

## **NEWTON WELFARE OFFICE AND FOOD PANTRY**

The Welfare office and Food Pantry are offered to families on a need-basis. The office is open to provide crisis intervention, direct services, and education. If you find yourself in need, call the Welfare Office for a confidential assessment.

The food pantry is open to all Newton Families. Currently, the Food Pantry is fully stocked. If you are in need of food, call the Welfare Office and make an appointment. Thank you to all that helped stock the Food Pantry this past year.

Thanksgiving and Christmas are busy times for the Welfare Office. Thank you also to everyone that bought gifts for our local families, made cash donations, or bought a meal. Your generosity makes both holidays more enjoyable for many Newton residents. Through your donations, the Welfare Office was able to make Christmas merrier for more than 20 Newton children this year.

The Gale Library and Newton Post Office deserve special thanks for their ongoing support at Christmas time. Generous Newton families look forward to picking a name off their Christmas trees and donating gifts that brighten many local children's holiday.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Connie Smith  
Newton Welfare Agent