



JUDAISM VALUES:

Hazan et Hakol (Providing Food for All)

Each year, the U.S. throws away 130 billion+ pounds of food. Every year, 46 million Americans do not have regular access to food. *Hazan et hakol* is part of a blessing said after eating. It moves us towards the ideal of each and every person getting their portion of food through divine intervention. As Jews, we are given the responsibility of *tikkun olam* (repairing the world). By ensuring those in need have access to enough food, we are fulfilling our duty to make the world a better place.

“At a time when the community is suffering, no one should say, “I will go home, eat, drink and be at peace with myself.””

—(Babylonian Talmud Taanit, 11a)



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How can you help stop food waste and food insecurity?



- 1. Give back.** Volunteer at a local soup kitchen, pantry or homeless shelter to help feed families in need.
- 2. Learn.** Read and share stories about people in your community who are struggling with hunger.
- 3. Donate.** Host a virtual food drive! Set up a webpage to raise money and encourage friends and family to donate to local pantries and shelters in need.



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