



Survival Guide



"I choose to identify with the poor.
I choose to give my life for the hungry.
I choose to give my life for those who have
been left out of the sunlight of opportunity...
This is the way I'm going.
If it means suffering a little bit,
I'm going that way...
If it means dying for them,
I'm going that way."

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

Memphis/Shelby County Emergency Housing Partnership

New hotline for families

260-HOME

(operated 24 hours a day, 7 days a week)

If your family is currently homeless, or facing imminent homelessness, the **Memphis/Shelby County Emergency Housing Partnership** can help you find immediate assistance, as well as connect you with an EarnBenefits counselor that will help pursue benefits for which you may be eligible.

Those callers with families will be assessed for eligibility for the Homelessness Prevention and Rapid Rehousing Program, or referred to Metropolitan Inter-Faith Association's Emergency Services program.

Only those with children who are either currently homeless, or are facing immediate and imminent homelessness qualify for the program. Others will be referred to programs more adequately suited to their needs.



Dial 2-1-1 to Find Help

If you are looking for help, or want to provide someone with help, just dial **2-1-1** to reach the community information and referral resources of LINC, the Library Information Center at the Memphis Public Library.

LINC, in conjunction with United Way of the Mid-South, is the local source for community resources. LINC maintains a large, comprehensive database of human services organizations, government agencies and volunteer groups, which can now be accessed by dialing **2-1-1**, or **(901) 415-2790**.

The most frequent requests for help are food, protective services, legal assistance, child care, social support, housing, and mental health.

Free and Immediate Information for help when:

- You are homeless and do not qualify for Rapid Rehousing programs.
- You need affordable, reliable child care.
- You need help with clothing or meals.
- You have questions about eligibility for Food Stamps (or other state and federal benefits).
- You need information about available transportation for the disabled.
- You are seeking help with substance abuse or mental health problems.
- You are a runaway teen and are seeking help.

2-1-1 HOURS:

Mon-Thu 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Fri-Sat 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Sunday 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.





The Agency Listing and Reference sections of this Guide provide information about public and private agencies and organization offering services to homeless people.

Please note the following:

1. All the information in this Guide was collected from the agencies themselves and every effort possible was made to ensure accuracy. If there has been an error, please contact The Mid-South Peace and Justice Center and we will update them on our next list.
2. Inclusion of a particular program or service in this directory does not constitute endorsement, nor omission disapproval of a program or service.
3. Please be aware that many of the agencies and organizations listed in this Guide have limited resources. The fact that they are included does not guarantee that they are able to help everyone who is referred to them.

Mid-South Peace and Justice Center

1000 S. Cooper St. Memphis, TN 38104
901.725.4990 • Fax: 901.725.7858
center@midsouthpeace.org
www.midsouthpeace.org



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A Place of Hospitality for Homeless and Poor Persons

1268 Jefferson, Memphis, TN 38104

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, 8 am to 11:30 am

In the spirit of hospitality in each of the world's great religions, Manna House provides a place of welcome where persons are treated with respect and dignity.

Each day that we are open we offer coffee, water, use of a restroom, a place to relax, read or play board games. On Mondays and Thursdays there are showers for men (limited to 20, with signup the previous day that Manna House is open), and on Tuesdays there are showers for women (limited to 15, with signup on Monday).

Also on Mondays and Thursdays "Socks and Hygiene" are offered to 51 persons. On Tuesdays "Socks and Soap" are offered to 51 persons. There are no requirements for ID or social security number to access any of the services. To ensure that a person gets on the "Socks and Hygiene List" it is necessary to arrive before 8:30am. The list fills up fast, especially toward the end of the month. We begin to sign persons up for both "Socks and Hygiene" and the shower list at 7:45am.

Manna House does not have a phone.

Manna House is funded completely by donations and neither seeks nor accepts any government funding. There is no paid staff at Manna House; all are volunteers.

Sincerely, Kathleen Kruczek, Co-Director

Peter R. Gathje, Co-Director



Now open 5 days a week - Hours 10am - 1pm

Must arrive by 10:30am for processing.

901-725-1140

Door of Hope provides a welcoming place where people living on the streets may learn healthy living skills and build positive relationships. Door of Hope prefers to work with people who have severe mental illnesses who have been on the streets for over a year. Guests at Door of Hope Support Center are invited in by outreach workers. Drop-ins are discouraged. People may be referred from other agencies with a note from the agency and a phone call (901-725-1140) alerting the staff.

Guests at Door of Hope who are still living on the streets or in shelters may take a shower or bath, wash clothes, use the phone and speak with a social worker. The social work staff will work with guests to gain access to benefits such as Food Stamps, SSI, SSDI and TennCare where possible. Guests needing identification or birth certificates are referred to the HUB. Once a guest has benefits or income, efforts are made to find affordable housing in the neighborhood and to help guests remain housed. This might include helping guests connect or reconnect with mental health providers and with their family.

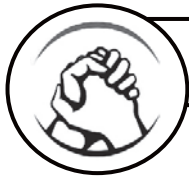
Door of Hope does outreach at other community organizations with similar missions, such as Manna House, the HUB and Idlewild Presbyterian's More Than a Meal, connecting with potential guests who might be appropriate for the Door of Hope. The Outreach Team also maps locations where homeless may be sleeping at night and tries to help those who are most in need.

Once housed, Door of Hope continues to provide support to people who were once homeless. The Book Club (together for over a year) meets on Tuesdays, a Writing Group on Wednesdays and a Bible Study on Thursdays. Door of Hope artists sell their wares at the Cooper Young Festival each September.

Support Center Staff • Roderick Baldwin

Outreach • David Fletcher

Executive Director • Andrew Jacuzzi

**Mid-South Peace & Justice Center**

1000 S. Cooper St, Memphis, TN 38014

www.midsouthpeace.org

We are a multi-issue, cross-constituency, and membership-based organization working to fulfill our mission to engage, organize, and mobilize communities to realize social justice through nonviolent action.

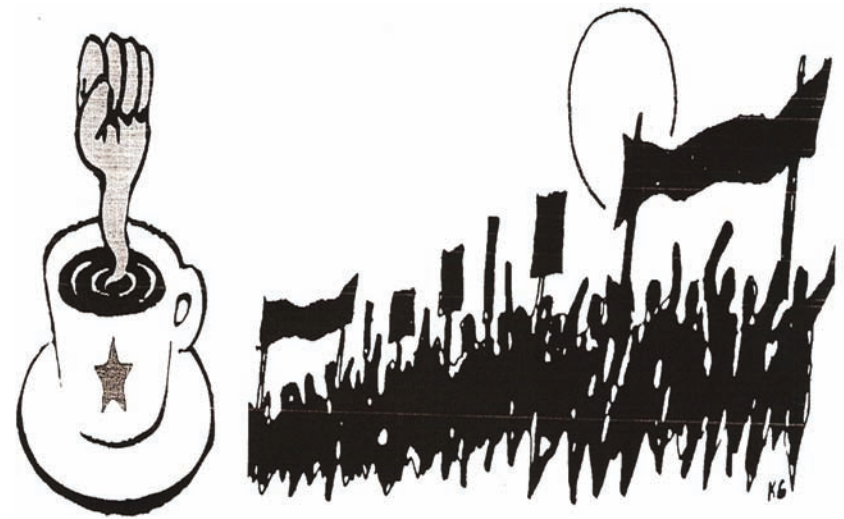
The homeless community has faced many injustices, and we are dedicated to improving services and empowering homeless folk. Instead of taking a top-down approach to confronting homelessness, we want to add their voices to the conversation and ensure they have a seat at the table. Collaboration between service organizations and people who are homeless will allow us to have a better understanding of the problem, leading us to a better solution.

Our current efforts in improving the living conditions of Memphis's homeless include facilitating Homeless Organizing for Power and Equality (HOPE) and the weekly Thursday morning living room discussions at Manna House (see ad on next page). In addition, we are in the process of surveying homeless folk to assess their needs and their experiences with existing service providers.

Homelessness is nothing less than a human rights issue. In addressing this challenge, we intend to do everything we can to ensure a higher quality of life for all Memphians.



Been a victim of harassment?
Want to build a movement for peace
and justice on the streets?



Voice your concerns.
Improve your situation.
Be your own advocate.

TAKE ACTION

Weekle homeless discussion group meets Thursdays, 9am at
 Manna House, 1268 Jefferson (near Radio Station).
 Please call 901-725-4990 if you have any question.



Meal Schedule	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Calvary Episcopal Church 102 N. Second. St.							7:30am 8:30am
First Presbyterian Church 166 Poplar Ave.							2:30 pm - 4:00 pm
Food Not Bombs Court Square Park						2:00 pm - 4:00 pm	
Holy Names Catholic Church 697 Keel	10:30 am		10:30 am				
Idlewild Presbyterian Church - More than a Meal 1750 Union Ave.				5:00 pm - 6:30 pm 5:00-5:30 Church Service			
Memphis Union Mission 282 Poplar Ave.	10:45 am	10:45 am	10:45 am	10:45 am	10:45 am	10:45 am	10:45 am
St. John's Methodist Church 1207 Peabody		4:30 am				4:30 pm	
St. Joseph Catholic Church 3825 Neely	12:00 Noon- 1:00 pm						
St. Luke's United Methodist Church 480 St. Highland						4:30 pm	8:30 am
St. Mary's Catholic Church 155 Market St.	7:00 am - 10:00 am	7:00 am - 10:00 am	7:00 am - 10:00 am	7:00 am - 10:00 am	7:00 am - 10:00 am	7:00 am - 10:00 am	
St. Patrick's Catholic Church 277 South Fourth		1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	1:00 pm - 3:00 pm		1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
St. Vincent de Paul Church 123 Cleveland St.	9:30 am - 11:00 am	9:30 am - 11:00 am	9:30 am - 11:00 am	9:30 am - 11:00 am	9:30 am - 11:00 am	9:30 am - 11:00 am	9:30 am - 11:00 am
United Methodist Neighbor- hood Center 602 Looney Ave.		12:00 Clothes Closet 1pm		12:00 Clothes Closet 1pm			8:00 am - 9:00 am



Calvary Episcopal Church
102 N. Second. St.
Sundays, 7:30am

First Presbyterian Church
166 Poplar Ave.
Sundays, 2:30 - 4:00pm



Food Not Bombs
Court Square
Saturdays, 2 - 4pm

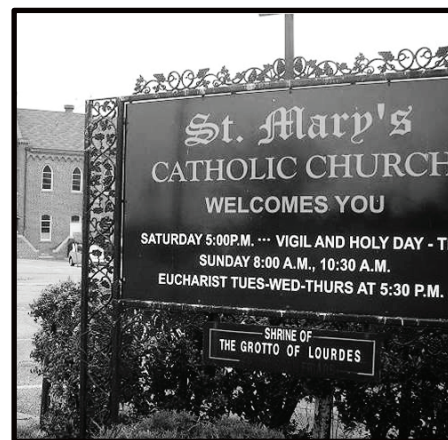


Memphis Union Mission
383 Poplar Ave.
Daily

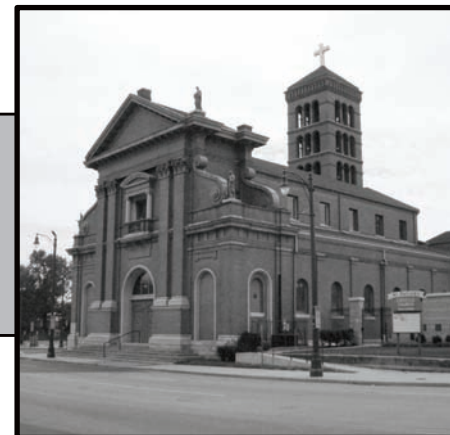


St. Mary's Catholic Church
WELCOMES YOU
SATURDAY 5:00P.M. --- VIGIL AND HOLY DAY - TB
SUNDAY 8:00 A.M., 10:30 A.M.
EUCARIST TUES-WED-THURS AT 5:30 P.M.

St. Mary's Catholic Church
155 Market • Monday - Saturday
• Praise Songs, 6am
• Coffee & Cookies, 7:30am
• Meat Sandwiches & Soup, 9 - 10am



St. Patrick Catholic Church
277 S. Fourth St.
Sundays, 1 - 2pm
Food Pantry with
MIFA vouchers





Below is a list of Libraries and their locations in which you can use the computers to access the internet.

Bartlett 5884 Stage Rd. (901) 386-8968	Central: 3030 Poplar Ave (901) 415-2700	Cherokee: 3300 Sharpe Ave (901) 743-3655	
Cordova: 8457 Trinity Rd. (901) 754-8443	Cornelia Crenshaw: 531 Vance St. (901) 525-1643	Whitehaven: 4120 Mill Branch Rd. (901) 369-9700	
East Shelby: 7200 E. Shelby Dr. (901) 751-7360	Frayser: 3712 Argonne St. (901) 357-4115	Gaston Park: 1040 S. 3rd St (901) 942-0836	
Highland: 460 S. Highland (901) 452-7341	Hollywood: 1530 N. Hollywood (901) 323-6201	Levi: 3676 US Hwy 61 (S. 3rd St) (901) 789-3140	
Parkway: 4655 Knight Arnold (901) 363-8923	Poplar-White Station: 5094 Poplar Ave: (901) 682-1616	North: 1192 Vollintine Ave (901) 276-6631	
Raleigh: 3157 Powers Rd. (901) 452-1068	Randolph: 3752 Powers Rd. (901) 453-1068	South: 1929 Smith Third St. (901)946-8518	Cossitt: 33 S. Front St. (901) 526-1712



Dealing with Alcohol and Drug Related issues:

- **Alcohol Anonymous** <http://www.aa.org/>
- **Narcotics Anonymous** <http://www.na.org/>
- **Drug Addictions-Moving Forward Leaving Your Drug Addiction Behind**
http://www.drug-addiction.com/moving_on.htm
- **Getting Help for Alcohol Abuse**
<http://life.familyeducation.com/marriage/health/45624.html>
- **Dealing With Addiction (Teens)**
http://kidshealth.org/teen/your_mind/problems/addictions.html

Dealing with Mental Illness:

- **National Resources Center on Homelessness and Mental Illness**
<http://www.nrchmi.samhsa.gov/>
- **Living with Severe Mental Illness**
<http://www.enotalone.com/article/3102.html>
- **Coping with Mental Illness: Here is Help**
<http://www.capemaycountyherald.com/article/6367-coping-mental-illness-help-here>
- **National Center for Post Traumatic Stress Disorder**
<http://www.ncptsd.va.gov/ncmain/index.jsp>
- **Anxiety Disorders Association and America** <http://www.adaa.org/>

Dealing with Domestic Violence:

- **Tennessee Coalition against Domestic Violence**
<http://www.tcadv.org/>
- **Life After Domestic Violence: Tips for Survivors**
http://www.essortment.com/all/violencedomesti_rdp0.htm

Other:

- **Tennessee Justice Center** <http://www.tnjustice.org/>
- **Runaway Help**
<http://www.geocities.com/CapitolHill/6647/runaway.html>
- **Center for Disease Control and Prevention** <http://www.cdc.gov/>
- **The Memphis Medical Center**
<http://www.mdmemphis.org/patients/supportgroups.aspx>

**Dealing with Alcohol and Drug Related Issues:**

- AA Hotline (901) 726-6750
- Cocaine Anonymous 1-800-347-8998
- Marijuana Anonymous 1-800-766-6779
- Nationwide Addictions Assistance 1-800-559-9503

Dealing with Mental Illness:

- American Psychological Association 1-800-946-2000
- Mental Health America 1-800-969-6642
- National Alliance on Mental Illness 1-800-950-6264
- National Suicide Prevention Lifeline 1-800-273-TALK (8255)
- Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder Hotline 802-296-6300

Dealing with Domestic Violence:

- Domestic Violence Hotline in the US 1-800-799-7233
- National Domestic Violence Hotline
1-800-799-SAFE (7322)
1-800-787-3224 (TTY)
- Woman's Resource and Rape Assistance Program
Hotline (901) 664-9727
Hotline 1-800-273-8712
- Woman's Referral Center 1-800-322-8092
- CAAP Inc. Domestic Violence Hot Line 901-272-2221

Other:

- National AIDS Hotline 1-800-822-7422
- National Runaway Switchboard 1-800-621-4000
- The Crisis Center (901) 274-7477
- Young Adult Crisis Hotline 1-877-702-2463

**Tips for Teens.****We Care About You and We Can Help...**

- Don't be afraid to ask for help.
- You can ask for help for a friend.
- Look for a trusted adult to talk to: teacher, guidance counselor, family member, neighbor, family friend, minister/ clergy, etc.
- You can call a local youth shelter or the National Runaway Switch board at 1-800-RUNAWAY for help without using your name.
- The staff at any local Safe Place program are willing to listen.
- Your concern is not too big or too little for a Safe Place agency to help.
- Be honest about your needs.
- The first time we experience most events, we react strongly.
- As we think it through or the event occurs again, our reactions change. Writing out your feelings can help.
- Admit your own mistakes. Attack the problem and not the person. Calm down before you react. Think before you speak. And, look for understanding without being defensive.
- If you do not have a safe place to be, you have a right to a Safe Place.
- Using tobacco, alcohol and other drugs can have a negative effect on your life; the majority of youth have chosen not to get involved with drugs or alcohol.

**Remember, a crisis is temporary and will pass with time.
Dealing with it in the right way is most important.**

(Tips For Teens provided by Project Safe Place:
http://nationalsafeplace.org/documents/pdf/2005_talk-dont-run_brochure.pdf)

**Shelters For Runaways:**

Family Link / Youth Villages

Poplar Group Home / Project Safe Place

1582 Poplar Ave. Memphis, TN 38014

Phone: (901) 276-SAFE (7233)

Project Safe Place: (901) 762-3758

<http://www.youthvillages.org/familyLink.aspx>

Youth Villages' Poplar Group Home, provides community based help to young people with emotional and behavioral problems and is also a part of the Project Safe Place Network. It is the only emergency shelter for runaway and homeless teens within a 200-mile radius of Memphis.

Hotlines For Runaways:

- National Runaway Switchboard 1-800-621-4000
- Youth Villages Teen Crisis Hotline (24 hrs.) (901) 276-7233

Websites For Runaways:

- Runaway Help
<http://www.geocities.com/CapitolHill/6647/runaway.html>
- Dealing With Addiction (Teens)
http://kidshealth.org/teen/your_mind/problems/addictions.html

**Agape Child and Family Services**

111 Racine St. Memphis TN 38111 Phone: (901) 323-3600

<http://www.agapemeanslove.org/>

Services: Families in Touch (FIT) is a collaborative effort to serve homeless, pregnant, mother and up to 3 children in transitional housing and support services.

Alcoholics Anonymous– Memphis Office

1835 Union Avenue, #303

Phone: (901) 454-1414 - (901) 726-6750

www.memphis-aa.org

Services: Provides information on alcoholism and AA meetings to those who are ready to achieve and maintain sobriety.

Alpha Omega Veterans Services

1183 Madison Ave.

Contact: (901) 726-5066 www.aovs.org

Services: Offers various types of transitional housing for homeless veterans. Must be referred by the VA.

Barron Heights Transitional Center

1385 Lamar Ave.

Contact: (901) 728-5873

<http://www.bhcdc.com>

Services: Medical referrals to VA hospitals, job counseling and preparations throughout stay, 40 beds for veteran males.

Berclair Church of Christ

4536 Summer Contact: (901) 685-9022

Services: Provide bagged lunches on Mondays 9-11am

BRIDGES GED/Life Skills Program (ages 17 and over) Contact: (901) 260-3772 <http://www.bridgesusa.org/gedlifeskills>

Services: Provides GED, Life skills, parenting, and career workshops.



Brinkley Heights Ministries: Emergency Services

3286 Rosamond

Contact: (901) 327-0985 <http://www.streetsministries.org>

Services: Emergency Services provides clothes closet, food pantry, and spiritual & referral counseling program.

C.A.A.P. Inc (Cocaine and Alcohol Awareness Program)

4023 Knight Arnold Rd., 3375 Winbrook , 1725 Pinebrook

<http://www.caapincorporated.com>

Services: Extended residential drug and alcohol treatment at Knight Arnold location (901-367-7550). Maximum stay of 6 month, homeless veterans residential services at Winbrook location (901-346-1140). Supportive house program for homeless non-veterans males at Pinebrook location (901-395-0964).

Calvary Rescue Mission

960 S 3rd St. Contact: (901) 775-2570 <http://www.calvaryrescue.org>

Services: Provides temporary shelter, clothing and food for men willing to give their lives to the Lord.

Door of Hope

245 North Bellevue•(901) 725-1140•<http://door-of-hope-memphis.org/>

Open Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 10am-1pm. Must arrive by 10:30am for processing. Contact: Andrew Jacuzzi (901) 355-7449

Services: Access to shower, laundry, light lunch, various classes/ workshops, and supplemental intensive case management, bible studies and lunch groups.

Dozier House

85 N. Cleveland St. Contact: (901) 278-2367 (Intake)

<http://www.ccwtn.org/homeless.html>

Services: Serves homeless men and women who are chemically dependent and in need of a structured, 24-hour alcohol and drug treatment program.



First Presbyterian Church

166 Poplar Ave. 901-525-5619 <http://www.firstpresmemphis.org>

Services: Meal Sunday 2:30-4pm. Clothes Closet: First and Third Sunday 2:30-4pm. Birth Certificate, help with fee and no appointment required First and Second Sunday 2pm. Reading Glasses: Fourth Sunday 2:30-4pm. State ID's, help with fee, need appointment, First and Second Tuesday 8:30am.

Friends for Life

43 N. Cleveland

Contact: (901) 272-0855

<http://www.friendsforlifecorp.org>

Services: Provides HIV education, HIV testing, Food Pantry (for people infested with the virus), transportation to medical appointments, shelter plus apartments and tenant based rental assistance.

Genesis House

300 N Bellevue Blvd Contact: (901) 726-9786

Services: Residential treatment/case management for adult, homeless, mentally ill, dually diagnosed individuals. (Referral Needed)

Grace House

329 N Bellevue Contact: (901) 722-8460

Not a Homeless Shelter. Exclusively for substance abusers.

<http://www.gracehousememphis.org/gracehouseofmemphisinc/>

Services: Detoxification program runs 10 days to two weeks, residential program and half-way house all for women. Now has Intensive Outpatient Program (IOP)

Harbor House

1979 East Alcy Rd. Contact: (901) 743-1836 ext.2229

<http://www.harborhousememphis.org/>

Services: Residential treatment and halfway care for men addicted to drugs and alcohol.

**Highland Heights United Methodist Church**

3476 Summer Ave

Contact: (901) 458-5966

Services: Provides food pantry on Mondays from 9:30 - 11:30am and Meal at noon.

Hope Works

1930 Union Ave Contact: (901) 272-3700

Executive Director: Ron Wade

Services: 13 week personal and career development class from Monday-Friday from 9-4. Also Provides health and hygiene products every Tuesday 10:00-11:30.

They also offer a GED program (must be referred).

Hospitality Hub

146 Jefferson Ave - Contact: (901) 522-1808

<http://www.hospitalityhub.org/>

Executive Director: Beatrice Kimmons

Hours: Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 1 - 4pm

Services: They provide toilets, beverages, place to rest, service referrals for newly homeless, mail, telephones, internet, lockers, travelers aid if available, help with getting drivers licenses and birth certificates, counseling services, spiritual services. On Tuesdays between 9:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. provides access to Mental Health & V.A. Outreach Workers (guests must first have gone through intake interview on Mon., Wed., or Fri. before any HUB services are provided)

House of Prayer Outreach Mission– Idlewild

1750 Union Ave Contact: (901) 726-4681

<http://www.idlewildchurch.org/outreach.html>

Services: Every Thursday night they offer a chapel service at 5pm followed by dinner and music at 5:30pm.

Transitional housing for families.

**Karat Place, Inc**

558 Boyd St. Contact: (901) 525-4055 <http://www.karatplace.org/>

Services: Transitional housing for women ex-offenders with or without children.

Lighthouse Mission Ministries

3630 Jackson Ave Contact: (901) 382-0966 (referrals)

Services: Faith-based long term shelter: faith based chemical dependency intervention; back-to-work job placement program; spiritual guidance/counseling; transportation to and from work, medical appointments, court appointments and parole appointments. (male only)

Living Legacy

1581 Ontario Ave Phone: (901) 672-7857

Services: Mental health evaluation and counseling, skills training, assistance with housing placement, food collection from South Memphis community garden and delivery to Living For Christ Shelter in Frayser and other transitional housing locations.

Manna House

1268 Jefferson Ave Contact: Peter Gathje: (901) 272-0509

<http://www.emmanuelhousememphis.org/mannahouse.html>

Hours: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 8:00am-11:30am

Services: Living room to rest in, beverages, use of phone and bathroom, use of shower and personal hygiene products and change of clothes. Help with providing support to friends or family in jail. Every Thursday at 10:00am "Living Room Discussion"

Memphis Family Shelter *(Only for mothers and children)*

Contact: Donna Fortson at (901) 278-2728 / (901) 260-4663

Services: Transitional housing, case management, individual counseling and support groups, parenting and life skills training, assistance with GED or furthering education or job skills for mothers and children.



Memphis Literary Council

902 S. Cooper St. Contact: (901) 327-6000

Services: Provides programs for low-literate adults and disadvantaged families. The agency operates its adult learning program from a midtown location and is open days, evenings, and Saturday mornings.

Memphis Union Mission

Men's Emergency Shelter & Moriah House: 383 Poplar The Wright Transitional House: 170 Tillman Calvary Colony: 4535 Benjestown Rd. Contact: (901) 526-8403 <http://memphisunionmission.org/>

Services: Meet the immediate needs of food, clothing and shelter; Bible based counseling. First 4 days and nights free, after which it is \$6 per night (4 free nights a month and free nights if temperatures are freezing or below) (for men). Moriah House offers long-term recovery program that is Biblically based. For women with children (note: boys to age ten) and single women. Free Medical Clinic on Mandays.

MIFA Les Passees Children and Family Center

379 Cossitt Place, Memphis TN 38126

Contact: Sherry Schedler at 529-4515

Services: Transitional housing for homeless families. Life skills classes are also available.

Mission Global Ministry

1600 S Lauderdale St. Contact: (901) 948-8111

Services: Long term transitional shelter for homeless and addicted, parolees and displaced. Provides the following: Anger management, Alpha 12 steps, computer training, job readiness, spiritual counseling and GED

Missionaries of Charity

700 N. 7th St., Memphis, TN 38107 Contact: 526-5456

Services: Emergency family shelter provided for single women with children (boys under 5). Families are limited to two weeks or Sister's discretion. Be away between 8:30-3:15. Not Admissions on Thursday.



Narcotics Anonymous – West Tennessee

<http://www.na-wt.org/>

For information on local meetings, call the local hotline at (901) 276-5483

Planned Parenthood of Great Memphis Region

2430 Poplar Ave Toll FREE: (866) 711-1717

www.plannedparenthood.org/memphis/

Salvation Army

Shelter referrals at the Purdue Center of Hope

696 Jackson Avenue Contact: (901) 543-8586

<http://www.salvationarmymemphis.org/>

Services: Emergency family shelter provide for single women with children under the age of 12. Renewal Place is a transitional program for chemically addicted mothers that can have their children there at the same time. Single Women's Lodge Shelter, Adult Rehabilitation Center that serves as a long term men's shelter.

Seek for the Old Path: Homeless Shelter For Women & Children

1169 Linden Ave.

Services: Emergency shelter, hot meals and clean clothing provided. Case Management, job training and job placement referrals.

Serenity Recovery Centers

1094 Poplar Avenue, Memphis TN 38105

Contact: (901) 521-1131

Services: Substance abuse counseling & rehabilitation.

Sophia's House

1325 Jefferson Ave.

Contact: (901) 728-4229

Services: Housing for homeless women with children that have been involved in a domestic violence issue.

**Synergy Foundation Inc.**

2305 Airport Interchange • Contact: (901) 332-2227

[Http://www.synergyc.org/](http://www.synergyc.org/)

Services: Provide effective residential and outpatient alcohol and drug treatment.

Men and women are placed in jobs and this therapeutic work funds the majority of the treatment costs. Outpatient services are provided to individuals, families and children. Our comprehensive approach empowers families and enables individuals to return to the community as sober, productive citizens. Educational referrals for school age children. Transitional and permanent housing referrals, mental health services referrals, social service counseling, alcohol and drug counseling and treatment referrals, spiritual counseling. For homeless women and mothers with children and single male parents with children are also accepted on case-by-case basis.

Tanasi Council of the Far Away Cherokee

2811 Ravenwood Drive

Contact: 373-3885

Services: Helps to find housing for Native American homeless and can help to reunite Native American with tribe.

YWCA Abused Women's Services

Address unlisted

Contact: Hotline (901) 725-4277

<http://www.memphisywca.org/>

Services: Provide court advocacy, immigrant services and emergency shelter services for abused women and children in Memphis.

OutReach Housing & Community

P.O. Box 41884 Memphis, TN 38174 • Contact: June Averyt

Services: Outreach to people living on the streets. Community Development. Anyone living on the streets call at (901)233-0093.

**Veteran Services provided by VA Medical Center**

Memphis TN, VA Medical Center, The Health Care for Homeless Veteran (HCHV) program. 600 Poplar Ave.

Services

- Healthcare enrollment referrals.
- Clinical assessment.
- Referral to needed medical, mental health and substance abuse services.
- Referral to employment training programs with job placement potential.
- Referral to VA and non-VA disability benefit services.
- Referral to short and long-term shelter and transitional home program assistance.
- Referral to permanent housing.
- Referral to food, clothing and hygiene services.

The program serves veterans who are homeless or at risk.

Intake hours are Monday - Friday between 10:00am - 12:00pm at the VA Medical Center, Bed Tower, 4th floor and Tuesday's between 9:00 - 12:00pm at the Drop-In Center, 600 Poplar Ave. Upon arrival to the VA Medical Center please check in with Shelagh Meadows for assistance. Health Care for Homeless Veterans program (HCHV) is composed of the Grant and Per Diem program (GPD), the Transitional Supported Housing and the Housing and Urban Development- Veterans Affairs Permanent Supportive Housing program (HUD-VASH).

The Grant and Per Diem (G&PD)

Services: Transitional Home Program provides alternative time-limited housing (up to 24 months) programs for homeless veterans through partnership with community transitional home agencies. The goal is to help homeless veterans to increase their skill levels and/or income, exhibit greater self-sufficiency and achieve residential stability.

Other services include

- Transitional housing for eligible veterans.
- Comprehensive individualized treatment plans.
- Case management services.
- Dental care services for eligible veterans upon completion of 60 days in the program.

**VA Homeless Program Staff**

Homeless Program Coordinator, Homeless Program Liaison

Ovul Ince, MSSW Ext. 7085

Homeless Program Liaison

Louisa Beck, MSSW Ext. 6216

Homeless Program Social Worker

Chase Spiegel, MSW Ext. 5606

Homeless Program Social Worker

India Johnson, MSSW Ext. 6215

Homeless Program Addiction Therapist

Al Kern, MS Ext. 6802

Homeless Program Support

Shelagh Meadows Ext. 5661

Homeless Program Outreach

Pat Hines, MSSW Ext. 6711

The Housing and Urban Development-Veterans Affairs Supported Housing Program (HUD-VASH)

Services: Provides permanent housing and ongoing case management treatment services for homeless veterans, and their immediate families who would not be able to live independently without the support of case management. HUD's Section 8 Vouchers designated only to eligible homeless veterans.

Other services provide:

- HUD's Section eight vouchers for permanent housing
- Outreach and case management to ensure integration of services and continuity of care

HUD-VASH Program Staff

Contact: 901-523-8990

Jackie Taylor-Mays, MSSW Ext. 6217

Ella Jones, MSSW Ext. 6218

Pamela Carroll, MSSW Ext. 5256

**Women (with or with out children):****Agape Child and Family Services**

111 Racine St. Memphis, TN 38111

(901) 323-3600

Baby Love Midtown Mental Health Center Pregnant Women Program

450 Pontotoc St. Memphis, TN 38126

(901) 577-0200 Ext. 370

Grace House (No Children) (substance abuse only)

329 N. Bellevue Blvd. Memphis, TN 38105

(901) 722-8460

Karat Place (No Children)

829 N. Parkway Memphis, TN 38105

(901) 525-4055

Memphis Family Shelter

P.O. BOX 22891 Memphis, TN 38122

(901) 278-2728

Memphis Union Mission: Moriah House

383 Poplar Ave Memphis, TN 38105

(901) 522-8819

Salvation Army Purdue Center of Hope

696 Jackson Ave Memphis, TN 38107

(901) 543-8586

Seek For the Old Path

1169 Linden Ave Memphis, TN 38104

YWCA Abused Women's Services

Address not listed

Hotline (901) 725-4277

**Men****Barron Heights (Veterans)**

1385 Lamar Ave (901) 728-5873

Oppurtunity Center

600 Poplar Ave. (901) 526-8403

Calvary Rescue

960 S. Third St. (901) 775-2570

Harbor House

1979 Alcy Road (901) 743-1836

Lighthouse Mission Ministries

3630 Jackson Ave (901) 382-0966

Memphis Union Mission

383 Poplar Ave (901) 526-8434

Families**Estival Communities**

379 Cossitt Place

Sherry Schedler at (901) 529-4515

House of Prayer Outreach Mission– Idlewild

1750 Union Ave

(901) 726-4681

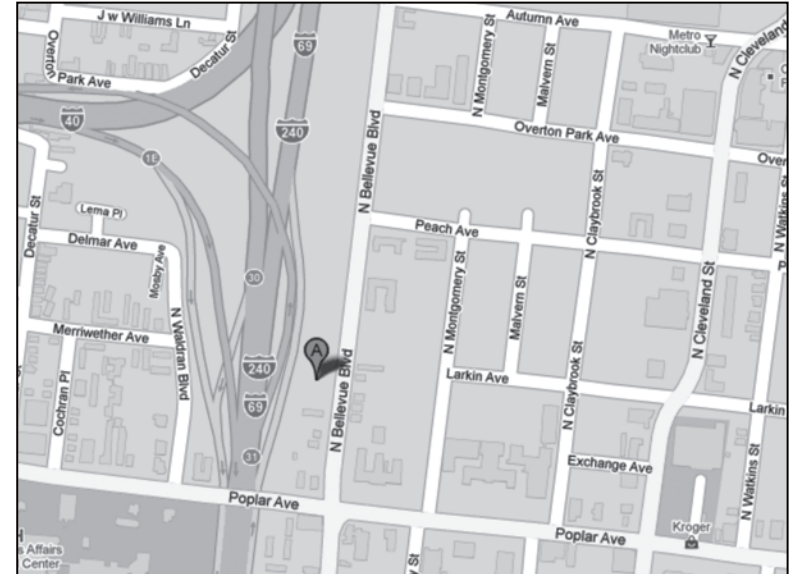
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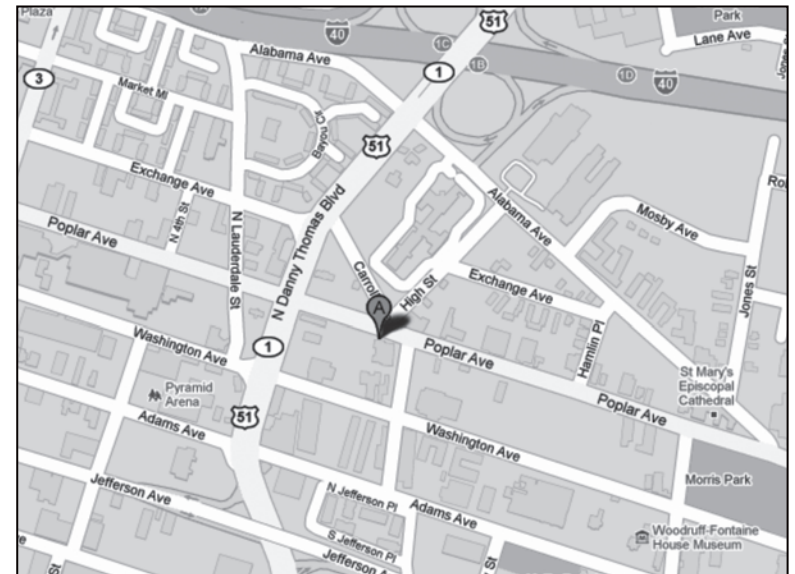
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Families in Transition FIT

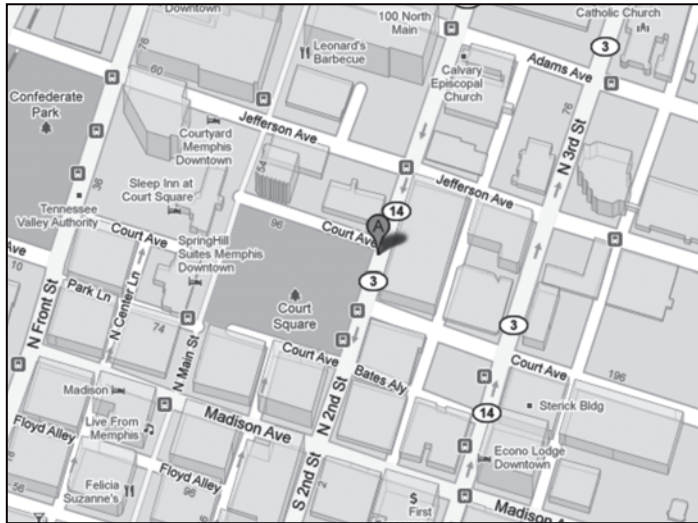
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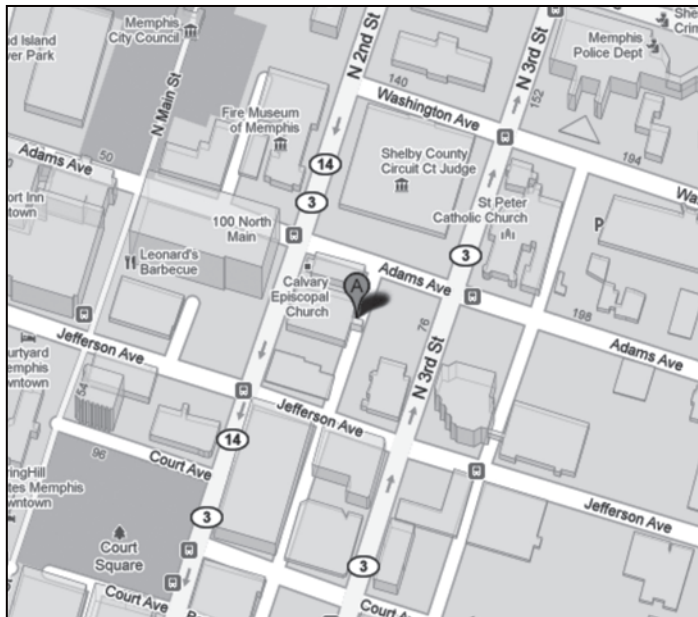
Doors of Hope, 245 N Bellevue Blvd. (By referral only)



Memphis Union Mission, 383 Poplar Ave.



Food Not Bombs, Court Square



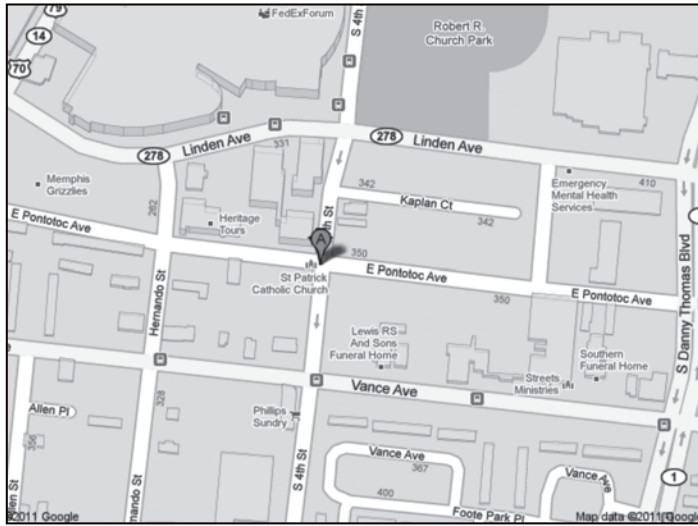
Calvary Episcopal Church, 102 N. 2nd St.



First Presbyterian Church, 116 Poplar Ave.



Manna House, 1268 Jefferson Ave.



St. Patrick Catholics Church, 277 S. 4th St.



St. Mary's Catholics Church, 115 Market Ave.

Food Not Bombs

Given recent events the presence of a Food not Bombs group in Memphis is vital. It is a near perfect proactive statement on the issues currently at hand in the nation (violence, hate, militarism) and brings focus to local issues (hunger poverty, homelessness) that are often ignored.

We Need Help!!!

Volunteers are needed to help assist with:

Food donation pick ups (from stores) We need people who can go to the store on Thursdays and Fridays to pick up food donations. We can usually get stuff from Wild Oats, but if you know of other places willing to donate food, by all means try them too!

Transportation a chronic problem since few of us have cars! We cook every Saturday morning (11am) at Galloway Church - located at the corner of Cooper and Walker in Midtown. Join us! We can always use a few extra hands.

No experience necessary, it's easy!

We need people to help take the food downtown and serve it on Saturday afternoons between 2-4pm. The location is at Court Square which is located downtown on Court Street. Make a donation (food, clothing, supplies)



Fishes & Loaves Closet Open Tuesday & Thursday 1:30 – 3:00 pm.

Fishes & Loaves is a clothes closet and food Pantry offering assistance to those in need.

Fishes & Loaves is located at: First Congregational Church, just south of the intersection of Cooper & Young Aves.

Every 4th Sunday, First Congregation Church gives groceries to eligible families.

Application forms are available at the church. Interested families from zip codes 38104, 38111, 38114 should inquire with John @ 901-278-6786, ext. 108, to see if you qualify.

First Congregational Church 1000 South Cooper,
Memphis TN 38104 Ph: 901.278.6786



**Who speaks for the interests
of your Community?**

**Who is your voice in the Community,
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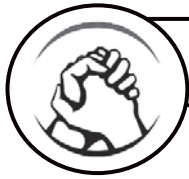


G.O.T. Power is an 8-week training in the skills of community organizing-including skills you need to be effective, expert advice from current leaders, resources, tools, and local information.

G.O.T. Power participants come from all backgrounds, from activists and advocates, to service providers to local community members who want to be more involved with issues affecting their communities.

Get involved by calling **(901)725-4990** today!





Medical Help—Uninsured

Appendix

Church Health Center Wellness Facility

1115 Union Ave. Contact: (901) 259-4673

Services: Open to the entire community, helping people stay healthy in body and spirit. It offers an affordable facility and the resources to improve lives physically and spiritually.

Memphis Health Center

Services: Immunizations, screenings, family practice, OB-GYN, internal medicine, dental, medical laboratory, pharmacy, and radiology.

Locations:

Memphis Health Center, Inc.
360 E.H. Crump Blvd.
Contact: (901) 261-2000
wljackson@mphshc.org

Greenlaw Health Center
278 Green Law
Contact: (901) 261-7303

Rossville Health Center (urology and podiatry services available)
P.O. Box 249, Hwy 57 Rossville, TN
Contact: (901) 261-7303

LeMoyne-Owens College Student Health Services
807 Walker
Contact: (901) 435-1460

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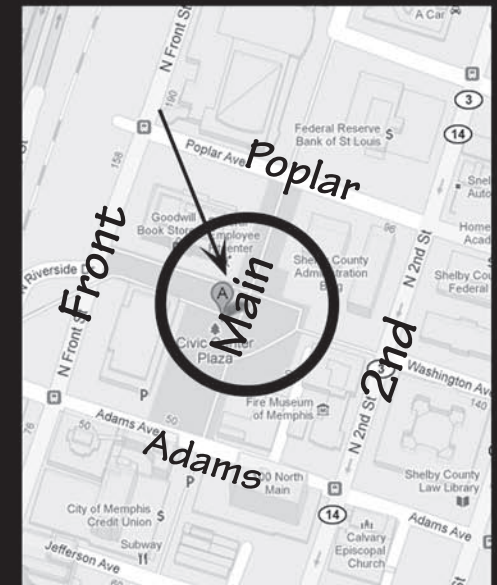
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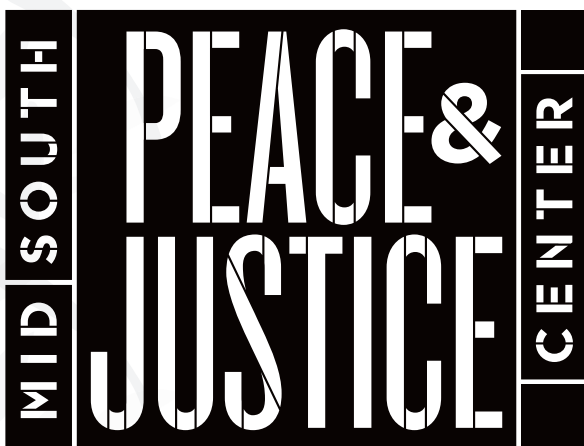
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