Metric 1.3

AY 2024-2025

Saint Louis University

University Anti-Poverty Programmes



Indicator 1.3.3

AY 2024-2025

Saint Louis University

Low-Income Student Support



Project Daily Bread: A Continuing Commitment To Combat Poverty Through Food Assistance

Published in the Saint Louis University Website:

https://www.slu.edu.ph/2024/10/17/project-daily-bread-saint-louis-universitysmission-ad-intra/



Witnessing students quietly endure hunger while striving for an education, former Dean of Student Affairs and Services, Mrs. Triceayn Marie Prestousa, turned compassion into action through Project Daily Bread, a movement born from empathy.

Launched in 2011, the project united multiple departments in a shared mission: to end involuntary hunger among students. What began as a small act of kindness evolved into an institutional lifeline feeding both body and spirit.

To date, 1,068 students have found strength, dignity, and hope through Project Daily Bread, enabling them to pursue their studies without the burden of hunger. Now in its 14th year, the program continues to grow. As of the first semester of the 2024–2025 academic year, 34 scholars remain under its care.

Project Daily Bread is more than a feeding initiative; it is a model of sustainable university compassion, proving that small, consistent acts of service can transform lives and strengthen communities. It reminds us that when an institution nourishes its students, it nourishes the future itself. Project Daily Bread is proof that when compassion becomes policy, education becomes the most potent weapon against poverty.

