

**LOAVES & FISHES OF SOUTH HOUSTON COUNTY, INC.**

P.O. Box 802 (mailing address)                      733 Carroll St. (physical location)  
Perry, GA 31069

**2009**

**IMPORTANT GUIDELINES AND INFORMATION**

The Board of Directors of Loaves & Fishes has found it necessary to require proof of the income of everyone living in your home. The following proof will be required each time you receive food beginning January 1, 1999, with the exception of Social Security and SSI recipients. Social Security and SSI recipients must bring proof at the beginning of each new year.

**PICTURE IDENTIFICATION IS REQUIRED OF EVERYONE EACH VISIT!!**

**Example of Proof of Income:**

1. stub of Social Security checks
2. stub of retirement checks
3. stub of supplementary Social Security Income (SSI)
4. stub of checks of any other income
5. proof of child support payment

**NOTICE:** Proof of current street address, in your name, must be presented each visit beginning January 1, 1999.  
Examples of proof: current electric, gas, or telephone bills.

**Beginning January 1, 2007** eligibility/criteria for service will be determined, on a yearly basis, by the income stats provided by the USDA Emergency Food Assistance Program.

Loaves & Fishes is a volunteer organization consisting of dedicated workers who give of their time and efforts, without payment, to help others. PLEASE remember this as they work with you day in and day out. We are open every Monday and Thursday, except for announced holidays. Our hours are from 10:00 A.M. until 12:00 P.M.

Loaves & Fishes is an emergency resource. Specifically this means that if you find it necessary to use our resources again for emergency needs, you must wait thirty (30) days between each visit to receive food. In order for Loaves & Fishes to continue helping you, IT IS A MUST that you follow our guidelines and polices. **OTHERWISE YOU WILL NOT BE SERVED!**

**REMINDERS: NO SMOKING, NO ALCOHOL, NO DRUGS OR SELLING OF ANY ITEM BY CLIENTS OR VOLUNTEERS IS ALLOWED ON LOAVES AND FISHES PROPERTY.**

**FOR YOUR INFORMATION, LOAVES & FISHES WILL BE CLOSED ON THE MAJOR HOLIDAYS LISTED BELOW IN 2009**

<u>Monday, January 1, 2009. New Year's Day</u>	<u>Monday, October 12... Columbus Day</u>
<u>Monday, Jan. 19... MLK, Jr. Holiday</u>	<u>Thursday, November 26... Thanksgiving Day</u>
<u>Monday, Feb. 16... President's Day</u>	<u>Thurs., December 24...Christmas Eve</u>
<u>Monday, May 25...Memorial Day</u>	<u>Monday, Dec. 28... Worker Holiday</u>
<u>Monday, Sept. 7...Labor Day</u>	<u>Thurs., Dec. 31...New Year's Eve</u>

**Loaves and Fishes will re-open on Monday, January 4, 2010!!!!**