



An Exciting Development!

At the October church meeting, members agreed to progress with a proposal to partner with the Bradford North Foodbank in **providing a foodbank here at GBC**:

- To meet with clients referred to us (*due to being in crisis*), providing them with sufficient food for three days
- Weekly, most likely on a Friday lunchtime (11.30 1.30)
- Welcome, provide refreshments, signpost to other services, listen, offer prayer (where appropriate)

What we'll need to do:

- Develop the lower floor in the Hub new kitchen, foodbank storage/preparation room, café area (tables and chairs), decorate
- Find and train volunteers!!!
- Manager(s)
- Helpers (on a rota) who can do some of the following:
 - o welcome clients
 - o prepare and serve refreshments
 - o manage the stock and receive deliveries
 - o make up food parcels
 - o signpost to other relevant services, listen, offer prayer

Next steps:

- Continue to liaise with Bradford North Foodbank for set-up and training
- Test out floor plans with people with relevant expertise
- Get quotes for building work, kitchen fitting, storage requirements, café furniture



- Ensure we have enough volunteers committed to making the foodbank work
- Please PRAY



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Can you serve in this way?

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