



**St. Mary's
Food Bank**

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SECOND ANNUAL BIRD ON BIKES POKER RUN TO BENEFIT ST. MARY'S FOOD BANK ALLIANCE

Phoenix, AZ – The Second Annual Birds on Bikes Turkey Drive will be held Saturday with participants riding in the poker-style run to benefit St. Mary's Food Bank Alliance.

Registration is from 9 to 11 am at either the Chandler Harley Davidson, 6995 Chandler Blvd. in Chandler, or the Arrowhead Harley Davidson, 16130 N. Arrowhead Fountain Center Drive in Peoria. The cost is one frozen turkey per person or \$15 per person, and all participants will receive a Birds on Bike event t-shirt.

Riders will complete a poker-style run, with tickets handed out at designated stops. The ride will end at Rawhide at Wild Horse Pass with live music, food and prizes.

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ABOUT THE FOOD BANK: St. Mary's Food Bank Alliance, the world's first food bank, is a non-sectarian, nonprofit organization that alleviates hunger by efficiently gathering and distributing food to 675 sites that serve the hungry. Serving 13 of Arizona's 15 counties, the organization is committed to volunteerism, building community relationships, and improving the quality of life for Arizonans in need. During Fiscal Year 2006-2007, the Food Bank distributed 51.5 million pounds of food to families and individuals, provided enough food for 200,000 meals every day, and garnered more than 230,000 volunteer service hours. Web site: www.FirstFoodBank.org, Phone: 602-242-FOOD.