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**Tickets and Table Sponsorships Available for
Harvest of Hope 2008**
Annual Food Bank fundraiser to benefit Kid's Café programs

CORPUS CHRISTI, TX- Tickets and table sponsorship opportunities are still available for Harvest of Hope 2008 featuring award winning country music artist Suzy Bogguss. The annual fundraising dinner and concert will be held on June 20, 2008 at the Solomon Ortiz Center. Honorary Chairs for Harvest of Hope 2008 are Flavius and Kathy Killebrew. Proceeds from Harvest of Hope 2008 will be used to support and expand Kid's Café and Backpack programs.

Kid's Café is an after school program that provides a hot meal in addition to homework assistance, tutoring, nutrition education classes, and recreational activities for hundreds of children each week in five locations throughout the city. Kid's Café programs provide the only hot meal many children in the program may receive that day. In addition, the Backpack Program supplements the Kids Café meals with "back packs" containing nutritious snacks that participating children take home for the weekend. Foods are healthy and child friendly, with all snacks requiring no cooking or preparation.

To purchase tickets or for sponsorship opportunities call the Food Bank of Corpus Christi at (361) 887-6291, or online at www.FoodBankofCorpusChristi.org. Since 1982, the Food Bank has been fighting hunger in the Coastal Bend by providing food and personal care products to various charity and service agencies throughout eleven counties in South Texas. In 2007, the Food Bank of Corpus Christi distributed over 4.6 million pounds of food.

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