David Lane, Blacktown  **Opening Hours**  Monday – Friday 9 am – 3:30 pm  (02) 8861 9777 | Monday – Friday  9am – 3:30pm for appointments except Wednesday  1pm – 3:30pm for appointments | * Food Hampers * No Interest Loans * Homelessness Support * Clothing * Furniture / Whitegoods | * Hampers to anyone on a needs basis * Identification required: Centrelink income statement, or bank statement showing low-income. * Blacktown LGA * By appointment only |
| **Riverstone Neighbourhood Centre**    9 Park Street, Riverstone (in Sam Lane complex)  **Opening Hours**  Vary  (02) 9627 3622 |  | * Food Hampers   Vouchers | * By appointment only **-**Local area residents * Food Hampers Available - 9 – 4:30pm * Food parcels available on a need’s basis * EAPA vouchers with eligibility requirements * Food vouchers available every 3 months with eligibility requirements |
| **Holy Family Catholic Church**    Jesuit Social Services  252 – 254 Luxford Rd, Emerton  Open Hours  8 am – 3 pm  (02) 9628 2288 | Monday – Friday  8am – 3:15pm | * Food Hampers | * Hampers Only Store: Food Hampers with fresh produce and/or basic pantry items for $30 / $40. * Walk-in |
| **Anglicare Mt Druitt**  94 Kurrajong Ave, Mt Druitt  **Opening Hours**  Monday - Friday 9 am – 4:30 pm  (02) 8624 8600 | Monday - Friday  9am - 4pm | * Food Parcel * EAPA vouchers * No Interest Loans * Homelessness Support | * Food Parcel – Free up to 6x a year – pantry items included (varies on donations) – walk-in. * EAPA vouchers – appointment required. * ID required: e.g., Photocard, Centrelink * Provide counselling – limited.   <https://www.anglicare.org.au/locations/mount-druitt/anglicare-mt-druitt-office/?t=service-details> |
| **Anglicare Mt Druitt**  15 Cleave Close, Mt Druitt  Anglicare Op Shop location  **Opening Hours**  Tuesday to Friday 9:30 am – 4:30 pm  (02) 8624 8600 | Tuesday to Friday  9.30am – 4:30pm | * Food Parcel * Clothing * Furniture & Whitegoods | * Food Parcel – Free up to 6x a year – pantry items included (varies on donations) – walk-in. * ID required: e.g., Photocard, Centrelink |
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| **Community Care Inc**    15 Park Rd, Seven Hills  **Opening Hours**  Fridays – 3 pm - 4 pm  (02) 9624 8866 | Fridays – (fortnightly during school term) 2pm – 4pm  The next open day is 1st December  Finishes 15th December for 2023  Returns in Feb 2024 | * Food Bags | * Hope Outreach - Free bags of food to individuals (depending on what food they have from donations)   Identification required on the first visit, e.g., Centrelink |
| **Hawkesbury Helping Hands**  Unit E, 28 Walker St, South Windsor  **Opening Hours**  Vary  (02) 4577 7077 | Saturday 9.30am – 12pm  Open through December and January  Strictly street parking only | * Food Hampers * Homelessness Support * Shower Facilities * Clothing | * Food Hampers $20.00 Saturday * Community meal on Saturday and Sunday served at 1 pm * Hot showers Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.   Open all year long including Christmas Day (call for information)   * Hot lunch on Christmas Day for anyone on their own   Check Facebook for pop-up food donation days.  [www.facebook.com/HawkesburysHelpingHands](http://www.facebook.com/HawkesburysHelpingHands) |
| **Mobile Community Pantry**  **St James Mount Druitt Anglican Church**  40 Halinda St  Whalan 2770  Margaret  0418 622 523 | Every second Thursday  16th November  Finishes 14th December 2023  Back in February 2024 | * Mobile Food Pantry | * $4 Donation for fruit, vegetables, and bread * Identification required: Health Care Card, pension card, Centrelink card. * First time is free - Must bring a letter from Centrelink. |
| **Salvation Army – Moneycare**  **Opening Hours**  Vary  1800 722 363 | Monday – Friday  Varying Hours | * Financial counselling | * Hours vary weekly – please call |

**Blacktown Council – Local Material Aid Assistance.**

<https://www.blacktown.nsw.gov.au/Services/Health-and-safety/Response-to-Coronavirus/Support-services-available/Charitable-food-services>