

Church of The Apostles



MINISTRIES

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(1 Peter 4:10)



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Difference*



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Altar Guild	Paulette Donovan
Buildings and Grounds	Doug Stomberg
Care Groups	Pastor Steve Gammon
Counters	Bob Bickerstaff
Financial Counseling	Bob Bickerstaff
Flower Guild	Barbara Bourn
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Handbell Choir	Marianne Salisbury
Health and Wellness	Kathy Kettle/Deb Adams
Instrumentalists	Marianne Salisbury
Intercessory Prayer	Erin Mead
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Loaves and Fishes	Pat Swanson
Men's Breakfast	Bill Sexton
Men's Chorus	Ed Farrell
Ministry Committee	Deb Adams
Mission & Outreach Committee	Kathy Kettle
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Pocket Prayer Shawl	Lynette Courtney
Prayer Garden	Donna Stomberg
Social Media	Kerri McMahon/Nathan Stomberg
Sound System	John Adams
Spirit and Truth	Sarah Oliveira
Spirit and Youth	Scarlett St. Martin
Sunday Brunch	Barbara Bickerstaff

Sunday School	Linda Jones
Together We Pray	Linda Greco
Ushering	Ed Farrell
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Be The Change/Sunday Meal	Kathy Kettle
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Welcome to COTA. With an outstretched hand, through the love of Jesus Christ, we welcome you.

The Mission of our Church is to Obey, Follow and Bear Witness to Jesus Christ. We, as a team working for Christ, want to help you feel at home here and find your place among His servants.

Jesus tells us, *“the Son of Man came **not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.**”* (Mark 10:35) He has poured out his love on each of us. It is natural to want to please Him. Out of devotion to Him, serving Him becomes an everyday way of life.

As a Church Body, we welcome and encourage you to share your gifts with others. We are *“God’s workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for **good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.**”* (Ephesians 2:10)

Sharing your gift with others allows you to be a blessing to others, as together we are ambassadors for Christ.

Enclosed in this booklet is a compilation of various ministry opportunities at Church of The Apostles. We invite you to spend some time in prayer with the Lord to discern what gifts He is asking you to share, as you *“Offer yourself as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God.”* (Romans 1:1)

Peter urges us in 1 Peter 4:10, *“As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God’s varied grace, in order that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.”*

We will enjoy serving the Risen Lord together!

MINISTRIES WITHIN THE CHURCH

Ministries Committee

The Mission of the Ministries Committee is to assist in spreading the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Jesus tells us we are called to serve in His Kingdom for His Father's Glory. We serve as a resource to help in promoting and recruiting volunteers for the different ministries at Church of The Apostles. We also provide information about the ministries to people who want to volunteer. This committee meets as needed, approximately every two months.

This Booklet of Ministries is divided into two sections: Ministries within the Church and Mission and Outreach Ministries.

Acapella Chorus

This is a group of individuals who lend their voices to bring out the beauty of Christian hymns. They are diverse in their musical abilities which blend perfectly. It is a joy to bring glory to God in this fashion. We are involved in various musical pageants and on occasion add to Sunday services.

The Chorus practices on Sunday following the 10:30 a.m. service for about 20-25 min each week. The chorus is open to both men and women. We work mainly on new or less familiar hymns so that we can introduce them to the congregation, probably planning to sing every two or three months.

Altar Guild

The Altar Guild Ministry serves by preparing the Holy Table and Sanctuary for our Eucharist Worship Service, and by placing out Holy Elements and other worship items for our Superintendent and Elders to use as they celebrate at each worship service.

We serve as stewards in taking care of our Sacristy and all the contents. After each service the Elements are properly stored and other worship items are washed and dried and put away in the Sacristy. We have women who are on a linen schedule and team leaders who help lead this ministry by implementing what needs to be done during special services. The Altar Guild ministry serves an important part Maundy Thursday by stripping the Holy Table, preparing for the Easter Vigil, and also by preparing the Sanctuary for Christmas Services.

The members of the Altar Guild serve on rotating teams. The team that is scheduled serves from Saturday to Friday but is only called to set up during the week if there should be a funeral. Saturday is our set up day for our 8 a.m. Sunday Service.

Preparing the Holy Table for each Sunday service takes about 30-40 minutes. Cleaning the elements between and after the service takes 15 minutes. Teams are rotated each week, with each team being called to serve every 4 weeks.

Buildings and Grounds

The Buildings and Grounds committee is made up of men and women who volunteer their time and talents to maintain our existing church property and plan and participate in small construction projects. The committee typically meets quarterly to discuss and plan new projects. This ministry also participates in seasonal yard cleanups; and various projects to enhance our property.

Volunteers generally sign - up for a particular project each time it is offered. A typical yard clean up will take 3-4 hours.

Care groups Ministry

Care Groups are opportunities to meet regularly with a small group of Christians for friendship, fellowship, and prayer, sharing life on life with each other. Care Groups meet in homes and each group has a host and a leader. Meetings include physical food, spiritual food, sharing with each other, and praying for each other. Groups are offered at different times including mornings, afternoons, and evenings, each experiencing the early Church model of sharing life, to help each other grow in our walk with the Lord. Care Groups typically meet for 90 minutes every other week.

Additionally, the Church Family gathers once per month, on the first Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. The evening includes opportunities for group members to share a testimony of what the Lord is teaching them or how He is blessing them in the groups.

Counters

The tithes and offerings collected each Sunday are counted and recorded after the services. Two counters are scheduled on a weekly basis.

Counters serve on a rotating basis about once every 5 to 8 weeks. The counting takes place after the end of the 10:30 a.m. service and takes about 30-45 minutes to complete.

Financial Counseling

Church of The Apostles has a financial counseling ministry which offers practical assistance regarding any or all of the financial areas of life, with particular emphasis on God's perspective on handling money. Private and confidential sessions to discuss any sort of personal financial matter can be arranged.

Flower Guild

“One thing I have asked of the LORD that will I seek after: that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the LORD and to inquire in his temple.” (Psalm 27:4)

What better way to serve the Lord than to gaze upon the beauty of his creation? The members arrange and place flowers on the Altar.

The flower guild combines a person’s love of the Lord with their love of arranging flowers. Members serve on a rotating basis approximately every 10 weeks. From the purchasing of flowers to setting up at Church, this joyful service typically takes 2-3 hours. Receipts are submitted for reimbursement. Floral arrangements are typically done on a Saturday.

Food Donations

Food is collected each week in the baskets located in the entryways to the Narthex and Church Office. The food is delivered to Project Hand Up in West Warwick, a program of Be The Change.

Handbell Choir

The Handbell Choir traditionally involves people who enjoy making music together. It is an opportunity for those who perhaps could not participate in a vocal choir or an instrumental group. Here at the Church of The Apostles, the music for the Handbell Choir is color coded so that ringers do not have to be able to “read music”. They only need to follow directions and be able to count and maintain the musical time.

The main purpose of a Handbell Choir is to provide inspiring music to enhance our worship services. In addition, the Choir has enjoyed performing for the residents of various nursing homes and assisted living facilities. They have also presented programs

at other churches and organizations celebrating special occasions. Sometimes this is done to encourage others to develop their own Handbell Choir. We are a member of the Handbell Musicians of America.

The Bells are here! We welcome members for a Handbell Choir, Ringers/Musicians for the Specialty Groups, and young people for the Children's Choir. Come; make music with Bells to the glory of God.

Health and Wellness

The mission of the Health & Wellness Ministry is to promote positive lifestyles by supporting members of the Congregation in caring for their spiritual, emotional, physical, and social needs.

Our goal is to offer information and tools to promote a healthy lifestyle in accordance with God's plan for every individual.

The Health & Wellness Ministry provides monthly articles in the Church Notes, touching on topics such as: weariness, contentment, authenticity, anxiety, community resources, summer safety tips and flu prevention. Some of the activities offered by the Health & Wellness Ministry are: walking challenges to promote healthy lifestyle, flu clinics, mindful eating seminar, and a summer wellness initiative.

This ministry is comprised of people from various backgrounds (not only health professionals) and would invite any interested person to join us.

The time involved in this ministry is as variable as the offerings.

Instrumentalists

For the past several years we have enjoyed several instrumentalists who assist the organist in leading the music each and every Sunday. It would be good to have more and varied instruments participating in this ministry. Whether you

are young or old, if you play any instrument from violin to bass, from piccolo to bassoon, from cornet to tuba, please contact the organist.

We do not “practice” together, so instrumentalists have to be able to read the music and put it all together with the organist. (Hymn lists are available each week.) We are somewhat like those at New Orleans’ Preservation Hall who enjoy playing and fit their music to the assembled group.

We have many musically talented people in our Congregation. They are always encouraged to enhance our musical offerings to God.

We also offer the opportunity to young people to experience being part of a group. Practicing and then performing Christian music.

Intercessory Prayer Group

“And I say unto you, Ask, and it shall be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you.” (Luke 11:9)

We all journey together in this power of prayer and at Church of The Apostles we have many members who are committed in prayer on a daily basis. These people are disciplined in their daily prayers seeking the Lord for His love and support and bringing before Him our prayers and supplications. Many churches like ours have a prayer list with names of all those in the church and the community that need God’s healing touch, guidance and support. Our Prayer List at the Church of The Apostles consists of names written on the Prayer signup sheet that is on the Lectionary stand in the Narthex. This list is revised every week and is sent out by e-mail or mail to people in our Intercessory Prayer Ministry. There are copies available next to our signup sheet for anyone who would like to take one home with them.

Joyful Women Bible Study

Joyful Women is a Saturday Morning Women's Bible Study that meets the first and third Saturdays of the month from 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Using the elements of prayer, study, music and conversation, this Biblically based fellowship seeks to encourage women to explore the issues and pressures that women face in their chaotic, and often harried lives, as they strive to have a personal relationship with Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Each study is self contained and women of all ages are invited.

Kitchen Ministry

The kitchen ministry offers volunteers an opportunity to prepare meals for large group celebrations for the church. Each year we typically serve five to six sit-down meals, buffet style, for 80 to 120 people, including the popular New Year's Eve celebration. Kitchen ministry members assist with food preparation at other gatherings, including lawn concerts and the monthly men's breakfast ministry. We need more people, men and women, to serve in this important ministry. No cooking experience is necessary, just a willingness to work collaboratively with a team, serve the church and serve Christ.

"And taking the five loaves and the two fish, He looked up to heaven and said a blessing over them. Then He broke the loaves and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd. And they all ate and were satisfied." (Luke 9:16-17 ESV)

Time commitment for the kitchen ministry is about 3-5 hours when we have large meals or cookouts, which happen 4-6 times a year. Also men who volunteer may be asked to help with Men's Breakfast (2-3 hrs) once a month (summers off). We also could use people to assist in a smaller role to help clean up and put away food at the end of meals. Time commitment for that would be shorter, an hour or two, and less so for helping at Men's Breakfast.

Loaves and Fishes

“Jesus said to the apostles, ‘You give them something to eat.’ They said, ‘We have no more than five loaves and two fish’ And they ate and all were satisfied” (Luke 9:13, 17).

This ministry provides meals for those who are in need due to illness, injury, or other extenuating circumstances. Persons who volunteer to serve in this ministry will be asked to provide an occasional meal and fellowship to our brothers and sisters in need.

Some members choose to deliver food to the person in need while others prepare meals that are then stored in our freezer for future needs.

Men’s Bible Study

This is a bible study and discussion ministry to provide men with a better insight of the lessons in the bible.

There is no requirement that you must have knowledge of the books in the Bible, but you are encouraged to study the books selected when they are scheduled. We have studied several books of the Bible and they are often chosen by Biblical scholars as a good source for in-depth study.

Do not be afraid that you might be too lacking in Bible study. We have participants who probably share questions you would like to have discussed.

Men’s Bible Study is provided on an interval basis.

Men’s Breakfast

“As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another.”

“He who conceals his sins does not prosper, but whoever confesses and renounces them finds mercy.”

“A faithful man will be richly blessed, but one eager to get rich will not go unpunished.”

“As one blade cannot sharpen itself, neither a man alone be strengthened.”

(Proverbs)

The above verses from Proverbs reflect some of the topics that we discuss at the men’s breakfasts. Is pride a barrier? Are our hearts reflecting Christ’s character? Are our eyes focused on the prize? Are we truthful about the state of our lives? Do we try to serve two masters? Do our actions bear witness to our foolishness?

On the second Saturday of each month we host a men’s breakfast starting at 7:30 a.m. There’s always great food served up by our dedicated kitchen crew, an opportunity for fellowship and a lively discussion about the topic of the day.

The men's breakfast meets on the second Saturday of each month excluding July and August from 7:30 to 9 a.m. This time together includes breakfast, fellowship and discussion on a particular topic. Attendees are encouraged to participate in the discussion. The only commitment is to set this time aside each month.

Men’s Chorus

Anyone who spent a Sunday morning at the late service a few years ago, heard the sweet tenor voice of Bob Brewer. Bob loved to sing. He had a dream of a men’s chorus and he approached eight or ten of us into joining him. Thus was born: “Bob and the Boys”.

When we think of “Ministry”, we think of the work done by our elders and deacons (among others) and the Men’s Chorus doesn’t seem at all difficult in comparison. We have fun. We definitely raise “a joyful noise to the Lord”.

We always have room for more but our requirements are very strict.

1. Male who is breathing.

2. Enjoys singing.
3. Looks good.
4. Best if enjoys singing and looks good.

Men's Chorus meets on the Sundays prior to a scheduled sing, usually two (sometimes three) practices which last from 15 to 20 minutes after the 10:30 service. On the Sunday when we sing, usually 5 to 8 minutes. We usually sing four or six times a year.

Office Volunteers

Office Volunteers help with folding, preparing and assembling the weekly Sunday Bulletins, and larger monthly projects such as Church Notes. Office volunteers also help fold, stuff and label letters going out to the Congregation. At different times throughout the year there may be projects that need help creating, organizing and finalizing for different ministries or yearly events that volunteers are asked to help complete.

Volunteers help out at a mutually agreed upon time that works for the volunteer and the office.

Pocket Prayer Shawl

"Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for thereby some have entertained angels unawares." (Hebrews 13:2)

The Pocket Prayer Shawl Ministry consists of a group of dedicated and prayerful people. We have knitters and crocheters who create their small prayer shawls to hold their prayers, blessings and love for the persons who will receive them. We also have assemblers who sew a cross and add their own prayers and blessings to the prayer shawls. Prayer cards vary for each season and each occasion.

We are all called to proclaim Christ's love and Truth. The Pocket Prayer Shawl offers a seed of Truth we can all plant.

There is no specific timetable. You decide how much time you have to knit, crochet, or assemble the prayer shawls.

Prayer Garden Ministry

The Prayer Garden Ministry was created in the spring of 2017 to both improve and maintain this quiet and peaceful area that has been set aside for anyone seeking a place of refuge with the Lord. Those who enjoy all types of gardening are welcome for general cleanup, weeding, planting and improvement ideas. Weeding and general maintenance can be done at a time of your own convenience. If physical demands interfere but you still have gardening in your heart, your ideas and knowledge are welcomed also.

We meet three to four times yearly, generally early spring to brainstorm, late spring for cleanup/planting and late summer/early fall.

Sound System

This ministry operates the sound system during Sunday Services. Volunteers will adjust volume levels of the pulpit and lectern. A commitment to attend a particular service and an interest in operating the sound system is all that is needed. Training will be provided and all ages are welcomed. Typical responsibilities include: operating sound mixing board for a Sunday service, mixing sound for the Praise Band, and recording sermons. Volunteers may choose which service they wish to attend.

Spirit and Youth

“Make a joyful noise unto The Lord, all the earth!” (Psalm 100:1)

Spirit and Youth is a music group for young people. We rehearse and perform Christian music of all genres for the praise and glory of God! Members can input ideas for music selections, and have

the option to use their multiple talents - singing and/or playing instrument(s).

Sunday Brunch

Sunday Brunch is served each week following the 10:30 a.m. Worship Service. This is a Potluck meal in the purest sense. There is no sign up or schedule. This Sunday tradition provides an opportunity for Congregants to gather and catch-up on the lives and events of other members of our church family and also to meet new friends, welcome visitors and perhaps discover a new recipe! Early Christian gatherings included “teaching and fellowship” (Act 2:42). Sunday Brunch is a natural conclusion to our time together in Word and Sacrament. During the summer months Coffee Hour is available between the 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. services.

Sunday Brunch volunteers are scheduled on a rotating basis and serve about once a month. They are requested to arrive about 9:00 am to have coffee ready when the the 8:00 am service ends. Depending on the food selection for brunch, there may be a need to warm items in the oven before or during the 10:30 service and check on items at the passing of the peace. Prior to the end of the 10:30 service, volunteers set the food on the buffet tables in the hall. Volunteers serve in teams of two or three.

Sunday School

Seeds are being planted.

“Therefore, go and make disciples of all nations.” (Matthew 28:19)

The mission of the Christian Education Program is designed to evangelize and disciple parents and children who are members of, or visitors to, Church of The Apostles. We specifically accomplish our task by growing Christians (young and old alike)

in their journeys. Our Education Program at the Church of The Apostles is designed to guide and supplement personal and family Christian instruction.

Sunday School is held each week from 9:15 - 10:15 a.m., generally following the school year.

A tool we use to assist with our Adult Christian Education lessons is Right Now Media. Right Now Media is a video library resource available to everyone connected to CoTA. Through our church's account each of us now has free access to this digital outlet. On this site are resources on parenting, youth, marriage, men, women, leadership, Christian living, work, biblical finance, mission/outreach, history, science, holidays, evangelism, recovery, mental health, books of the bible, and more. This user friendly resource can be utilized on any video source.

Together We Pray

Together We Pray is a collaborative prayer initiative of churches in the RI area to pray 24 hours a day, 365 days a year in order to change our spiritual climate and bring change in our communities.

Church of The Apostles has joined this partnership and has selected the first Wednesday of each month to devote to prayer. A sign up sheet is posted with 1/2 hour sections, for you to select your time to commit to pray in private for "Together We Pray" topics plus personal prayers. There is also a corporate prayer service at CoTA on that first Wednesday of the month from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. As Christians we are called to be "people of prayer". Please join us in this united effort to change lives, our communities, and our state through the grace and mercy of our Lord.

Ushering

Greeting people at the doors to the sanctuary is an important part of the Ushering Ministry. We are the first contact a visitor meets when entering and we are friendly and confident with our assistance in giving directions to the facilities, introductions to the elders and deacons, explanation of the weekly booklet, etc.

We assist in keeping the flow of the service moving in an orderly fashion when we collect donations, direct people to the Communion rail, help going up and coming down the stairs and straightening up after the service.

Depending on the service (early or late) members serve from 2 to 5 times per month, 15 minutes before the service, 10 minutes after the service and of course during the service time. Stair ushers are involved for the duration of Communion.

Worship Servants

“Whatever you do, do all to the glory of God.” (1 Corinthians 10:31)

“Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God’s grace in its various forms. If anyone speaks, he should do it as one speaking the very words of God. If anyone serves, he should do it with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ.” (1 Peter 4:10-11).

The ministry of the Laity is an integral part of the worship service. Following the example of the early Church, those called to these ministries arise from the Congregation, at the appropriate time, to fulfill their responsibilities.

The roles of Acolyte, Chalice Bearer, Lector and Crucifer are filled by those who are called by God into these ministries, showing reverence to Him through their service to the Congregation.

The main duty of the Crucifer is to carry the Cross during the

procession and recession of the worship leaders, and at the reading of the Gospel. The Acolyte is one who serves or assists the Elders and Deacons at the Holy Table. As a Lector, one is called upon to read the Word of God to the Congregation gathered for worship. The Chalice Bearer brings the cup, the Blood of Christ, to those gathered at the holy Table.

MISSIONS & OUTREACH

Missions & Outreach Committee

The purpose of the Mission and Outreach Ministry Team is to reach out locally, nationally and internationally. We are called to minister to those in need, using our God-given gifts. We are called to proclaim the Gospel, to welcome people into the body of Christ, to lead people to a commitment to God through Jesus Christ, to nurture them in Christian living by various means of grace, and to send them into the world as agents of Jesus Christ. This committee meets every 1-2 months, as needed.

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BE THE CHANGE Sunday Meal

Be the Change is a non-profit organization located in Arctic section of West Warwick, who among other services, serves a hot meal every Sunday at 5:00 P.M. at the West Warwick Senior Center. In following God's lead, CoTA serves a hot meal there on the first Sunday of each month. Volunteers help with meal preparation, welcoming, serving our guests, followed by clean up. Volunteers typically gather from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

CareNet

CareNet is the only Christian medical pregnancy center in Rhode Island. Its mission is to “End the demand for abortion in Rhode Island and beyond.” They do this by turning fear into confidence, by meeting the medical and physical needs of their clients, and most of all, by turning the lies into truth. In addition, CareNet offers healing Bible Studies for those who are struggling or haunted with their past decisions, setting them free for life; leading them to a closer relationship to God.

Church of The Apostles is a proud sponsor of CareNet and has made a bold decision to use our resources to stand by the Truth! Each year we support CareNet through their annual fundraising banquet. Many COTA members are annual donors or even pledge to this ministry.

Crossroads

Once a month volunteers visit the Crossroads Family Shelter in Providence to spend time sharing the knowledge and blessings God has given to us. The children enjoy creating crafts, having their pictures taken and it is a good opportunity to get to know one another as God wants us to love one another. Some of our visits are themed according to the season or time of year, we have Christmas carols sung by some of our wonderfully talented musicians, and beautiful spring flower pots.

We ask you to please come and join us for this special time to share with others who may be at a challenging place in their lives. Let them see how trusting in God is always the right choice and he has a unique plan for each and every one of us.

If you are not able to volunteer your time there are many other ways you can help this ministry. Food donations, either baked goods or healthy snacks that can be divided up into small portions, are always appreciated. Also craft supplies of glue sticks, paints and any simple craft project supplies would be

wonderful. Donations of new or used bibles and children's bible story books are also appreciated.

Visits to Crossroads Family Shelter take place on a Friday, usually once a month. Visits last from 6:30 p.m. until 9:00 p.m.

Volunteers may choose to meet at church and carpool or meet at the facility.

Galatians 6:10

"As we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith." (Galatians 6:10)

The Galatians 6:10 Project is an emergency response network made up of members of our church in collaboration with members of Riverpoint Advent Christian Church.

We first seek to educate our masses on how to best prepare for a mass emergency. Then, if the need arises, we will open as a shelter.

The **Emergency Preparedness** arm of Galatians 6:10 is a multilayered ministry with various opportunities to participate. There are Callers, who call church members during extreme weather events, with each caller calling about 6-10 people, taking approximately 30-40 minutes when needed. Other volunteers are on a standby with readiness alert, i.e. drivers, greeters, kitchen help.

The **Fundraising** arm of Galatians 6:10 raises funds for the Shelter related needs, raising funds in the past toward the installation of a generator and a gas stove. The fundraising events typically include a multi-church Summer Concert and a New Years celebration called Ring in the New Year. Volunteers are needed for the various aspects of putting on an event such as promotion, and setting up and cleaning up. An event lasts for approximately 4 hours and volunteers can participate for parts of time that work for them.

International Missions

Our Missions in Haiti :

This Ministry organizes fundraising and regularly collects donated medical supplies and monetary donations to help support these organizations, and to help aid medical missions.

Espere Kay is a transition home in Haiti for young adults, who were living in Loving Hands Orphanage until the age of 18. With the help of the house parents, each young adult will continue to work on their own individual goals concerning spiritual growth, education and independence skills.

The Apparent Project is an organization that supports opportunities for Haitians to provide for themselves and their families, empowering them to rise out of poverty.

Our Mission in Myanmar:

His Hands for Myanmar is a Child Sponsorship Program.

This Ministry organizes fundraising to help support the children in a Christian home with much needed home and school supplies. This ministry has also successfully raised funds to help pay the rent of the Christian home for 2 years thus far.

Our Mission in Nigeria

This Ministry organizes fundraising and regularly collects donated medical supplies and monetary donations to help this organization, and help aid medical missions.

Hand of Hope is a ministry that provides mini loans to women, many of whom are widowed with no money to take care of many children left behind by deceased husbands. With these loans they can start small businesses such as selling local produce.

Short Term Missions

Volunteers interact with the citizens of an area or country to become familiar with local culture. They help provide assistance in what is needed. For example irrigation, housing, food and medical supplies etc. (Myanmar, Haiti, Nigeria) Whatever help is given is all to the glory of God.