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**Community Kitchen Entrepreneur Chefs Prepare Thanksgiving for Community  
Martha's Table Launches Community Kitchen to Support Local Entrepreneurs**

This weekend Martha's Table, a DC-based non-profit organization that provides education, health and wellness, economic mobility, and family support services, will host its annual Community Harvest Dinner, at which more than 1,200 Thanksgiving meals will be distributed at no cost to families.

The 2023 Community Harvest Dinner will take place from 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Saturday, November 18 at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, located at 1600 Morris Rd SE, Washington, DC 20020.

The meals are being prepared by local chef entrepreneurs, and recent grantees of Martha's Table Community Kitchen Entrepreneur program:

- **Christa and Terry Joyner**, [Mamma Tee's Kitchen](#): This Ward 8 resident pair operate a catering and meal prep venture, blends their culinary passion with cherished family values. Their diverse menu boasts dishes crafted from fresh local ingredients.
- **Gesenia 'Chef Gigi' Corea**, [Side Dish Queen](#): As a distinguished private chef in D.C., Corea excels in meal prep, personal chef services, and event catering. Advocating healthy and mindful eating, she envisions expanding her meal prep service across the DMV while educating youngsters about wholesome cooking.
- **Brett Dyer**, [Wolfmoon Catering](#): Founded in 2013, Wolfmoon Catering, steered by culinary maestro Brett Dyer, introduces a unique blend of soul food with Native American flavors. Overcoming challenges post a 2015 stroke, Brett's rejuvenated zeal propels him to revive his grandmother-inspired business dream.



For more information about our Community Kitchen program visit:

<https://marthastable.org/communitykitchen/>

[Link to photos from 2022 Harvest Dinner](#)

### **About Martha's Table**

Martha's Table opened our doors in 1980 to children in need of a safe place and a warm meal after school. Over the years, we have evolved to meet the changing needs and growing aspirations of our communities. Today, Martha's Table works in deep collaboration with our neighbors to deliver on our mission to support strong children, strong families, and strong communities in the District of Columbia. We do so by providing a holistic range of services focused on high-quality education, health and wellness, family supports, and economic mobility that help our neighbors, particularly those in Wards 7 and 8, move from instability to thriving. To learn more, visit [www.marthastable.org](http://www.marthastable.org).