**Community Thanksgiving Meal**

**TURKEY PREP INSTRUCTIONS**

***Thank you for preparing a turkey to bless all those who will be enjoying Thanksgiving dinner at the Lititz/Warwick Community Thanksgiving Meal.***

Please follow these **requirements** when preparing your turkey and please sign below and return this form with the cooked turkey:

· Frozen turkeys **MUST** only be thawed in your refrigerator and **NOT ANYWHERE ELSE.**

· Turkeys are to be **THOROUGHLY** cooked **ON** Thanksgiving morning to an internal temperature of **175° F** (innermost thigh and breast), **NOT** the night before and then refrigerated.

· **DO NOT depend on the pop-up indicator as sole indication** that the turkey is done. Please check the actual temperature where the thigh joins the body of the turkey.

· Each turkey is to be delivered **HOT and not below 165° F.** For safety reasons, the internal temperature of each turkey will be checked upon delivery.

· Provide one quart of gravy with each turkey.

· **Deliver turkeys between 7:00 a.m. & 8:30 a.m. or between 8:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m., (depending on which shift you signed up for)** on Thanksgiving morning to 29 Green Acre Road, Lititz. The kitchen entrance is off the back parking lot.

· **Questions?** Contact Hosanna at 717-626-2560 or info@hosannalititz.org.

· Thank you for your generosity in serving our community and your commitment to food safety.

***I understand the importance of following the above food safety requirements and attest that I have done so.***

Printed Name

Signature Date