Celebrate a day, full of thanks!

LEWES Day of Gratitude
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November 21, 2026

Join us in Lewes, all day long, as we provide support, & share kindness & appreciation of our community!

Net House
Front St. | Lewes

8 – 10am

Free Coffee & Breakfast Goods

- Stop by & complete a **gratitude card** to be displayed at the net house
- **Beebe Healthcare Mobile Unit** offering on-site health screenings
- **Paws for People** on-site

9:15 – 9:30am

Cape Henlopen High School Choral Group

Historic Lewes Farmers Market
Lewes Elementary School parking lot

9am – 12pm

Purchase fresh food for local pantries. It's a win-win-win; you benefit by feeling good, the farmers benefit with your support, & the community benefits!

Lewes Public Library

10am – 2pm

Drop off paper goods & personal hygiene products to be packaged by the library's "**Roots & Shoots**" team. These are then delivered to shelters & public restrooms around the city.

St. Peter's Episcopal Church

12 noon

Gratitude Service

Coastal Concerts
Bethel United Methodist Church | Lewes

2 – 4pm

Food Drive; bring non-perishable food items to be donated to local food bank, **Cape Henlopen Food Basket.**

Historic Lewes Campus

4 – 6pm

Culmination of our Day of Gratitude with music, libation & celebration!

Celebratory drink created for the day, at Sussex Tavern!

- **MERR Institute** will be on-site to teach gratitude for our beaches
- **Overfalls Foundation** will be collecting for their Books & Benches Drive to help furnish its Free Children's Library
- **Delaware Sea Grant** is offering a make-your-own button activity showcasing gratitude for the marine environment
- **Code Purple & Tharros Village** providing warm overnight shelter & meals to homeless adults during winter months
- Additional groups will be participating!

4 – 4:30pm | 5:30 – 6pm

Cape Henlopen Jazz Combo performances

4:30 – 5:30pm

Performance by the Jazzmen & vocalist, Meg Clifton

Gift Cards of Gratitude!

Now through December 15, purchase gift cards at any local Lewes business to be donated and delivered to local teachers, first responders and healthcare workers to thank them for their service! Please drop off at the following locations:

GIFT CARDS FOR **HEALTHCARE WORKERS & FIRST RESPONDERS**
Drop off or mail to Beebe Medical Foundation | 902 Savannah Rd. | Lewes, DE 19958

GIFT CARDS FOR **TEACHERS**
Lewes Chamber of Commerce | 120 Kings Hwy. | Lewes
Historic Lewes Campus | 110 Shipcarpenter St. | Lewes *(only on Day of Gratitude, Nov. 21)*

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for calendar updates as more events are added to the day's activities!