

Free & Affordable Food in Islington

Monday

Margins Project, Union Chapel, N1 2UN

Drop-in session for people facing homelessness. Eat-in & takeaway meals, hot shower, laundry. 11am-1pm.

Caxton House, N19 3RQ - surplus baked goods, subject to availability. 12.30pm

Muslim Welfare House N4 2DA - food bank, free parcels. Register from 11am for priority, but not required. Open at 2pm.

Hilldrop Community Centre, N7 OJE - free surplus food/bread, if available, 11am-2pm

Pack Up Lunch, St. James' Church Hall, N1 8PF - 3-course meal & refreshments. Eat-in only. All welcome. 12-1pm

Tuesday

Elizabeth House, N5 1ED - Pop-up food store, £3, for residents in: N4 2, N4 3, N5 1, N5 2, N7
Register: 02076 091300, info@elizabeth-house.org.uk

Holloway SDA Church, N7 ORN - Food bank, 12-2pm

Mildmay Community Centre, N16 8NA - Hot soup or stew, meat/vg options available, donations based. 12.30-2pm.

St Gabriel's Church (car park) N19 3EE - Food parcels including bread, vegetables and more. 10am-4pm, no referral required.

Wednesday

St Giles Community Pantry, N7 9GJ - Tues, Weds & Thurs. £4.50 per visit. Tuesdays 2-4pm, Wednesdays 9:45am-4pm, Thursdays 9:45am-12:30pm/2-4pm
Appointment only. To seek a referral, contact St Giles or visit: www.stgilestrust.org.uk/how-to-get-support.

St Luke's Community Shop & Cafe EC1V 8AJ - 10am-4pm - For some EC1 area, by appointment (call for eligibility) 02075498181 info@slpt.org.uk.

The Peel EC1R OHU Wednesdays: fresh food available. Queue from 12:45pm

Brickworks Community Centre N4 4BY Food parcels 12pm-3pm. For local area (N4 4BY). On other days, can provide emergency food bags (if available), please ring reception: 02072631067.

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Hornsey Lane Community Centre: 020 7272 5938 Giving out surplus food 10:30-2pm at Hornsey Lane N19 3YJ

Margins Project, Union Chapel 19B Compton Terrace N1 2UN. Drop-in session: as detailed on Monday (left). 11am-1pm.

Manor Gardens Centre N7 6LA. Food Coop, suggested £3 weekly donation. Various foods & toiletries. 11am-12pm, registration open from 10.30am.

St. George's N7 OND Free Hot Lunch. 10.30am -1 (lunch 12-1). Term-time only.

FoodCycle Islington. New River Baptist Church, N1 2TL
Free hot meal, 1pm. No need to book!

Holloway SDA Church N7 ORN. Haven Cafe 12- 2pm Advice, activities + free lunch (at 1.30pm)

Muslim Welfare House N4 2DA - food bank, free parcels. Register from 11am for priority, but not required. Open at 2pm.

The Hive Foodbank N19 3AD. 6.30-8.30pm. Referral needed: 020 7916 2710 hivefoodbank@gmail.com

Thursday

Mildmay Community Centre N16 8NA
Community Cookup
Free shared meal.
Meat / vg options.
Donations welcome
Cooking activity: 9.30am - 12.30pm
Food served: 12.30 - 2pm

Hillside Clubhouse N7 9GJ Hearty
Thursdays 12:30 - 3pm Free hot meals.
Halal, kosher & vg options.

Copenhagen Street Foodbank: N1 OSR -
Fresh food + non-perishable items
02078378378
copenhagenstreetfoodbank@gmail.com

Harry Rice Hall, N19 5JW - Free refreshments + pantry food. Drop-in welcome. 10am-12.30pm.

St Gabriel's Community Centre, N19 4NH - Hot meal & desserts. 10.45am-12.00pm, no referral required.

Friday

Mildmay Community Centre N16 8NA - Food Co-op for Mildmay residents. £1 per person in household. Register: visit centre or mildmaycp@gmail.com 020 7249 8286. 11.30am-1.30pm.

Andover Surplus Food project Andover Community Centre, N7 7RY. 1:30pm. Finsbury Park residents. Free 5 items. 020 7272 3493 andovercc@islington.gov.uk

St Mary's Church & The Hive Foodbank N19 3AD
Cook Together Drop-in. Learn cheap & easy recipes. Ingredients provided. 12-1pm

Hargrave Hall N19 5SP
Food pantry, 4-7pm. Free dinner, 5pm. Drop-in, all welcome.

St Luke's EC1V 8AJ - Community Dinner (monthly), for residents of South Islington. Next, 5-6pm, 27 March.

Jean's Café, Jean Stokes Community Centre N1 0DX - Pay-what-you-feel lunch. Food from 1pm.

Our Forgotten Neighbours Food Bank. 2-4pm. At park entrance beside Lidl N4 2DE

Weekends

FoodCycle Finsbury Park Andover Community Centre, N7 7RY - Free 3 course vg meal. Saturdays, 1pm onwards. No booking required.

Contact

Have a question or need to update your details shown here?

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