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Sunrise Credit Union Donates \$30,000 to Local Food Drives

Christmas is the true chorus that culminates and commences another year of wonderful opportunities to reach out to those around us. In honour of their 15th Anniversary and the spirit of giving, Sunrise Credit Union is donating \$1,500 to 20 local food drives across Southwestern Manitoba, for a total of \$30,000 this holiday season:

- Heart 2 Heart – Baldur
- Boissevain Food Pantry – Boissevain
- Boissevain Christmas Cheer – Boissevain
- Samaritan House Ministries – Brandon
- Helping Hands Centre – Brandon
- Salvation Army – Brandon
- Sara’s Pantry – Glenboro
- Deloraine & Area Community Food Cupboard – Deloraine
- Hartney Christmas Cheer Fund – Hartney
- M.I.L.E.S. for Seniors Inc – Holland
- Melita & Area Community Link Food Pantry – Melita
- Melita & Area Christmas Cheer Board – Melita
- Minnedosa & Area Food Bank – Minnedosa
- Reston-Pipestone Pastoral Charge – Reston
- Erickson & Area Food Bank – Erickson
- Ste. Rose Food Bank – Ste. Rose du Lac
- Treherne Christmas Cheer – Treherne
- Virden & Area Food Cupboard – Virden
- Virden Christmas Cheer – Virden
- Shoal Lake Food Bank – Shoal Lake

“The Christmas season presents opportunities to spread peace and joy to those around us.” said Sunrise Credit Union President and CEO Tim Klassen, “Our mission is to support the organizations in our communities that are dedicated to improving the lives of local families, and we are grateful that we have the ability to do just that, especially during the Christmas season.”

About Sunrise Credit Union

Sunrise Credit Union was formed in 2008 and now offers personalized service to approximately 34,000 members across 19 branches. Sunrise Credit Union serves Baldur, Boissevain, Brandon, Cypress River, Deloraine, Grandview, Hartney, Holland, Laurier, Melita, Minnedosa, Reston, Sandy Lake, Shoal Lake, Ste. Rose du lac, Strathclair, Treherne, Virden, and Waskada.

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