

HOLIDAY MEALS DELIVERED (FORMERLY) GEORGETOWN CHRISTMAS DAY DINNER PROGRAM



WHAT IS HOLIDAY MEALS DELIVERED?

Beth Jenkins, President of Pilot's Choice Aviation, Inc. has responsibility for this Program. It was started back in the late nineties by Joann Ford, Principal of the Ford Elementary School. Beth and her father started out as drivers. Holiday Meals Delivered (HMD) benefits families and seniors referred through Meals on Wheels (MOW) and Caring Place.

WHO PARTICIPATES?

This is a Georgetown community effort to make sure homebound seniors and needy families have a wonderful Christmas with a hot Christmas meal catered by Georgetown Sheraton, gifts and holiday goodies. The recipients are from moderate to low-income families and those on fixed income such as seniors.

Georgetown Sheraton, HEB, The Caring Place, Opportunities MOW, Monument Cafe, Georgetown school children, local Georgetown residents, Women Helping Others (WHO), Blue Santa, IKEA and several Sun City neighborhoods donate gift items, food and drivers to make this happen.

HOW DO THE MEALS GET DELIVERED?

The Christmas dinner and gift bags are delivered to each family on a one-on-one basis by over a hundred volunteers on Christmas morning. It is anticipated that over 250 families will be served for a total of over 600 meals; 2/5 are seniors, and 3/5 are families. Because of COVID, the delivery will still be on a one-to-one basis; however, the delivery person and/or family will not enter the home. Once the recipient answers the door, the food and gift bag will be handed to them but keeping it safe by keeping 6 feet apart.