

West Interfaith Community Engagement - 07-30-2020 Call Recap -

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Recap of Thursday, 07/30/2020, 1:30 pm call:

On the call:

Trinity Episcopal Church

Sally Browne

Excelsior United Methodist Church

Jordan Harper

Bill Lester

Mt. Calvary Lutheran

Heidi Busch

ICA

Patti Sinykin

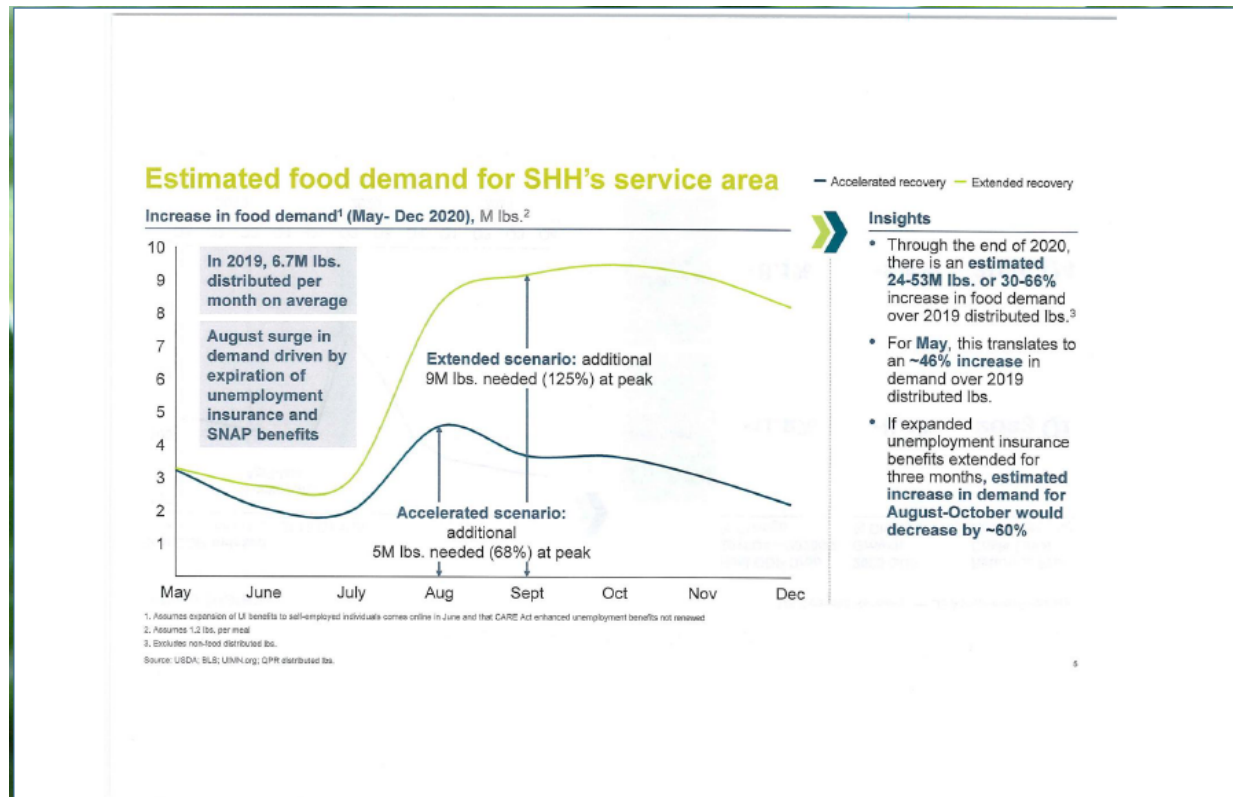
Meals on Wheels

Laura Williams

Updates:

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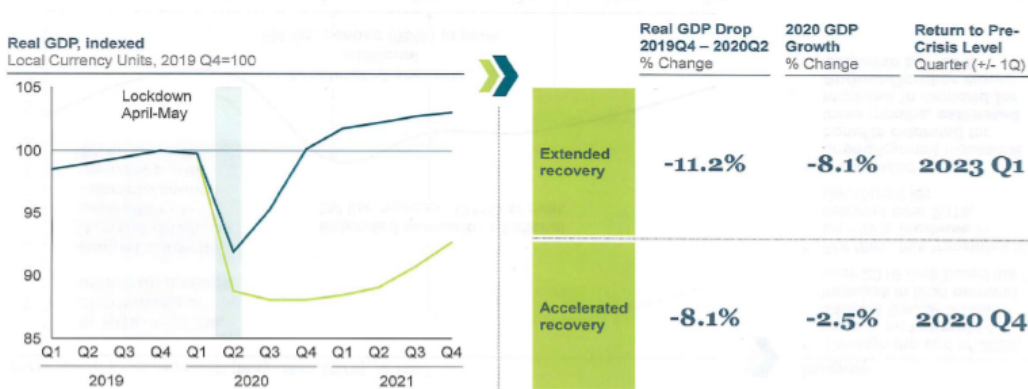
- Huge Increase in Need for housing support
 - 500% + over same time last year
- Patti shared some research results from a McKinsley and Co. study (Attached and below)



Updated April 20, 2020

Projected recovery timelines: From 9 months to 3 years

United States



Source: McKinsey analysis, in partnership with Oxford Economics; extended recovery corresponds to scenario A1; accelerated recovery corresponds to scenario A3

Mt. Calvary

- ELCA grant for Mobile Employment Resource Center
 - Technology, equipment and supplies for a local, mobile employment assistance program
 - Need volunteers for staffing
 - Bi-Lingual
 - HR Skills

General Discussion:

Housing Stability Assistance fund/funds “Adopt a Family”

- Purpose
 - A funding resource for local housing assistance non-profits to cover “the gap”
 - Co-Branded between local faith communities and Non-Profits
 - Non qualifying family/client
 - Need exceeds assistance limits (Program or Organization limits)
 - Bridging the “Gap” results in housing stability for that family/client
- Faith Communities
 - Communicate needs to their members
 - Collect funds to respond to specific and/or general support of local housing emergencies
- Non-Profits
 - ICA
 - WeCan
 - His House
- Patti and Jordan will prepare a flyer/outline of program

Landlord Informational/Town Hall Zoom

- Presenters/content developers?
- Timing
 - Mid August?
- Promotion

- Patti will see if there is any ICA resources that may be able to give some advice/guidance

Website

- Put together a prototype of Webpage
 - Links to local assistance programs, information and resources
 - Postings
 - Meeting agendas and recaps
 - Jordan, Sally and Bill will coordinate

Next call – Thursday August 13, 2020 1:30 pm