Tampa, Florida October 2023



End 68 Hours of Hunger

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Thanks to Women of Westshore

In addition to a month - long food drive to benefit End 68, several members have assisted us in securing funding and grant writing! Thank you to these caring women!

Special Thank you to Lisa Roman



Lisa Roman, AKA our BOGO Queen, always thinks of End 68 when she shops. Her frequent donations are greatly appreciated. Thank you, Lisa.



End 68—Busy, Busy, Busy!

It has been a very busy few months at End 68. Now feeding nearly 600 Tampa kids weekly and there has been lots of community activity supporting us. Read on to hear about all the exciting ways our community comes together to fight childhood hunger.

Looking to help? We now have an Amazon Wish List where you can supply those items we need the most. Click here to donate:

End 68 Hours of Hunger Wish List

Thank You O'Brien's Irish Tavern and Glen Fox Band!

Thank you to O'Brien's Tavern and the Glen Fox band for the fundraiser on September 9. Lots of food was collected and a good time was had by all who came out to support End 68! We appreciate the continued support of both O'Brien's and the Glen Fox Band!







Are you a Target Circle Member? End 68 is now a non-profit partner in Target's Circle Guest Directed Giving Program. From October 1 to December 31, 2023, when you make purchases, you can cast votes for End 68. We will earn a portion of their giving budget. See info here: <u>Target Circle Giving</u>

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Thank you, St. Mary's Episcopal Day School CrossFit



A huge **thank you** to St. Mary's Episcopal Day School's CrossFit for their recent food drive to benefit End 68. The donation included canned tuna and chicken, canned vegetables, and lots of snacks.

We appreciate you for always thinking of us!

CBRE Tampa and Cousins Properties Tampa Supporting End 68 Hours of Hunger

Thank you to one of our best supporters, Mike DiBlasi, and his firm, CBRE Tampa, in conjunction with Jillian Tahan and Cousins Properties Tampa for a very successful food drive benefitting End 68! Funds for donation were also raised at an ice cream social with a food truck in the parking lot. We are so grateful for your generosity!







Thank you, JPMorgan Chase Legal Department

Thank you to JPMorgan Chase Bank Legal Department for holding a weeklong food drive and the generous food donation to End 68! We love our corporate supporters.



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Ham Dinner Fundraiser at American Legion Post 152

A Ham Dinner Fundraiser benefitting End 68 was held at the American Legion Post 152. Lots of our volunteers and supportive friends were in attendance. Special thank you to Phyllis Roman for donating the food and raffle prize. Also, thanks to Lisa Roman, Carolyn Copenhaver and others for organizing this successful event. Thanks to all who worked to make this event happen and to those who attended to support our cause.

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Thank you, Suncoast Council of Beta Sigma Phi



Special thanks to Betty
Quigley for inviting End 68
Hours of Hunger to the
SunCoast Council of Beta
Sigma Phi. This wonderful
group of women is
collecting food donations
this year for the pantry and
made their first donation at
their recent picnic
luncheon. Pictured are
Anna Orr, Gail White,
Betty Quigley and Terry
Kirkland.





Thank you, DiBlasi Family and First Presbyterian Church of Tampa

What would we do without the continuing support we receive from the First Presbyterian Church of Tampa and the help from the DiBlasi family in coordinating food drives!! Once again, they have collected lots of needed food for our hungry kids! Thank you just isn't enough!





South Tampa Fellowship Meal Packing Event

Marc Corradino, Missions Pastor at South Tampa Fellowship, organized a meal packing event to benefit End 68. Families and End 68 Volunteers worked hard at Chiaramonte Elementary School to pack about 10,000 chicken and rice soup meals to feed children in need. Soup is an important staple we provide and soup prices have more than doubled in the last year or two. Special shout out to Lilian and Doug DeVaux for going the extra mile to help with this event. We want to thank you, Marc, and all who came out to help with this important undertaking. Also, thanks to the members of ROTC who helped unload the cartons and bring into our pantry.









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Drop Off Locations

Palma Ceia Presbyterian Church 3501 W. San Jose Street Tampa, 33629 every day except Saturday

End 68 Hours of Hunger Pantry (Inside Hyde Park Presbyterian Church Please call ahead: 813-253-0069) 1309 W. Swann Ave. Tampa, FL 33606

Tanner Paints 4917 N. Armenia Tampa, FL 33603 Or 3645 S. Manhattan Ave. Tampa, FL 33629 The Pithers Group - Coldwell Banker Realty Westchase Town Center 10108 Montague Street Tampa, FL 33626

HOTWORX 2208 S. Dale Mabry Hwy. Tampa, FL 33629

Winn-Dixie 2100 W. Swann Ave. Tampa, FL 33606

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to End 68
through PayPal,
Credit Card, or
Debit Card.



We are looking for corporate sponsors!

We are looking for corporate groups who are interested in sponsoring and/or packing a food packing event. For further information, contact us at:

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