

# 29 Cooks

## Emmaus, PA



With 30+ years in the food industry, Cindie Feldman has built a business around her passion for teaching kids to cook, gathering people around good food, and supporting her community. They recently moved into a new event space, Gather.

“When our governor closed all non-essential businesses, we had to cancel all of our events for March. I went to my team, and we decided to keep cooking and working.”

Cindie launched a new service called Supper Club to help families under stay-at-home orders with meals and raised over \$17K to help feed local ICU workers five days a week.

The PPP loan will allow her to pay her staff and bills through May and June.

“I don’t have to worry now that I can’t pay my staff. This could have been a huge mess and maybe I would have had to close my doors. Maybe it’s not a huge amount of money for a big corporation, but for us it’s going to make a huge difference for what the rest of our year looks like.”



“I’m the person that this was meant for. For me and my employees, it’s just huge.”

“The easiest process I had ever seen in my life. I was shocked at how seamless it was.”

YEARS IN BUSINESS	6
EMPLOYEES	5
PPP LOAN AMOUNT	Less than \$30,000

### Application & Decision

Was frustrated with her bank of 20 years as she continued to hear that they were not taking applications after the program was opened.

Applied after hearing from PayPal that they were providing access.

Current PayPal Business customer.



Approved and funded for PPP loan for within days.