

Food Providers in the Bedford Borough Area - Changes to services over Christmas and New Year - 2025.

You can find full details of the Food Providers via: <https://www.cvsbeds.org.uk/foodprovidersinbedfordborough>. This document is produced by CVS Bedfordshire on behalf of the Bedford Borough Food Providers Network. We have taken all reasonable steps to ensure that this information is correct, but we cannot be held responsible for any inaccuracies in the information. Please check with the respective organisation to ensure that the service is still operating.

Provider	Details
Bedford Foodbank	Last day of provision before Christmas is Tuesday 23 rd December. Service returns to normal on Monday 5 th January 2026. https://bedford.foodbank.org.uk/get-help/
Bedford Pentecostal Church	Christmas Dinner will be served at Bedford Pentecostal Church, Roise St, Bedford, MK40 1JJ, on Saturday 6 th December (1pm to 3pm). Clients should just turn up at the church.
British Red Cross	Closed Thursday 25 th December, Friday 26 th December and Thursday 1 st January 2026. Please call 01234 341 503 or 07525 902 552
Church of the Transfiguration Kempston	Tuesday 23 rd December - Christmas lunch, 12pm to 3pm. Mickey's café is open Tuesday 23 rd December (12pm-2pm), and then closed until Tuesday 6 th January 2026. 132 Bedford Rd, Kempston, Bedford, MK42 8BQ. https://www.transfiguration.org.uk/mickeyscafe
Dine With Us On The Streets	Thursday 18 th December - Christmas meal at St Pauls Church, Bedford 5pm for families with children. 7pm for everyone else. https://www.facebook.com/DineWithUsOnTheStreetsCherriesLegacy
Ethnic Foodbank	Open as normal on Thursday 25 th December (Christmas Day) and Thursday 1 st January 2026 - 5.30pm - 7.30pm. https://www.ethnicfoodbank.org/get-food
IMPAKT FOOD	Open on Tuesday 16 th and Wednesday 17 th December. Closed on Thursday 18 th and Friday 19 th December. Open on Tuesday 23 rd December for a Christmas provision – all ingredients for a full roast dinner will be provided, alongside sweet treats/drinks/desserts. Service reopens on Thursday 8 th January 2026. Hawes Court, Bedford, MK40 1AW. https://www.instagram.com/impaktfood
Jubilation Action Group	The Community Food Pantry is open on Friday 19 th December, and then closed until Monday 5 th January 2026. https://www.facebook.com/JubilationActionGroup
King's Arms Project	Winter Night Shelter operating at 56 Harpur Street, Bedford, MK40 2QT from 1 st December to 16 th March 2026. Food only available to those staying at the Winter Night Shelter. https://kingsarmsproject.org/bedford-winter-night-shelter/
SMART Prebend Support Hub	The service is only open to rough sleepers, who will need to undergo an assessment. Open Monday - Friday, 8.30am-3.30pm between 1 st December and 31 st March 2026. Service closed on Thursday 25 th December (Christmas Day), with extra food provision on Christmas Eve. 12-14 Prebend Street, Bedford, MK40 1QW. https://smartcjs.org.uk/smart-prebend-centre/
The Pavement Project	Friday 26 th December (Boxing Day) – Church Square (Pigeon Square) - 11am. Serving bacon sandwiches, soup, and handing out snacks, clothing and toiletries https://www.facebook.com/p/The-Pavement-Project-61553946310476
The Salvation Army	Open as normal on Wednesday 24 th December (Christmas Eve) Closed on Wednesday 31 st December (New Year's Eve) Open as normal on Wednesday 7 th January 2026 Commercial Road, Bedford, MK40 1QS. https://www.salvationarmy.org.uk/bedford-congress-hall
4 Seasons Outreach	Thursday 25 th December (Christmas Day) – 12pm Christmas Dinner at St Peter de Merton Church, De Parys Ave, Bedford, MK40 2TX. https://www.facebook.com/groups/711921973052575