



A community garden is a plot of land gardened by people in the community. The land can be owned publicly or privately and can be gardened by either the owners of the land, the people that join the garden, or both. True community gardens are open to everyone and supply an area to grow fruits and vegetables. The garden is divided into plots which can be gardened by individuals or groups. Whether or not there is a cost associated with claiming a plot is up to the owner(s) of the land and/or the organization managing the garden.

## **2023 Fargo-Moorhead Area Community Gardens**

### **Bridgepointe Community Garden**

121 17th Street N, Moorhead (Located at Bridgepointe Community Church)

Contact: Paul Aladin

Email: [prpaul2005@gmail.com](mailto:prpaul2005@gmail.com)

Phone: 701.540.1383

This garden is free and open to the public. Volunteers meet once per week on Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m. They are also looking for volunteers in the food pantry located at the church. Pastor Paul Aladin can accommodate volunteers at any time.

### **Hope and Joy Community Medicinal Garden**

Birch Tree Park

350 5<sup>th</sup> Street NW, Dilworth, MN

Contact: Lynn Park

Email: [kanjinnaturals@gmail.com](mailto:kanjinnaturals@gmail.com)

Phone: 218.329.8185

No individual plots. This is a community garden where all work together in the garden then share the harvest or use harvest for classes at the garden. Workdays are every Wednesday evening at 6:00 p.m.; education about a different herb will be provided each workday. There will be additional classes throughout the summer and fall for a fee. Class fees will be waived for volunteers at the garden.

### **Oak Grove Park Community Garden**

Wildflower Grove Park, Fargo

Contact: Karen Earles Anderson

Email: [kearles@nilleslaw.com](mailto:kearles@nilleslaw.com)

Phone: 701.271.0270

The full plot is 60 x 30 and has a one-time fee of \$35. The fee for a half plot is \$15. There are approximately 30 plots total. This garden has residents who have been gardening there for years that always return to their same plot. If plots are available, additional gardeners are welcome and a meeting is held in the spring (April) to assign plots to newcomers. The garden is part of the Park District and governed by bylaws/rules. A water system is available. Certain chemicals are banned.

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### Presbyterian Church of Moorhead Community Garden - Grateful Garden

First Presbyterian Church at 2900 5<sup>th</sup> Street S, Moorhead

Contact: Denise Quick

Email: [denisekq@gmail.com](mailto:denisekq@gmail.com)

Phone: 802.859.0028

Participation is modeled after the Growing Together gardens. We garden together once a week, typically Wednesdays from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Those who garden on a regular basis share in the harvest. We also donate shares to the Dorothy Day House and local food pantry. The garden doubled in size last year and raised beds were developed. We plan to put in a squash tunnel soon.

### Nativity Community Garden

1825 South University Dr., Fargo

Contact: Reba Mathern-Jacobson

Email: [rebamathernjacobson@gmail.com](mailto:rebamathernjacobson@gmail.com)

Garden size: 2,925 square feet

There is no cost for this garden; it is intended for parishioners and nearby community members. It is one large communal plot with shared chores and shared harvest 2 times per week.

### River View Community Garden

800 2nd Avenue N, Moorhead (Behind Moorhead Public Housing high rise building)

Contact: Alyssa Whiting

Email: [alyssa.whiting@moorheadmn.gov](mailto:alyssa.whiting@moorheadmn.gov)

Phone: 218.299.5456

Garden size: approximately 3,600 square feet

This garden is free and open to the public. Volunteers meet once per week on Wednesday's from 9:00am – 11:00am. To earn a full share of produce, a volunteer must attend two sessions per month.

### Yunker Farms Community Garden

1201 28<sup>th</sup> Avenue N, Fargo

Contact: Fargo Park District

Phone: 701.499.6060

A garden sign-up event will be held Tuesday, May 16, 2021, from 6:00 am – 12:00 pm at the Yunker Farms location. After this date, call or stop by the Fargo Park District office at 701 Main Avenue in Fargo to sign up for a garden plot. The garden is open to the public and has 20' x 30' plots. The cost is \$20 per growing season; cash, check and credit card accepted. This community garden does not supply water to individuals who purchase plots.

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### Growing Together Community Gardens

Contact: Nola Storm or Jack Wood

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Website: [growingtogetherfm.org](http://growingtogetherfm.org)

The Growing Together Gardens are open to all in the community and are always welcoming more gardeners. These are not individual plot gardens but are communal gardens where the volunteers work together at a specific time each week and equally share during the harvest. There is no cost to join. After volunteering for 20 hours, you are entitled to a full share of the harvest each time you join the garden. Garden involvement starts in May and runs through the first frost.

Growing Together Community Gardens has been instrumental in helping with community garden start-ups in the community and a tool kit is available online. Mentoring is also available at our Market Garden.

Garden locations and meeting times (<https://www.growingtogetherfm.org/locations.html>):

Tuesdays & Thursdays 8:00 am – 9:50 am

Gathering Farm Garden

3910 25<sup>th</sup> St S, Fargo

Tuesdays & Thursdays 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Market Garden

3600 25<sup>th</sup> St S, Fargo

Tuesdays 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm

Gethsemane Grace Garden

3600 25<sup>th</sup> St S, Fargo

Tuesdays 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Family Garden

3600 25<sup>th</sup> St S, Fargo

Tuesdays 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Catalyst East Garden

1782 21<sup>st</sup> Ave S, Fargo

Thursdays 2:30 pm – 4:30 pm

World Garden

4215 19<sup>th</sup> Ave S, Fargo

Thursdays 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Arbors Garden

702 23<sup>rd</sup> St S, Fargo

Thursdays 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Catalyst West Garden

1894 21<sup>st</sup> Ave S, Fargo

We are aware the list of community gardens is ever-changing, and we do not intend to exclude any community garden not mentioned here. If you know of other community gardens in the area, please let us know!

Call Michelle at 701.476.6677 or email [MDraxten@FargoND.gov](mailto:MDraxten@FargoND.gov).