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MEDIA ADVISORY

Empty Bowls kicks off Sunday

Event benefits the Food Bank, Just Harvest

PITTSBURGH, PA (March 23, 2022) Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank and Just Harvest are proud to host this year's Empty Bowls fundraiser on April 7, 2024. The event aims to host a community meal to address hunger across our region. Empty Bowls will offer a meal of soup and bread benefiting the two organizations. In addition to the meal, attendees will select a ceramic bowl made by local artisans to take home as a reminder of our neighbors facing hunger.

Tickets are now on sale at pittsburghfoodbank.org/emptybowls and are \$25 in advance or \$30 at the door. This year's event is expected to welcome nearly 1,900 people. The event has raised more than \$1 million for the organizations since it began in 1996.

When: Sunday, April 7, 2024

Seating times: 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.; 3:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.; 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.

Location: Rodef Shalom Congregation in Oakland

Who: Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank & Just Harvest

What: Food Bank and Just Harvest to serve 1,900 people in effort to combat hunger

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About Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank

Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank is a nonprofit organization that distributes food for more than 42 million meals annually across 11 counties in southwestern Pennsylvania through a network of more than 1,000 agencies, partners and programs. The Food Bank was founded in 1980 and is a member of Feeding America, the leading domestic hunger-relief charity in the U.S. For more information on hunger in our region or how to get involved, visit pittsburghfoodbank.org.