APPLICATION FORM ☐ I/We would like to apply for **Food Share** parcels I/We prefer to receive these: □ weekly □ fortnightly How many adults and Children are there in your household? Adults __ Children ____ Are there dietary preferences or needs we should know about? Name: _____ Address: Contact Number (Tel. or Mobile) ☐ I consent to Dorchester Community Church retaining the above details for the sole purpose of delivering Food Share parcels. Signature: _____ Date: Please return your completed application form to Dorchester Community Church

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"At Dorchester Community Church we are committed to supporting our local community & this is one of the practical ways we can share the love of God to those around us. You can check out what we're about on our Website..."

Glynn Barrow - Pastor



FOOD SHARE



What is "Food Share"?

At Dorchester Community Church we accept donations of fresh food from local Supermarkets & Community Allotments and turn them into food parcels. We deliver these to local families and households that would benefit from a *Food Share* delivery

Who can apply for a "Food Share" Parcel?

Anyone who is living in Dorchester or nearby (DT1 & DT2) and experiencing financial hardship can apply for a *Food Share* Parcel. We are particularly keen to assist families finding it difficult to provide food for their children.

How do I apply for a "Food Share" Parcel?

We accept referrals from keyworkers, health care professionals, community groups and agencies including Citizens Advice. Alternatively, please complete & return the attached application form.

How often and for how long will I receive "Food Share" Parcels?

We will aim to deliver regular parcels for up to 12 weeks. Deliveries can be weekly or fortnightly & are subject to availability. Further deliveries would require a professional referral.

"We can't thank you enough" (N)

"The food parcels have made a huge difference to us" (C)

I no longer need/wish to receive my "Food Share" Parcel. How can I cancel it?

Simply text **07918 877498**. telephone us on **01305 267171** or e-mail: contact@dorchestercommunitychurch.org.uk

We will not make any further deliveries to your home and will delete all your contact details from our records.

Who donates the food and what will be in my "Food Share" parcel?

We currently receive donations from Coop, Tesco, Waitrose, The Watercress Company & Community Allotments A typical parcel will contain bread, bakery, eggs, fresh fruit and vegetables. We occasionally receive other items, for example, store cupboard items & cereals.

I need help completing my application form, what do I do?

Contact us on **01305 267171** and we will help you to complete it.



What we are about:

Dorchester Community Church is committed to "Celebrating and Sharing the love of God." Our Food Share service is a practical expression of this.

We want to make a difference in our Local Community

We are pleased to be able to work with FareShare to help reduce food waste by distributing fresh food to local people – food that would otherwise have been thrown away

