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THE DINNER BELL

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FEED ST. MARY'S

OUR MISSION: To alleviate food insecurity throughout St. Mary's County

OUR VISION: A St. Mary's County free from hunger

2020 – FEED ST. MARY'S YEAR IN REVIEW

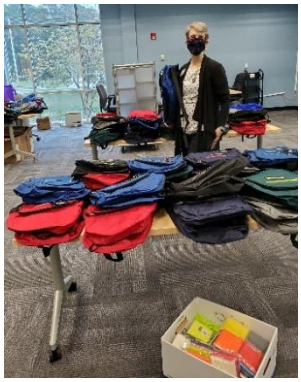
Feed St. Mary's Food Bank was set to celebrate its opening on Friday, March 20, 2020 with our "First Drop Celebration". However, like so many other activities last year, the celebration had to be postposed out of health concerns.

While the fun and festivities of the celebration had to be postponed, the work of Feed St. Mary's continued throughout the year. In a year marked by challenges, FSM got off to a rousing start by providing support to local pantries and food to county residents.

In this issue of the Dinner Bell, we want to celebrate our first anniversary and honor the people who made it all possible. While we are only able to share the photos of some of our people and events, our thoughts and thanks go out to EVERYONE who made 2020 a banner year in feeding St. Mary's!

IT BEGINS WITH WORKERS

ADD IN SOME COMMUNITY PARTNERS



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