

## Risen Savior Food for Thought Lenten Challenge

### Handout #5: Organics (composting) drop-off in Dakota County

Visit the following website for a tutorial video, helpful links, and to sign up for an organics welcome kit!

<https://www.co.dakota.mn.us/Environment/Residential/Organics/Pages/organics-drop-off.aspx>

Visit our Risen Savior "Food for Thought" page at for a list of all our Lenten archived materials from 2022: <https://risensavior.org/2022/02/23/food-for-thought/>

See reverse for a helpful list of what can be placed in organics (composting) in Dakota County!

# Organics collection



## Food scraps

- Bakery and dry goods
- Coffee grounds
- Dairy products
- Eggs and eggshells
- Meat, fish and bones
- Fruits and vegetables



## Non-recyclable paper

- Paper towels and napkins
- Toilet paper and paper towel rolls
- Paper egg cartons (no need to bag)
- Dirty paper bags
- Tissues



## Indoor plant trimmings



**Place organics in a certified compostable or paper bag.**

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## Leave these out

- Yard waste
- Plastic bags
- Shredded paper
- Recyclable glass, plastic, metal and clean paper
- Milk and juice cartons
- Diapers and sanitary products
- Pet waste, litter and bedding
- Dryer sheets and lint
- Fast food wrappers
- Cleaning and baby wipes
- Frozen or refrigerated food boxes
- Cigarettes
- Microwave popcorn bags
- Stickers on produce
- Grease and oil
- Styrofoam
- Non-certified compostable bags
- Utensils, plates, bowls, cups, bags not BPI-certified compostable
- Items labeled "biodegradable"
- K-cups not certified compostable

[www.dakotacounty.us](http://www.dakotacounty.us), search *organics*  
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← Remove backing; adhere to a flat surface. Removable; will not damage surfaces.