

The primary mission of the Pebble Organic Community Garden is growing crops to feed the hungry in our own Bucks County backyard in cooperation with other local organizations. By partnering with the Bucks County Opportunity Council (BCOC) and the Penn State Cooperative Extension's Master Gardeners Program, a genuine way for us to address the real and ever-growing need of alleviating hunger locally is created.



The secondary mission of our garden is the promotion of sustainable organic agriculture practices through example and education. Living a sustainable life and working closely with other species sharing our planet are excellent spiritual practices.



Hunger Statistics from The Bucks County Opportunity Council:

- Last year there were 52,241 visits to 27 Bucks County food pantries.
- The total annual food distribution was over 600,000 pounds of food which is the equivalent of 463,331 meals.
- Almost a million people in the Delaware Valley face hunger every day.
- Last year there was a 26 % raise in people coming to BCOC for food compared to the year before.



The Bucks County Opportunity Council, Pebble Hill Church and Penn State Cooperative Extension have collaborated to grow and package fresh produce to be distributed to 27 Bucks County food pantries.



Throughout the season the garden will be planted and maintained to provide an inviting place to participate and commune with nature. As part of sustainable and organic growing practices, a variety of flowers and herbs will be planted within and around the garden. These plant varieties serve to augment soil nutrients for food crops, provide natural pest control, discourage weed growth, attract beneficial insects, and create beauty and biodiversity for all to enjoy.

