



HELP NEEDED: Pastor Abby Walmsley is calling for driver volunteers for the drive-in's annual Christmas Day dinner. They need people to volunteer their time to pick up and drop off elderly people. Picture: Cordell Richardson

Volunteers needed for community dinner

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CAN you spare a few hours on Christmas Day to help the needy and socially isolated?

Volunteer drivers are needed to help chauffeur elderly residents from across Ipswich to the church at the Tivoli Drive-in where they can receive a hearty Christmas meal. The drive-in has been hosting the community dinner for a num-

ber of years, and always attracts a big crowd of hungry people. Last year close to 200 people attended.

Donna Isaacs, from Glory City Church West, said "by hosting a Christmas dinner, we can get people who might otherwise spend Christmas Day alone to come and enjoy a nice dinner with others in the community".

Ms Isaacs is hoping a number of experienced and reliable

drivers will graciously put their hands up to help.

"There are many elderly people in our community who are socially isolated and can't get to the drive-in for the dinner," she said.

"I would like to do a call out for any individual drivers who have a Blue Card and who can do the pick ups and drop offs."

Email volunteers@tivoli-drivein.com or phone 3812 0109 for more information.

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