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Chef-made Thanksgiving pies in apple, pecan and pumpkin flavors, are available to order through Nov. 15 as part of Meals on Wheels of the Palm Beaches' Pie It Forward fundraiser. [Photo courtesy Meals on Wheels of the Palm Beaches]

To get into the spirit of giving this holiday season, chefs in Palm Beach are ready to “pay it forward” — with pies.

Specifically, they will be baking for the nonprofit Meals on Wheels of the Palm Beaches' Pie It Forward holiday campaign.

The pies will be headed to a Thanksgiving table near you.

Orders are being accepted through Nov. 15 for holiday pies made by local chefs participating in Meal on Wheels' fourth annual Pie It Forward.

Pumpkin, apple and pecan pies are available for \$25 apiece. Orders can be placed on the website mowpb.org.

Proceeds from the sale of each pie will feed a home-bound senior in the community for a week, according to Meals on Wheels.

“We are thrilled with the support of the local businesses and chefs who continue to make this a huge success,” said Maura Nelson, Meals on Wheels' special events director.

Ordered pies can be picked up Nov. 20 at the Palm Beach County Convention Center in West Palm Beach or Roger Dean Chevrolet Stadium in Jupiter.

Participants in Pie It Forward include chefs from several island venues, including the Bath and Tennis Club, The Beach Club, The Colony, The Everglades Club and The Sailfish Club, according to a news release. Eau Palm Beach Resort in Manalapan also is participating.

Other pie-donating venues in Palm Beach County include more than 30 country clubs, restaurants, resorts and caterers.

Meals on Wheels of the Palm Beaches provides home-bound seniors in Palm Beach County with nutritious mid-day meals and visits. The organization relies on local support and volunteers.

For more information, call 802-6979 or visit mowpb.org.