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God's Marketplace Food Pantry moves into new home



Joan Drinkard and Buddy Lindsey put the finishing touches on the inside of the GMI Food Pantry.

God's Marketplace has moved its Food Pantry next door to the Thrift Store on East Robert Toombs Avenue. Margaret and James Jones made the property available and the move was begun and completed January 16-17.

A host of volunteers helped move all the food, freezers, and shelving, then helped put all the food on the shelves. The GMI Food Pantry will open as usual Tuesday, January 20 and will continue to open as usual on the first and third Tuesdays of each month.

"We would like to thank the schools, churches, and individuals who generously give to GMI Food Pantry," Director David Toburen said. All donations to the GMI Food Pantry are tax deductible and 100 percent of the money goes to buy food. Rich Seibert is the director of the Food Pantry and Buddy Lindsey and Joan Drinkard are the managers.

"We also have a strong group of volunteers that help buy food and pass out food on Tuesdays," Toburen added.



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A group of hard-working volunteers spent many hours last weekend moving the God's Marketplace Food Pantry into its new home in a building provided by Margaret and James Jones.