



DR. WILLIAM B. DEAN CENTER FOR
SERVICE-LEARNING
DALLAS BAPTIST UNIVERSITY

Available Service Opportunity List

For help finding a servant leadership opportunity that best fits your gifts, talents, and schedule, or for more information on any of the opportunities listed below, please contact the Dr. William B. Dean Center for Service-Learning at 214-333-6815 or servicelearning@dbu.edu

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Animal Care

Bonton Farms

**Contact: Meghan Tabor, 972-379-8979 or info@bontonfarms.org
Website: <https://bontonfarms.org/>**

On the farm, our daily chores play a crucial role in keeping us on track to produce and sell food for those in need. On any given day, you can expect we'll need help with a few of the following chores: feeding and milking the goats, taking the goats on a hike for exercise and fresh food, feeding the chickens and the rest of the livestock, cleaning out the coops and pens, cleaning out water containers, moving and laying mulch and wood chips, harvesting and helping prune rows of produce, watering trees and veggies, and helping plant new crops.

City of Grand Prairie – Prairie Paws Adoption Center

**Contact: Destiny Wright, 972-237-8568 or volunteer@gptx.org
Website: www.gptx.org/volunteer**

Volunteer with the Prairie Paws Adoption Center! You will help with animal care by assisting with kennel maintenance, exercise, training, socialization, and mental stimulation. You will also assist in helping pets find good homes, foster any pets that need extra time or help, as well as educate children and adults about responsible pet ownership. Volunteers may also assist at special Prairie Paws community and fundraising events.

Take Me Home Pet Rescue

**Contact: Kimberly Weese, 972-238-7988 or volunteer@tmhpr.com
Website: www.tmhpr.com**

Take Me Home Pet Rescue (TMHPR) is a nonprofit organization that is working to reduce the stray pet problem by either bringing in animals without homes or taking them from local high kill shelters. While these animals are waiting for permanent homes, they stay at TMHPR and get the care they need. Volunteers will assist in loading trucks with pet supplies for distribution, unloading pallets, fixing flawed packaging, and organizing donations. Volunteers can serve on Fridays from 11:30 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. The location is 561 W. Campbell Road, Richardson, TX.

Arts & Culture

TransformUs Movement

**Contact: Dominique Jones, 214-612-5364 or dominique.jones@transformusmovement.com
Website: www.transformusmovement.com**

TransformUs Movement is a faith-based nonprofit that has been working to transform underserved communities. We promote unity and diversity within these communities and unite Body of Christ through our collaborative outreach initiatives. Our mentorship program aims to empower young adults to discover and live out their God-given purpose while using their gifts and talents to bring transformation and reconciliation to their communities. Opportunities available every 1st Tuesday of the month at our Real Talk Sessions:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/vJIude-rqTwoYUtVlpMg71kKv-5tVQ5IJQ!> (Remote opportunities available)

BSM Ministries 2022-2023

The Baptist Student Ministry engages college students to follow Christ and transform the world through evangelism, discipleship, missions, church life, and leadership. BSM mobilizes students to reach our campus, the greater Dallas-Fort Worth area, and the world by equipping students and sending them out. Students are invited to join a BSM Ministry Team to share the gospel, serve the vulnerable, and infuse our world with the Kingdom of God. For more information about each ministry including their meeting times and locations, please call 214-333-6891 or email bsm@dbu.edu.

Barnabas Ministry

The Barnabas Ministry serves the on-campus DBU Family! We love to minister to student organizations, offices, groups of students, and professors through individual and group services to make them feel loved and encouraged! Our vision is “Pouring In to Pour Out,” so there are different ways within Barnabas to feel connected and build community with one another!

Contact Kamryn Foster // 832-270-5928 // kfoster3114@mail.dbu.edu

Common Ground

Common Ground is a space for international students and American students to share their cultures and the Gospel with each other. Our hope is to share the love of Christ through quality conversation and cross-cultural appreciation. Each week we further the conversation by hearing from a wide range of speakers, engaging in discussions, and connecting through fun activities.

Contact Evelyn Walters // 469-350-4288 // ewalters6674@mail.dbu.edu

Lighthouse Drama Ministry

The Lighthouse Drama Ministry is a BSM Ministry that shares the Gospel in a unique way. We write and rehearse our own scripts that either show Bible stories or people learning something

about God and His love. We also do an improv night to reach out to the campus.

Contact Zac Sprayberry // 903-505-0510 // zsprayber8571@mail.dbu.edu

Retirement Home Ministry

The retirement home ministry is an amazing service at DBU where you can meet the kindest senior residents! Whether it's hearing stories about their life or asking for advice, talking to them will definitely brighten their day and make a huge impact on you and on them. If you have a heart for the elderly, this is the perfect place for you!

Contact BryAnna Hammock // 972-841-3407 // brydhammock@gmail.com

West End Street Ministry

West End is a homeless ministry that meets once a week to evangelize the gospel in downtown Dallas. West End hosts a church service where a sermon, worship and a meal is provided to the homeless community. You'll get to experience a renewing of your faith and strengthen your evangelism skills!

Contact Kate Flaggert // 214-422-3005

International Soccer

International soccer is a great opportunity to share the gospel, and meet international students while playing the beautiful game of soccer. It's not about competition, it's all for the fellowship and love of the game.

Contact Rolando Rangel // 214-729-9773

Brother Bill's Helping Hands

Brother Bill's here at DBU is a once-a-month service where we make crafts and Bible study enrichment videos for kids of all ages to come to know the Lord! Brother Bill's is a food pantry that serves the West Dallas and Oak Cliff areas! We as a ministry go and serve on the second Saturday of each month passing out Bible crafts and snacks to those coming to get groceries!

Contact Kenzie Hines // 469-732-6042

Catalyst

Learn to be an agent of transformation on campus through evangelism, discipleship, and leadership. Catalyst is designed to be a fun environment for students to learn and practice tools to share the gospel on campus, pray for the lost, disciple other believers, and mobilize others. Students can earn service hours through projects provided at Catalyst. All students are welcome.

Contact Eric Bean // 214-333-6891// bsm@dbu.edu

International Justice Mission

The International Justice Mission (IJM) at DBU is a campus chapter affiliated with the main IJM non-profit organization dedicated to the eradication of modern day slavery. IJM combats slavery through advocacy, rescue missions, aftercare, and more. DBU's chapter has three goals: building awareness, fundraising, and advocating for laws and practices that lead to the abolishment of slavery. We want to bring light to this evil afflicting those made in God's image all over the world, and cultivate an understanding of how students can stand against human atrocities.

Contact Kate Adams // 830-609-7067 // kadams@dbu.edu

Forerunners

Forerunners is a group of students that gather to study and learn effective ways to teach God's Word. Guest pastors, church planters, ministry leaders and teachers join us to talk about different aspects of ministry throughout the semester. Members also plan, prepare, and preach sermons before receiving feedback from the audience. Students can earn service hours as they serve through teaching and preaching at local ministries.

Contact William Horton // 817-980-8129 // whorton2303@mail.dbu.edu

Kids Hope

Fielder Church Kids Hope Ministry has established a platform in local elementary schools that enables mentors to spend just one hour per week, reading, talking, playing, and listening to a child during the school day. By helping the child feel loved and valued, students can help that child to learn, grow, and succeed. All student volunteers would be trained through Fielder Kids Hope and serve in one of the schools with which we are partnered.

Contact Elizabeth Parrott // 217-732-2232 // elizabethparrott3@gmail.com

Children & Youth

All Things Made New

**Contact: Michelle Flores, 214-460-7644 or michelle.flores@allthingsmadenew.net
Website: www.allthingsmadenew.net**

All Things Made New inspires and encourages the community through a variety of mentoring programs for preteen and teenage girls, middle school boys, and teen parents. By providing goal setting, intentional conversations, character development, community, and spiritual support, All Things Made New helps our next generation overcome backgrounds of regret, insecurity, lack of direction, and limited opportunities. Our hope is that you will come alongside of us through opportunities such as tutoring, mentoring, office assistance, or program volunteering as we serve this community to help them build the foundations in their life and realize they matter.

Alsbury Children's Academy

**Contact: Kala Tate, 817-475-8481 or kala@alsburybaptist.com
Website: www.alsburybaptist.com/alsbury-christian-academy**

Alsbury Children's ministry serves preschool children and families in DFW neighborhoods. They provide early childhood education, but more importantly they teach the word of God to all the kids that come through the program. Alsbury Children's goal is to make the students feel safe, loved, and cared for as they learn their letters, shapes, numbers, and the story of God. Volunteers will work alongside Alsbury Children's Academy to provide education and show the love of Christ to all that come through its doors.

Big Brothers Big Sisters Lone Star, Greater Dallas Market

Contact: Caprice Hawkins, 214-649-4778 or chawkins@bbbstx.org

Website: www.bbbstx.org/dallas/

This organization exists to help students reach their full potential through one-on-one mentoring programs. Volunteers are needed to be mentors in a one-on-one relationship. This is a mentorship that requires at least 2-4 meetings a month for one year. There are many programs offered and you may choose which one best fits your schedule.

Breakthrough Fort Worth

Contact: Rুদ্ধie Flores, 817-302-3280 or ruddie.flores@fwcd.com

Website: www.fwcd.org/page/inside-fwcd/breakthrough

Breakthrough Fort Worth supports over 200 students in their goal of becoming the first in their families to go to college. Their six-year program provides academic enrichment and college-prep learning experience to students in Fort Worth. As a volunteer, you will teach classes, mentor, and tutor 7th-12th grade students during the school year on Saturdays from 8am-4pm

CHAMPS

**Contact: John Eastham, 817-614-7754 or jeastham@fbcirving.org
Sarah Irving, 713-702-6897**

Come and volunteer with this after-school program that meets Monday-Friday from 2:45pm-6pm. CHAMPS is a program at First Irving for underprivileged children that would be home alone for 45 minutes or more after school and who have full-time working parents that cannot afford after school care. As a CHAMPS Volunteer, you will be tutoring, building relationships, and showing kids the love of Jesus through Bible stories and Bible memory exercises.

Champions of Hope

**Contact: Marquita Johnson, marquita@championsofhopedallas
Website: www.championsofhope.org**

Champions of Hope needs Bible Study Small Group Leaders for their weekly "412" Bible study. It is held every Thursday night from 6-8 pm at Exline Rec Center in South Dallas. Ages range from 4th-12th grade. They ask for a one-year (two semesters) commitment and for interested persons to attend an hour-long orientation prior to attending.

CLAY Student Leadership

**Contact: Abel Lopez, 469-853-4126 or abel@claystudentleadership.org
Website: www.claystudentleadership.com**

CLAY's unique curriculum engages students through music, journaling, and consistent mentorship, instilling leadership values through an interactive experience that allows students to absorb and apply simple truths. In addition, family team building, and intentional leadership

seminars equip parents to take an active role in the lives of their children and engage them with their school administration.

City of Grand Prairie- Tutoring

**Contact: Marcela Perez, 972-237-8191 or volunteer@gptx.org
Website: www.gptx.org/volunteer**

Volunteer as a Program Assistant or Homework Tutor/Reading Buddy for the City of Grand Prairie's public library. Program assistants will assist children's programmers with story time preparations, presentations, and promote early childhood literacy through fun, engaging activities. Homework Tutors/Reading Buddies will help elementary-aged children complete assignments and strengthen literacy skills.

Dallas Afterschool

**Contact: Ellie Lewis, 214-306-8400 or elewis@dallasafterschool.org
Website: <https://dallasafterschool.org/volunteer/>**

Virtual Career Day: Volunteers will virtually teach students about what they do for a living and how their work affects the world around us. Volunteers will receive a list of questions and prerecord their video. Videos may be submitted by a team or individual. The video should include a short 3-5-minute explanation of the career(s) and can include a virtual office/site tour and/or activity to allow the children to learn about the volunteers' work.

Back-To-School Supply Drive: Dallas Afterschool and our partner sites are preparing to safely educate students in-person and through distance learning. For the upcoming school year, Dallas Afterschool is collecting health, safety and educational resources to guarantee our partners have the materials needed to safely educate.

Dalworth Recreation Center

**Contact: Monte Whetstone, 972-237-4760 or mwhetstone@gptx.org
Website: www.gptx.org**

Our recreation center seeks to serve the community by providing quality programming for children and adults of all ages. Our main priority is to provide after school programs to engage our kids. While serving at the Dalworth Recreation Center, students have the opportunity to aide children with homework, engage in recreational activities, or potentially mentor a child.

Volunteering is a great way to build lasting relationships while enhancing the quality of life and creating community through people, programs, places and partnerships.

Dare To Serve

Contact: Geoff Reese, 817-773-8094 or greese59@gmail.com

Dare To Serve is an organization that challenges and motivates high school kids to serve their school and their community. Projects may include, serving at a food bank or soup kitchen, packing and serving meals to the homeless, and cleaning up a local community. Projects may include serving alongside high school kids. It will be fun, worthwhile and rewarding.

DFW Angels

Contact: Erin White, 214-435-3060 or erin@dfwangels.org

Website: www.dfwangels.org

DFW Angels mission is to walk alongside children in foster care, as well as their caretakers, by offering support through intentional giving, relationship building, and mentorship. They do this through 2 programs: The Love Box and Dare to Dream programs. These programs match volunteers with families who are fostering. The volunteers come alongside the family to offer support and relationships for a particular family. We are always looking for Love Box volunteers to be matched with a family to serve (can be an individual, a Sunday School class, a social group, a family, etc.). Other volunteer opportunities will be for events held throughout the year such as: Back to School supply drive, Fall/Halloween, Christmas, Summer and etc. DUE TO COVID, volunteer opportunities may be limited. Please reach out to DFW Angels about upcoming events for this year.

Elevate Students

Contact: Christina Perez, 817-793-6984 or homefrontpulsesm@gmail.com

Website: www.homefrontfamily.com/candid

Elevate Students is a character and leadership-based development program implemented in an in-school or after-school setting. This program helps students navigate the uncertainty of teenage years. The program's goal is to elevate the student's character, self-esteem, academic success, and leadership abilities. Volunteers assist in three areas: mentorship, security, and administration to model, teach, and encourage these values. Volunteers can also help with security of the organization to make sure that the area is safe and that all the students are picked up. Lastly, volunteers can help with administrative tasks such as attendance, supplies, and organizing snacks.

Family Legacy

Contact: Jenny Crawford, jenny@familylegacy.com or 972-620-2020 ext 806

Website: <https://familylegacy.com/>

Family Legacy exists to glorify God by empowering children in Zambia to live out their God-given potential. We offer volunteer opportunities to pack school supplies for children and teachers in Zambia. We offer volunteering for food packing as well. Students may volunteer to help pack boxes of school supplies for students and teachers, and pack meals.

Forerunner Mentoring Program

**Contact: Caroline Cash, 972-351-3394 or hello@forerunnermentoring.com
Website: www.forerunnermentoring.com**

Forerunner Mentoring is a program that changes lives through investing in a relationship with a young man from a father-absent home. This organization pairs a young man from a father-absent home with a Godly mentor from our community. The after-school programs are a part of our ministry that allow children to be equipped with the skills needed to fulfill their God-given potential. Forerunner Mentoring believes that the best way these skills are taught are through the context of relationships.

Girls Inc. of Metropolitan Dallas

**Contact: Inge Milius, 214-654-4546 or imilius@girlsincdallas.org
Website: www.girlsinc.org**

Girls Inc. is an afterschool and summer enrichment program for young ladies that inspires them to be strong, smart, and bold. They equip young women to achieve in academics, lead healthy and physically active lives, manage money, navigate media messages, and discover an interest in science, technology, engineering and math. Volunteers serve by supervising girls during play, assisting with individual homework projects or large group lessons, preparing rooms, cleaning, and mentoring. Volunteers have an opportunity to encourage and set a good example for young these young ladies.

Grand Prairie Boys and Girls Club

**Contact: Julie Ford-Mitchell, 972-623-1698 or jmitchell@bgcdallas.org
Website: www.bgcdallas.org**

Reach out to young boys and girls by becoming a mentor. The Boys and Girls Club strives to develop students in five core areas: education development, character development, health, the arts, and sports.

Grand Prairie Family YMCA Tutoring

**Contact: Tiffany Khamnungthai, 972-642-9632 or tkhamnungthai@ymcadallas.org
Website: www.ymcadallas.org/locations/grand_prairie**

Homework assistance and tutoring is offered to Middle School and High School students. Typically, the YMCA hosts homework help and tutoring every Wednesday from 3-6 pm but are willing to adjust days and times accordingly. Math and science are the most needed subjects but help for every subject is needed. Volunteers, well-versed in these subjects, are greatly needed. However, any volunteers are welcome!

Heart & Home Ministries

**Contact: Heidi Dollar, 214-356-3823 or heidi.dollar@heartandhomeministriesinc.org
Website: www.heartandhomeministries.org**

The purpose of Heart and Home is to minister to the needs of children and families at risk. Locally, we fulfill our purpose through our Partnering Pals Mentoring program with Advantage Academy ISD, a charter school with 3 locations in North Texas. We provide students of Advantage Academy with a caring adult who spends time with them, two times per month, at the school to help with homework, social issues, or just providing a listening ear from a caring adult. Our mission is to improve the lives of at-risk children and enable them to become productive responsible adults in two ways. The first way is by building, strengthening and edifying the children through outreach and training programs that will aid in whatever way possible to meet the needs materially and spiritually for each child and family member. The second way this is done is by creating one-on-one mentoring relationships between identified students and qualified, caring adult "volunteers" who are persons of good moral character and integrity.

Hidalgo Ministries

**Contact: Stephen Predtechenski, 214-288-7929 or stephen@hidalgoministries.org
Website: www.hidalgoministries.org.**

Hidalgo Ministries focuses on spiritual and social transformation in a low-income Hispanic apartment community near Bachman Lake and Love Field Airport. Since 2002, we have been sharing the gospel and discipling in the community through Kids Clubs, Youth Group, Adult Ministries, and Community Events. We have a passion for fun, creativity, relevance, and biblical truth. Currently, our weekly ministry opportunities include our Wednesday Kids Club (K-6th Graders) - 6:00-8:00 pm; Thursday Youth Group (7th-12th Graders) 6:30-9:00 pm; and Saturday Reading and Game Time (Pre-K - 6th Graders) 10:00 am to 12:00 noon. All weekly activities take place in the Hidalgo Clubhouse at the Chapel Creek Apartments (3410 Hidalgo Dr., Dallas, TX 75220). Most of the kids' ministry is in English, but Spanish is a bonus, as a few kids and most of the parents speak only Spanish. Activities could include opportunities to lead worship or song motions, play games, teach a lesson, lead a small group, and more. We are also seeking help for social media, video production, photography, and some administration. We welcome visitors who want to see the ministry before committing long-term.

Integrity Mentors

**Contact: Lawrence Marshall, 214-274-5623 or lawrence@integritymentoring.org
Website: www.integritymentor.org**

Integrity Mentors is a program that strives to guide youth to live according to a higher standard. Their goal is to provide a positive Christian environment and an impactful role model for at-risk youth ages 12 to 18. This program offers a variety of volunteer opportunities such as mentoring, social media, event/activity planning, and Saturday chaperoning.

Justin F. Kimball High School

**Contact: Patricia Hudson, 496-672-7455 or phudson@dallasisd.org
Website: www.dallasisd.org/kimball**

Kimball High is a public high school on the move to prepare students and families for greater living. They are looking for individuals who are ready to be servant leaders to help establish kingdom principles. Volunteers will be expected to help with after school extra-curricular clubs, pray, greet students in the cafeteria, and to serve on leadership advisory boards. Volunteers are encouraged to bring their servant heart, ideas, and service to help transform the student body into leaders.

KiDs Beach Club

**Contact: Chris Howard, 817-510-5885 or choward@kbcmail.org
Website: www.kidsbeachclub.org**

KiDs Beach Club is an after-school program that provides tools, training, and support for churches to effectively connect with parents and students through building relationships that bridge the gap between a school community and a faith community. Each club consists of worship, bible connection, memory connection, game time, and snack time. KBC needs volunteers to serve one day a week for a span of 24 weeks, and they will oversee helping lead a Beach Club at an assigned school.

Mentors Care

**Contact: Sean Byars, 469-658-1709 or sean.byars@mentors.care
Website: www.mentors.care**

Mentors Care is designed for students who are at-risk of not graduating due to grades, issues at home, issues at school, personal losses, or a number of other reasons. Mentors work one on one with the student and they discuss grades, how the student is doing, helping them to set goals for themselves and help them make the best decisions with the issues that they are facing. Mentoring in the simplest form is one person pouring into another person the wisdom, knowledge, and experience that you have in order to help them become the best that they can be. A great mentor is a good listener, compassionate, patient, and able to communicate their passion to the one they are mentoring. The greatest example of mentoring is what Jesus did with the disciples for the 3 years of his ministry. He loved them for who they were but looked past their rough exteriors and saw the greatness in each of them. He loved them too much to let them stay the way they were.

Mission Midlothian

**Contact: Linda Lott, 972-723- 8314 or 214-704-2571 or mhlott@sbcglobal.net
Linda Motley, 972-775-3037 or 972-978-1467
Website: www.oakcrestbaptist.com/community-involvement.html**

This ministry offers free after school programs for children of single parents (1st-5th grade) from 2:45pm - 6:00pm, in houses next to two schools. Mission Midlothian is funded solely by donations and operated by volunteers. They provide healthy snacks, help with homework, bible stories, crafts, visits from missionaries, counseling, etc. There are monthly meetings for parents on budgeting, parenting skills, and more. The goal is to have enough volunteers for programs at every school in town.

Riverside Baptist Church

Contact: Amanda Sikes, 817-897-7114 or amanda@riversiderwg.org

Website: www.riversiderwg.org

Riverside Baptist Church has a small Children's Ministry dedicated to loving the children placed in their care and guiding them as they develop a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. Volunteers are needed on Sundays from 9am-12:30pm and will assist the Children's Minister in leading pre-school worship or Children's Church for elementary students. This includes helping with music, Bible lessons, crafts, memory verses, games, and other activities.

Sabine Creek Ranch

Contact: Shelton McAfee, 830-456-8694 or Shelton@sabinecreek.com

Website: www.sabinecreek.org

Sabine Creek Ranch is a camp and retreat facility located outside Rockwall, Texas. They strive to be a place where people of all ages can connect with God. Their goal is to be stewards on a Holy mission to provide environments where seekers can connect with their Maker.

SIL International Child Care Department (Summer Institute of Linguistics)

Contact: Joy Schattschneider, 972-708-7402 or childcaaredirector_dallas@sil.org

SIL Childcare cares for children of missionaries, members of the local community and SIL International, a Christian nonprofit organization whose focus is on the study, development, and documentation of languages. Volunteers will be assisting teachers in the classrooms by playing games with the children, reading books, preparing for snack time, and assisting in crafts.

Youth Revive

Contact: Adrian McConnell, 214-414-9449 or adrian@youthrevive.org

Website: www.youthrevive.org

Youth Revive allows Bible College and Seminary students the opportunity to co-lead in an actual classroom, offering experiences that are transferable in ministry. Additionally, they hope to connect their Ignite Me Students to the church through in-school programming. Their selection process is competitive. Some qualifications of Ignite Me Coaches are to have an interest in

student or campus ministry, currently studying ministry or are currently leading a student program/ministry. Ignite Me Coaches should also have an interest in Civic and Community Advocacy and have an interest in building experience to work within the community to make change. They will use this experience to motivate their students.

Youth World

**Contact: Darla Shirley, 214-948-0606 or darla@youthworld.org
Website: www.youthworld.org**

Youth World Dallas Learning Center is a non-profit youth organization that reaches out to "at-risk" children. A warehouse located in South Oak Cliff is open for volunteers to invest in the lives of hurting children and teens. Each month, Youth World provides events for students to come and experience the love of Christ firsthand. Volunteer each month as they open the doors of Youth World for teens and children to play games, learn about computers, play basketball, as well as reading, crafts, snacks, Bible stories, etc. Serve where you're passionate. Youth World is a great opportunity for relational ministry. Youth World events will be on Thursday nights and Saturday afternoons.

YoungLife

**Contact (Arlington): Calley Christensen, 817-773-8345 or ylifearlington@gmail.com
Website: www.younglife.org**

Lead or help with weekly youth evangelical outreach events and relationship building with area high school students.

Lifeline Children's Services

**Contact: Shauna Moore, 817-308-5118 or shauna.moore@Lifelinechild.org
Website: <https://lifelinechild.org>**

Students will be able to help with events and handle phone calls, the organization's mission statement is to equip the Body of Christ to manifest the gospel to vulnerable children.

Church Ministries

The Avenue Church- The Avenue Church is looking for students with a heart for the local church and seeing the gospel spread. Listed below are the ministries they are accepting volunteers for.

Contact: 972-937-5301

Website: www.theavenuechurch.com

- **Youth Revive-** Youth Revive allows Bible College and Seminary students the opportunity to co-lead in an actual classroom, offering experiences that are transferable in ministry. Additionally, they hope to connect their Ignite Me Students to the church through in-school programming. Their selection process is competitive. Some

qualifications of Ignite Me Coaches are to have an interest in student or campus ministry, currently studying ministry or are currently leading a student program/ministry. Ignite Me Coaches should also have an interest in Civic and Community Advocacy and have an interest in building experience to work within the community to make change. They will use this experience to motivate their students.

Contact: Adrian McConnell, 214-414-9449 or adrian@youthrevive.org

Website: www.youthrevive.org

- **Youth Small Group Leader** - Small group leaders are assigned to a group of gender and grade specific students and ideally commit to lead that group for the entirety of their journey through Avenue Students (6th-12th grade.) Small group leaders serve on the front lines of student ministry and lead students personally and regularly. They build relationships with students, attend Midweek, lead Small Groups, engage in discussions, and are available for students when they need an adult to speak into their lives. Small group leaders often attend other youth events.

Contact: Traci Alverson, traci@theavenuechurch.com

- **Guest Services Volunteer**- These volunteers are the first impression for students at Midweek. The team serves visiting students and parents (as applicable) by greeting them, collecting digital information, and entering their information into our system. This team also shows each new student how to check in the following week, connects them to a small group and the group as a whole.

Contact: Traci Alverson, traci@theavenuechurch.com

- **Support Team Volunteer**- Support team volunteers support ministry staff at Midweek in the areas of recreation, behavior redirection, ushering, crowd control, and tear down. Volunteers on this team hang out with students, supervise outside games and inside the main room during worship, redirect negative behaviors and tear down recreation equipment at the end of Midweek.

Contact: Traci Alverson, traci@theavenuechurch.com

- **Creative Team Volunteer**- These volunteers support ministry staff in the areas of photography, graphic design, videography, social media, and stage hosting. Creative team volunteers are creative individuals who are skilled in one of these areas or who are willing to learn from our creative team staff members. The content provided by the creative team is utilized for many different platforms.

Contact: Traci Alverson, traci@theavenuechurch.com

- **Production Team Volunteer**- Production volunteers serve as managers of lighting, sound, slides, cameras and stage management for the Midweek experience. The production team volunteers report to the production team coach and work together to ensure that the Midweek experience runs smoothly and without any technical issues.

Contact: Traci Alverson, traci@theavenuechurch.com

- **Celebration Place**- Celebration Place is a program for 1st-6th graders that mirrors the Celebrate Recovery (12-step recovery program for anyone struggling with hurt, pain, or addiction of any kind.) curriculum in an age-appropriate level. They spend time learning Biblical truths as well as how to identify emotions and share their experiences within a safe environment.

Contact: Whitney Wakeland, 972-937-5301 or whitney@theavenuechurch.com

The Landing

**Contact: Whitney Wakeland, 972-937-5301 or whitney@theavenuechurch.com
Website: www.theavenuechurch.com**

The Landing is a program for students in 7th- 12th grade that mirrors the CR curriculum teaching Biblical truths. They learn how to identify issues and hurts within their lives, as well as how to share in a safe environment that will provide accountability and mentorship.

Brookhaven Baptist Church

**Contact: Chris Barker, 467-682-1571 or chris@brookhavenchurch.com
Website: www.brookhavenchurch.com**

Volunteers are needed to help with the children's and apartment ministries. Volunteers help lead Bible stories, music, drama, and will help with tutoring at a nearby apartment complex.

The Church at Buffalo Creek

**Contact: Stan Britton, 469-209-5701 or pastor@bc.church
Website: www.bc.church.com**

The Church at Buffalo Creek is a church plant in Rockwall. They are looking for volunteers to help with greeting, children's ministry, music, set-up, and tear down.

Centro Familiar Cristiano de Dallas

**Contact: Silvia Ramirez, 972-296-1590 or cfcinfo@att.net
Website: www.cfamiliarc.org**

Centro Familiar Cristiano de Dallas has several ministries where the students can serve. These ministries include worship ministry, children's ministry, benevolence ministry, security ministry, and their everyday maintenance department. For the children's ministry, volunteers can teach or assist to the teachers. For the benevolence ministry, students can help organize items in the small food pantry. Lastly, in the maintenance department volunteers will help clean around the campus.

Chase Oaks Church

**Contact: Yenipher Chung, 972-783-8800 ext.111 or ychung@chaseoaks.org
Website: <https://www.chaseoaks.org/blog/growing-in-service/>**

We are looking forward to regathering at all our campuses in two phases. Phase 1 will be for our team members. We will focus on training our teams for the new protocols to create a safe and awesome experience for everyone. We have so many people who have embraced the value of "It's Not Our Party" and provide great environments for our kids, students, and adults. With the season we are in, this is a strategic and perfect time to join a team. There are many opportunities

as we have some team members who aren't able to return to serving just yet. For us to regather strong, we are in need of 305 people to step up and serve. If you are not serving and can step up for the fall season, it will make an incredible difference, and you will have a great time!

Cliff Temple Baptist Church- Cliff Temple Baptist Church offers many different areas for students to serve in. Listed below are the ministries they are accepting volunteers for.

- **Children's Ministry-** Individuals are needed who have talent in music, leading children's chapel time, Bible Drill, helping with arts & crafts, or assisting with recreation time.
Contact: Amy Owens 214-942-8601 x307 or amy@cliff temple.org
Contact: Trevor Jamieson 214-942-8601 ext.315 or trevor@cliff temple.org
- **Youth Ministry-** Help is needed with this diverse and growing youth group. They are currently looking for college students to assist in building relationships with students in various ways: leading worship, sports ministry, co-leading small group Bible studies with parents, serving as sponsors for youth outings and service projects, helping with transportation needs on Sundays and Wednesdays, etc
Contact: Kenny Cheshier, 214-942-8601 ext.305 or kenny@cliff temple.org
Contact: Trevor Jamieson, 281-723-9266 ext. 315 or trevor@cliff temple.org
- **Worship Ministry-** Volunteers are needed with the worship ministry. There are opportunities to join the choir that practices Wednesday nights at 7pm and sings at 11am Sundays. There are also opportunities with the contemporary service (vocalists, keyboard, drums, bass, electric, and acoustic guitars). Practice is on Tuesday nights and worship is on Sunday mornings at 9am. Additionally students are welcome who are interested in A/V ministry.
Contact: Jon Ratzlaff, 214-942-8601 ext.324 or jon@cliff temple.org
Contact: Trevor Jamieson, 214-942-8601 ext.315 or trevor@cliff temple.org

Mission Oak Cliff

Contact: Kevin Pranoto, 214-942-8601 ext.502 or kevin@cliff temple.org
Website: <https://app.vomo.org/org/mission-oak-cliff>

Students have the opportunity to volunteer with the ministry to those experiencing homelessness and poverty. The mission operates during the day from 12pm-3pm Monday to Friday.

The Well

Contact: Alice Zaccarello 214-393-5878 ext.604 or alice@wellcommunity.org
Trevor Jamieson 214-942-8601 ext.315 or trevor@cliff temple.org
Website: www.cliff temple.org

The Well Community is a ministry helping adults with severe mental illnesses. The ministry is looking for students to help clean up after worship service on Thursday nights from 6:30pm-9:00pm, cook the lunch meal Monday-Wednesday 10:00am-12:30pm, organize supplies Monday-Thursday anytime between 1:30pm-5:00pm, and help clean up after activities Wednesday 12:30pm-2:00pm.

Community Bible Church

Contact: Steve Nutter, 214-802-2571 or stevenutter1956@gmail.com

Website: www.cbcirving.org

As a congregation of 200 people, there is a wide variety of service and ministry opportunities—worship, children’s ministry, men’s and women’s ministry, Good News Club, AWANA, Sunday school, and community outreach.

Connect Church

Connect Church offers many different areas for students to serve in. Listed below are the ministries they are accepting volunteers for.

- **Student Ministry-** Join us Sunday mornings and/or Wednesday evenings to create meaningful relationships with 7th-12th graders and be a positive influence in their lives. There are also opportunities to help lead worship and small group studies.
Contact: Jared Scott, Jared@connectchurch.com
- **Children’s Ministry-** Volunteer positions are available Sunday mornings from 9am-12pm as well as Wednesday evenings 6-7:30pm to share the love of Jesus with infants, toddlers, and children in K-6th grade.
Contact: Stacie Oglesby, stacie@connectchurch.com
- **Worship-** Opportunities to lead worship through singing or playing an instrument on Sunday mornings from 9am-12pm. There are also technical opportunities with lighting and soundboard.
Contact: Beth Whitacre, 817-583-8600 or beth@connectchurch.com
Website: www.connectchurch.com

Cornerstone Baptist Church

Contact: Pastor Chris Simmons, 214-426-5468 or csimmons@cornerstonedallas.org

Website: www.cornerstonedallas.org

Cornerstone Baptist Church is an inner-city ministry located in the South Dallas/Fair Park community. The church offers outreach in the following areas: after school homework center, children and youth mentorship, Saturday children’s camp, prison outreach and after-care, homeless outreach, computer literacy, youth education, community Bible studies, and community acts of kindness for seniors and the disabled.

Highland Country Fellowship

Contact: Sammy Davenport, bill@highlandcountryfellowship

Website: www.highlandcountryfellowship.org

Being a new church, Country Fellowship is open and excited to hear students’ ideas on how to reach the lost people of Richardson. They also have a need for help in their youth and children’s,

media, music ministries, and evangelism ministries. They will be meeting Sunday from 9 am- 12 pm at Ten50 BBQ in Richardson.

First Baptist Church of Dallas- FBC Dallas offers many different areas for students to serve in. Listed below are the ministries they are accepting volunteers for.

- **Preschool Ministry-** The Preschool Ministry at First Baptist Church Dallas is growing more and more every week, and they need students who want to have fun, while making an eternal difference! You can help by loving on kids each week and assisting lead teachers with fun activities on Sunday mornings at 9:30 and 10:50 am (on a weekly OR rotational basis). On Wednesday nights, volunteers are needed to help lead the AWANA program from 6:15-7:45 pm.

Contact: Shelly Taylor, 214-969-2432 or staylor@firstdallas.org

Website: www.firstdallas.org/children

- **Media Ministry-** The First Dallas Media Ministry is comprised of volunteers who serve for one purpose - to transform the world through media and technology. Whether it be Pathway to Victory, Celebration Worship, Day One Contemporary Worship, or even running technical equipment in classrooms, the volunteers of the Media Ministry have a far-reaching impact across the entire campus of the church, and beyond. Utilizing high quality cameras, switching, lighting, and sound to broadcast services around the world every week, First Dallas Media offers an excellent experience for all levels of technical expertise.

Contact: Lynda Cleveland, 214-969-0111 ext.7728 or lcleveland@firstdallas.org

Website: www.firstdallas.org

FBC Duncanville

Contact: Randall Hall, 972-298-1435 or randall@duncanvillefbc.org

Website: www.duncanvillefbc.org

Do you love music? Do you love kids? Come join the Children's Choir and help us with music, drama, dance, and art. There is also opportunity to help build relationship and play with children during Kid's Clubs on Monday nights from 4-5:30 pm.

First Baptist Church Euless- Cross City Church

Contact: Todd Parr, Community Outreach Pastor, todd.parr@crosscity.church

Website: www.crosscity.church

First Baptist Church of Euless needs volunteers in the student, children's, and preschool ministries. Students can volunteer primarily on Sundays and Wednesdays. However, service opportunities may come on other days as well as opportunities show themselves. In each of these ministries' tasks may look different but there is a definite need for small group leaders of all these age groups. In the student ministry specifically, there is opportunities to serve as a ministry

intern at specific campuses. This means students will travel to local schools to visit students on their campuses. There are also evangelism opportunities that may come for volunteers.

FBC Midlothian

**Contact: Chris Ransbottom, Student Pastor, 972-775-9076 or
chris.ransbottom@fbcmidlo.org
Website: www.fbcmidlothian.org**

Located 20 minutes south of DBU's campus, this church needs volunteers to help with student, worship, children's, preschool, and adult ministry. If you have a heart to serve in a local church and have a passion to see individuals find a relationship with Jesus, then get plugged in here!

FBC Red Oak

**Contact: Amy Duckett, 972-617-3591 or aduckett@firstredoak.com
Website: <https://www.firstredoak.com/>**

We would love to have young men and women who love serving Jesus and are excited to love on kids in our Red Oak Kids and MERGE Preteen Ministry. We meet on Sunday mornings from 10:30-11:45 am (Babies-6th grade) and on Wednesday nights (4th-6th grade) from 6-8 pm. There are all positions available from nursery to small group leaders to bible story teachers and worship leaders. At this time, with the COVID-19 pandemic, several of our older volunteers and volunteers with older parents have had to step back and postpone their responsibilities to help in our ministry. We would love to have DBU college students come make an impact on our kids as an example of Christ loving the church! Background checks are required.

The Friends of Israel Gospel Ministry

**Contact: Darrel Simmons, dsimmons@foi.org
Website: www.foi.org**

Here at The Friends of Israel, we have two gospel-driven focuses. The first is teaching and equipping Christians about the truth of Israel and the Jewish people as is taught in Scripture. The second is making lasting relationships with the Jewish community and individuals. It is our hope to be a shining light for the Messiah to all people. If you want to join the growing work of our ministry, or have further questions, contact us @ dsimmon@foi.org. Also, check out our website for additional information.

Fielder Church- Fielder Church offers many different areas for students to serve in. Listed below are the ministries they are accepting volunteers for.

Website: www.fielder.org

- **Preschool Ministry-** Volunteer positions are available both on Sunday mornings from 9:15am-12:30pm and on Wednesday nights from 6-8 pm. Come share the love of Jesus

with us. We are laying the foundation of faith in the lives of kids as we touch their future with biblical truths today.

Contact: Jill Truhett, 817-459-8509 or jtruhett@fielder.org

- **Children's Ministry-** Leaders are needed to assist in various areas, such as small group Bible study, recreation, worship, large group speaker, tech booth, greeters, AMP (worship arts program), and/or special events. Our motto is, "Empowering kids to lead today!" They are looking for role models to help set a Christ-like example and empower kids to become leaders. Time are Sunday mornings from 9:15am-12:30pm, Sunday afternoons from 3pm-6pm, or Wednesday evenings from 6pm-9pm.

Contact: Tiffany Rupp, 817-459-8550 or trupp@fielder.org

- **College and Career-** Their Young Adults group has a scheduled service project every month. They are an active group seeking to make an impact in the community and around the world. Service projects are always on Saturdays, but occasionally additional opportunities become available to serve other days.

Contact: Tiffany Rupp, 817-459-8550 or trupp@fielder.org

First United Methodist Church - Kaufman

Contact: Ashleigh Kelsay, 903-288-1403 or ashleighkelsay@gmail.com

Website: fumc-kaufman.org

We are interested in students serving in our children, youth, and music programs depending on what they prefer. We have 2 paid nursery working positions open for Sunday mornings. (Paid positions do not receive CLS/CSS hours). Our volunteer needs are on Sunday mornings and Wednesday nights. Students will be expected to help with our pre-selected curriculum and games.

Gospel City Church

Contact: Thomas Robeson, 817-688-9947 or thomas@gospelcitychurch.com

Website: www.gospelcitychurch.com

Students will have the opportunity to be a part of the student and/or kids ministry. This includes helping or leading small group, large group times, follow up during the week with parents and kids, and admin work during the week. The staff helps with each ministry and gains a perspective of the church and how it operates. Volunteers will gain experience in areas that they feel led to serve in the future.

GracePoint Church

Contact: Chris Meads, 972-624-9253 or cmeads@gracepointcoppell.org

Website: <https://www.gracepointcoppell.org/ministries>

Volunteers needed to organize and execute student ministry functions, such as weekly rhythms, annual events and trips, discipleship groups, and outreach.

Grace Street Fellowship

**Contact: Jim or Debbie Burgin, 817-277-6620 or jim@missionarlington.org
Website: www.avenueofgrace.com**

Help in the children's ministry or as a youth worker at this inner-city church started through Mission Arlington.

Grace Temple Baptist Church

**Contact: Sylvia Flores, 214-948-7587 or sylvia@gracetempledallas.org
Website: www.gracetempledallas.org**

Get involved with the youth ministry in small groups on Wednesday evenings and/or Sunday mornings. There are also opportunities to work with the children as an AWANA leader on Wednesday nights.

Highland Park United Methodist Church

**Contact: Arang Cistulli, 214-523-2138 or cistullia@hpumc.org
Website: <http://www.hpumc.org/outreach/>**

Highland Park United Methodist Church is engaged with over 20 local partners that address the needs of the local community in three areas: education, health, and homelessness. Additionally, HPUMC has multiple, dynamic online programs for people with disabilities, whom volunteers are trained to lead. Short and long-term options requiring social distancing and safe practices are available.

Hillcrest Baptist Church

**Contact: Keri Meek, 214-960-9555 or kmeek@hillcrestbc.com
Website: www.hillcrestbc.com**

Hillcrest Baptist Church, located in Cedar Hill, is looking for volunteers to serve in worship and their children's ministries.

Indian Hills Baptist Church

**Contact: Jordan Villanueva, 972-262-2884 or jvillanueva@indianhillsbc.com
Website: indianhillsbc.com**

Volunteers can serve by teaching children's classes on Sunday mornings or Wednesday nights, leading worship on Sunday mornings or Wednesday nights, and assisting in the audio/visual booth on Sunday mornings.

Inglewood Baptist Church

Contact: Rachel Norton, 972-264-4264 or rachel@inglewoodbaptist.com
Tammi Ledbetter, 214-693-2580
Nydia Holowinski, 972-642-4672
Sharon Ngai, 817-897-454 or sharon@inglewoodbaptist.com
Website: www.inglewoodbaptist.com

Inglewood Baptist Church is looking for volunteers to serve in various ministries. They are seeking students to help in teaching and leading their Monday afternoon Beach Club. Responsibilities include leading a small group, teaching Bible stories, and preparing for club each Monday. Contact Sharon Ngai for more information. Another opportunity is available for a student with communications and marketing interest by assisting with the church newsletter, both in print and digital formats. Contact Tammi Ledbetter for more information. In addition, there are opportunities for volunteers in the library for story hour and other special events each month. Contact Nydia Holowinski for more information.

LifePoint Church

Contact: Milton Gutierrez, 512-560-8252 or info@lifepointdallas.com
Website: www.lifepointdallas.com

At LifePoint Church, a 4-year-old church plant in Oak Cliff, they have opportunities available in the following ministry areas: Children's Ministry, Youth Ministry, and Worship Ministry (musicians, A/V techs). As a student, you will receive discipleship and leadership training while you serve at LifePoint Church.

Matthew Road Baptist Church

Contact: Brittany Harley, 214-454-3551 or brittanymrbc@gmail.com
Website: www.matthewroad.org

Matthew Road Baptist Church is looking for volunteers to serve in the growing Children's, Preschool, Student, and Special Needs ministries of the church. Weekly opportunities for small group leadership, teaching, administrative assistance, and general service are available several days & nights a week in addition to Sunday mornings all year round.

The Met Church

Contact: Caroline Holzberger, 817-379-6438 ext.108 cholzberger@metchurch.com
Website: <https://metchurch.squarespace.com>

Unload/Restocking Volunteers: volunteers will arrive on Thursdays and Fridays to assist with the unloading of food and restocking our pantry in all areas.
Welcome Team (Care, Share, Prayer): volunteers will help with the new applicant intake process on Saturdays, assessing the new client, providing food and care as well as communicating the transition into our appointment process.

Pick Up & Go: volunteer will deliver food to a recipients' designated parking spot upon arrival. Other volunteer opportunities include: Grocery Cart runner, Prayer Team, Break-down boxes, Clean up.

Oak View Baptist Church

Contact: Ron Kurtz, 972-790-3629 or ron@ovbc.net

Website: www.ovbc.net

This thriving church needs your help with any of their student programs such as college, youth, children, and pre-school ministries. If you are a Spanish speaker this is the place for you! There are 5 Spanish missions located in and around the Irving area. Numerous positions are also available for pastoral internships.

The Oaks Baptist Church - The Oaks Baptist Church offers many different areas for students to serve in. Listed below are the ministries they are accepting volunteers for.

Contact: Rhonda Oliver, 972-263-2224 or rhonda@discovertheoaks.com

Website: www.theoakschurch.org

- **Children Opportunities** - The Oaks has a unique children's service called Kids Praise, a Sunday morning environment for elementary-aged kids (K-5th grade) that includes an engaging large group gathering for worship and teaching alongside a more personal small group time with adult leaders. The Oaks believes in a holistic approach to worship and began focusing on the Arts with the children. Each semester they provide a music and theater class called Kidz Kmotion held on Wednesday nights for elementary-aged children (K-6th grade).
- **Worship/Media Opportunities**
Praise Team: Sundays at 9 am and 10:30 am; Saturday nights at 6 pm
Media: Use ProPresenter on Mac computers for all worship services
Tech: For those who enjoy operating sound boards and lighting used during worship services
- **Upward Sports Opportunities**
Help with football, cheerleading, and refereeing/coaching
- **Youth Opportunities**
As a volunteer at the Oaks Baptist Church, it is expected that bright smiles and kind hearts walk through the doors each Sunday and Wednesday. In the youth department, volunteers will have the opportunity to work with students in grades 7th-12th. Volunteers will lead small groups of up to ten students. They will also act as mentors for the youth by attending student's extracurricular events (when possible), going with the leadership team to lunches on campuses, and by being a supporting friend during their journey of discovering a rich, rooted relationship with Christ.

Pantego Bible Church - Pantego Bible Church offers many different areas for students to serve in. Listed below are the ministries they are accepting volunteers for.

Contact: Roger Sappington, 817-274-1315 ext.131 or rsappington@pantego.org

Website: www.pantego.org

- **Children's Ministry**

Volunteer positions are available Sunday mornings from 9am-12pm as well as Wednesday evenings 6pm-9pm to share the love of Jesus with infants, toddlers, and K-6th graders.

- **Student Ministry**

Volunteer on Sunday mornings and/or Wednesday evenings to create meaningful relationships with 7th-12th graders and be a positive influence in their lives. There are also opportunities to help lead worship and small group studies.

- **Worship Ministry**

Opportunities to lead worship through singing or playing an instrument on Sunday mornings from 9am-12pm.

Park Cities Baptist Church

**Contact: Karen Zukoski, 214-860-1552 or kzukoski@pbc.org
Website: www.pcbc.org**

The Park Cities Baptist Church Children's Music Ministry teaches children ages 2 through 12 about Jesus through music. Qualifications require a love for Jesus and for children! We prefer DBU students with musical skills; however, we do welcome and will train students who desire to use any of their talents to serve the Lord in this ministry.

Park Meadows Church

**Contact: Janet Skipper or info@parkmeadows.org
Website: www.parkmeadows.org**

Park Meadows is offering opportunities to help lead student ministry teams on Wednesday nights by serving with the coffee ministry, welcome team, media team, or praise team. We are always open to suggestions for other ways and things we can include on Wednesdays. They are looking for good college kids who are willing to come and pour into kids' lives and build relationships with them by mentoring and/or discipling.

Parkway Hills Baptist Church

**Contact: Corey Gummelt, 972-403-1010 or cgummelt@parkwayhills.org
Website: www.parkwayhills.org**

Parkway Hills Baptist Church is looking for volunteers for Wednesday night student ministry from 5:30-8:30pm. PHSM averages around 60 students every week and consists of students from a variety of backgrounds. Volunteers will help with set up, games, food, worship, bible study, etc. We are looking for volunteers to build relationships with the kids and to do life with them. We also have opportunities for Sunday mornings, but Wednesday nights are our priority.

Preston Ridge Baptist Church

**Contact: Katie Laney, 972-712-7007 or katie.laney@prestonridge.org
Website: www.prestonridge.org**

Preston Ridge Baptist Church in Frisco offers several ways to serve through their preschool, elementary, and pre-teen ministries.

Prestonwood Baptist Church

Contact: Matt Rucker, 972-820-5363 or mrucker@prestonwood.org

Website: www.prestonwood.org

Partner with Prestonwood's AWANA and HYPE ministries on Wednesday nights from 6:30-8:00pm. Help kids memorize scripture, worship, lead a small group Bible Study, facilitate games, and make an eternal impact in the lives of our students!

Ridgeview Fellowship Church

Contact: Steven Sweeney, 214-244-1541 or steve@ridgeviewfellowship.org

Website: www.ridgeviewfellowship.org

Volunteers will work with youth, children, and toddlers serving as teachers or teacher assistants. They will be expected to write children's messages that are utilized during the regular worship services and provides the opportunity to experience serving in front of the entire congregation. Students can also serve as musicians in the worship ministry or in other outreach programs.

Stepping Stones Church - Church offers many different areas for students to serve in. Listed below are the ministries they are accepting volunteers for.

Contact: Angela Nyberg, 469-525-0936 or janyberg@gmail.com

Website: www.stepsstoneschurch.org

- **Workdays**

Volunteers can help the church develop their 36 acre property to reach those in need of Christ. Workdays are on Saturdays from 8:30am-12:30pm (or later). Volunteers assist with landscaping, cleaning construction debris, painting, constructing ball fields, etc.

- **Children's Ministry**

Volunteers can teach or help in the children's ministry on a weekly basis every Sunday morning either during the 9:15am Life Group Hour or the 10:30am Worship Hour. Students who wish to serve will lead a preschool class, teach Super church, or assist with the nursery.

- **Worship Team**

Students can serve in the worship service Sundays at 10:30am as praise team members, technology team assistants, or serve as ushers/security. Praise team practice is at 8:00am and the technology team prepares at 9:15am.

Stonebriar Community Church - GIFT Anthem Art Class - Volunteer at our weekly art class (no art experience needed). You'll encourage and guide an adult with special needs to create one-of-a-kind masterpieces while they learn valuable life-skills and fellowship with friends. We ask volunteers to serve every Tuesday from 9:30am-1:15pm, taking days off as needed.

GIFT Sunday Morning Volunteer - Serve with our Special Needs ministry on Sunday mornings during the 9:00 or 10:45 service helping preschool and elementary students (ages 11 and younger), tweeners (ages 12-17), or adults (18+). Depending on age, activities may include learning Bible stories, making crafts, participating in large-group worship time, playing with toys, and having fun on our special needs playground. You may serve weekly or biweekly. Special Needs Adult Life Skills Classes - Volunteer weekly at our Adult Life Skills class for those with special needs. Volunteer hours are Thursdays from 5:30-6:45 p.m.

Contact: Darla Hill, 469-252-5358 or darlah@stonebriar.org

Website: <https://www.stonebriar.org/serving/#/>

Tate Springs Baptist Church

Contact: Jared Wellman, 817-478-4102 or jared@tatesprings.com

Website: www.tatesprings.com

Do you love preschool kids? Come serve at Tate Springs Baptist Church in Arlington in the MOPPETS (birth-5 years) program. The MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) ministry needs up to 7 volunteers the 2nd and 4th Friday of each month, September through May from 8:40-11:40am to lead Bible stories, crafts, and play with kids.

TBOC

Contact: Jarvis James, 314-406-8951 or gogopreacher7@hotmail.com

Website: tbocommunity.org

We are a church plant reaching South Dallas schools and families. Students can help by mentoring, tutoring, building rehab and media coordination. Our goal for this school year is to win at least 300 kids to Christ.

Unite the Church

Contact: Rebecca Walls, 972-424-0681 or Rebecca@unitethechurch.org

Website: www.unitethechurch.org

Unite is supporting Christian collaboration in smaller geographies across Greater Dallas and around some specific critical issues such as education, financial stability, hunger, and care for refugees. Unite is building an infrastructure for the whole Church to work together to impact the whole city by creating peer groups, communicating strategic service and training opportunities, and implementing shared systems.

University Baptist Church

Contact: Kathy Raines, 817-926-3318 or kathy@ubcfortworth.org

Website: <https://ubcfortworth.org>

University Baptist Church is a great place to get hands on experience in music ministry. We explore a variety of musical styles and genres which feature modern band as well as orchestral and choral elements. We also write, produce, and record some of our own music in our studio on campus. We would love to partner with the next generation of leaders and equip them to serve the church in music for a variety of contexts.

Valwood Park Baptist Church

**Contact: Brian Hays, 972-247-5396 or brian@valwoodparkchurch.com
Website: www.valwoodparkchurch.com**

Volunteers are needed to serve in the youth ministry. We aim to disciple students in 7th-12th grade and encourage them in their walk with Christ. Volunteers will facilitate fun and safety and help teach lessons. Help is needed Wednesday nights and Sunday mornings and nights.

Wedgwood Baptist Church

**Contact: Jay Fannin, 817-874-5741 or jay.fannin@wedgwoodbc.org
Website: www.wedgwoodbc.org**

Wedgwood Baptist Church has three service opportunities through their church. These include recreation, student, and children's ministry. Volunteers can serve through recreational activities by assisting with Wedgwood's weekly dodge ball ministry on Monday nights and Upward Sports Basketball ministry in January and February. The student ministry holds monthly mission opportunities and Wednesday night services that volunteers can serve at. Students can help in the children's ministry by assisting with the Good News Club on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Lastly, they can also serve by leading worship on Sunday mornings or Wednesday nights.

Woodcreek Church

**Contact: Brian Colligan, 972-238-8722 or Brian.colligan@woodcreekchurch.com
Website: www.woodcreekchurch.com**

Volunteers will have the opportunity to teach middle school students, lead youth life groups, and lead youth trips. Woodcreek Church has the vision to see students saved, living in community, equipped, empowered, and serving. Volunteers at Woodcreek are expected to train, pray, and serve middle school students.

First Baptist Church, Cedar Hill, Texas

**Contact: Jessica Prince, 936-662-5227 or ladies@fbcch.com
Website: www.fbcch.com**

DBU Students will have the opportunity to serve alongside several of our ministries including, but not limited to: womens, childrens, students, greeter team, worship/media team as well as set-up and working special events on and off campus, as well as in the community of Cedar Hill.

FBC Irving

**Contact: Cory Zimmerman, 337-208-7186 or czimmerman@fbcirving.org
Website: www.firstirving.org**

Students are encouraged to come to First Irving where we will offer plenty of opportunities for them to serve alongside others at our church. We believe it is beneficial to students to learn how to serve and to love the church while in college and we are happy to give them opportunities to do so.

The Journey Church

**Contact: Bruce White, 214-538-0676 or brucewhite@thejourneybaptistchurch.org
Website: www.thejourneybaptistchurch.org**

Students will have the opportunity to serve in the media and cleaning areas of the church. While serving in the media area, students will be serving for 3 hours on a rotating basis on Sundays working with PowerPoint and a mixer board.

Civil Service

Dallas Children's Advocacy Center

**Contact: Murphey Sears, 214-818-2684 or msears@dcac.org
Website: www.dcac.org/volunteer**

DCAC exists to serve Dallas County's most severely abused children. DCAC coordinates the investigation of the case, prosecution of offenders, and provides free, evidence-based healing services to the children and families who have been impacted by these heinous crimes. Our partnerships with local law enforcement, Child Protective Services, the District Attorney's Office, and many more medical and mental health providers facilitates a fast and thorough investigation and ensures that children have safe and supportive homes. Due to the pandemic, we are not currently offering any onsite volunteer opportunities. However, we are always looking for members in our community to organize donation drives and assemble care kits for clients.

Denton County Court Visitor Program

Contact: Michelle Williams, 940-349-2151 or courtvisitor@dentoncounty.com

Volunteers will conduct home visits with the elderly and those diagnosed with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities. As a volunteer, you will act as the eyes and the ears of the court and assist in the monitoring of about 1,100 guardianships in the Denton County. Mileage reimbursement is offered for volunteers. Students who wish to volunteer have a mandatory one-time, four-hour training. Tasks involved in this service in addition to home visits may include administration and distribution work, volunteering at events, and the maintenance of

webpage/social media channels. The Denton County Probate Court is dedicated to the service and safety of the community and desires to have volunteers who are committed to serving the vulnerable populations.

Family Compass

Contact: Sarah Jalandoon, 214-370-9810 ext.108 or sjalandoon@family-compass.org

Website: <https://family-compass.org/programs/community-education-and-outreach/>

Family Compass is a nonprofit organization dedicated to building healthy families and a strong North Texas community by preventing child abuse and neglect. We are seeking a tech-savvy person to help with data entry and administrative functions in the office. We are also seeking a well-organized, people-person to help with donations.

Feed My Starving Children

Contact: Brandon King or Larissa Reeh, 214-453-5480 or richardsoninfo@fmsc.org

Website: www.fmsc.org

FMSC offers volunteers a one-of-a-kind experience. You'll hand-pack rice, soy, dried vegetables and a nutritionally complete blend of vitamins and minerals into bags which are then sealed, boxed, placed on pallets and shipped to our incredible partners working hard to reach the neediest children around the world. Through volunteering at FMSC, you'll get the chance to impact hundreds of kids in just two hours per packing shift. You'll experience what it's like to make a tangible difference today.

Mercury One, Inc.

Contact: Tina Atkins, 972-499-4747 or jatkins@mercuryone.org

Website: www.mercuryone.org

Mercury One exists to enlighten, equip, and empower individuals and groups to be good Samaritans and help where needed. They assist veterans, aid those in crisis, and help restore the lives of Christians and other persecuted religious minorities in the Middle East. Volunteers are needed to help with administrative and clerical duties as well as other responsibilities.

Movement Day Greater Dallas

Contact: Mark Alexander, 214-213-8955 or mark@movementdaygreaterdallas.com

Website: www.movementdaygreaterdallas.com

The mission of Movement Day Greater Dallas (MDGD) is to unite the body of Christ around a common purpose in order to achieve measurable progress against the greatest spiritual, social, and humanitarian challenges facing the city. MDGD will also serve as a model and catalyst for

gospel movements worldwide. Volunteers will be expected to research and help upkeep the social media accounts, website, and contact database. There are also opportunities at specific events as such as event planning, registration, greeting, parking management, and more.

Town of Pantego Community Relations Board

Contact: Glyn McKay, 325-575-3099 or LGLyn.McKay@gmail.com
Website: <https://www.townofpantego.com/community-relations-board>

The Community Relations Board is responsible for the development and administration of the Town's public activities such as the Easter Egg Hunt, Summer Movie Nights in the Park, and Memorial Day. They also organize the Halloween Carnival and the Christmas Tree Lighting.

Education & Literacy

Arcadia Park Branch Library

Contact: Barbara Alvarez, 214-670-6446 or arcadiapark@dallascityhall.com
Website: www.dallaslibrary2.org/branch/arcadia.php

Arcadia Park Branch Library is part of the Dallas Public Library system. Help with tutor students after school. Volunteers can serve as many days a week as they would like to beginning at 3pm.

Arlington Public Library Reading Corps

Contact: Ivonne Kieffer, 817-459-6920 or Ivonne.kieffer@arlingtontx.gov
Website: www.arlingtonlibrary.org/children/reading-corps

Come volunteer with Reading Corps at the Arlington Public Library! You will engage with students from Pre-K-2nd grade through reading, journaling, and literacy-based games. In addition to the traditional Reading Buddy role, they are recruiting for Reading Corps Site Coordinators. Volunteers will be placed at one Reading Corps site to support volunteers and students in the program. Site Coordinators will work closely with library staff and community education professionals. This is the perfect opportunity for volunteers looking to network or build management experience.

Big Brothers Big Sisters Lone Star, Greater Dallas Market

Contact: Caprice Hawkins, 214-649-4778 or chawkins@bbbstx.org
Website: www.bbbstx.org/dallas/

This organization exists to help students reach their full potential through one-on-one mentoring programs. This is a mentorship that requires at least 2-4 meetings a month for one year. There are many programs offered and you may choose which one best fits your schedule.

Casa del Lago

**Contact: Josh Geiger, 214-334-2989 or josh@casadelago.org
Website: www.casadelago.org**

Volunteers can serve as ESL teachers, assistant teachers, reading and homework buddies, or in their Kids Club. We are looking for young men and women who are passionate about sharing the Gospel and desire to serve in Dallas' most impoverished areas. Teachers and assistant teachers are not expected to know Spanish and no previous teaching experience is required. Volunteers are provided with excellent teaching curriculum and teaching training sessions. At their Kids Club program, volunteers can help kids with homework, guide them through literacy exercises, and lead games and activities with the children. Casa del Lago provides great opportunities to reach a community with the love of Christ while meeting practical needs.

Cedar Hill Action Team (CHAT)

**Contact: Clara McGinnis, 972-742-1971 or claramcginnis@sbcglobal.net
Website: www.cedarhillactionteam.org**

CHAT is a faith based 501c3 organization that aids students and teachers in Cedar Hill and the surrounding communities. CHAT is a united community initiative committed to partnering with the community of Cedar Hill to help impact young lives by fostering growth, creating leaders, and empowering lives.

Communities in Schools Dallas Region

**Contact: Jeannette Papadopoulos, Chief Operating Officer, 214-927-0955 ext.217 or jeannettep@cisdallas.org
Website: www.cisdallas.org**

The mission of Communities in Schools Dallas Region, Inc. is to help students at risk of failure stay in school, achieve academically, graduate, and become productive and contributing members of the community. CISDR is a 501c3 non-profit founded in 1985 to address the growing number of high school dropouts in Dallas and surrounding areas. As experts in collaboration and in providing comprehensive case-managed services, CISDR's professional staff brings community resources into schools to work in the interest of at-risk children in a coordinated, caring and cost-effective way. CISDR currently operates in 66 schools in 10 school districts in Dallas, Collin, Ellis, Hunt and Rockwall counties. Volunteer opportunities are available at the campus sites, at the administrative office, and during CISDR-sponsored events. Applicants interested in serving as mentors or tutors at one of CISDR's partner schools must pass a background check before being placed at a site.

Cornerstone Crossroads Academy

Contact: Kristi Lichtenberg, 469-235-6756 or k.lichtenberg@cornerstonecrossroads.com

**sydney@cornerstonecrossroads.com, 469-235-6756 or
volunteer@cornerstonecrossroads.com
Website: www.cornerstonecrossroads.com**

Help tutor and mentor troubled teens that have struggled with high school and are now in a program to help develop necessary literacy and social skills to make them successful. Volunteers are needed to tutor, teach physical education, and help lead Friday field trips.

Dallas Bethlehem Center

**Contact: Laurretta Harmon, 214-428-5171 or
laurretta.harmon@dallasbethlehemcenter.org
Website: www.dallasbethlehemcenter.org**

Teach and tutor children in Literacy, Math, and Spanish after school. Flexible hours from 7am-6pm, Monday through Friday!

Dallas Public Library - Dallas Public Library offers many different areas for students to serve in. Listed below are the positions they are accepting volunteers for.

**Contact: Volunteer Coordinator, 214-671-9206 or volunteer@dallaslibrary2.org
Website: www.dallaslibrary2.org**

Children's Program Assistant - Volunteers will conduct story time, craft activities, and other literacy-related activities with children 3-8 years old while the children's parents attend an adult literacy class at Dallas Public Library locations. Special training is provided for this 12-week program. Weekly classes are taught Saturday mornings from 9:30am-1:30pm.

- **ESL Volunteers**

Volunteers will lead or assist with a 12-week English as a Second Language course on Saturdays. Special training is provided. Weekly classes are taught Saturdays from 9:30am-1:30pm or 2:00pm-5:00pm.

- **GED Assistants**

Volunteers work one-on-one or with small groups to prepare students for GED subject tests at a library "guided instruction" center or manage GED class material. Special training is provided. Classes are taught from 6:00pm-8:00pm on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings. Volunteers may sign up for a subject that is taught once a week.

Dallas Young Makers

**Contact: James Lawrence, 214-684-0991 or jlawrenc71@gmail.com
Website: dallasyoungmakers.org**

Dallas Young Makers is committed to helping students ages 8-18 in the Dallas area expand their minds and skills by creating rather than consuming. The club's immediate goals are to provide a workspace, mentors, and equipment along with free and regular access to these resources in a

central shared workspace. Volunteers need to have a basic understanding of computers and will be teaching basic programming in Scratch and Python.

Duncanville High School

Contact: Dana Harper, 972-708-2069 or dharper@duncanvilleisd.org

Volunteers play an important role in the lives of our students in helping to promote, encourage and shape future leaders to contribute to our communities. They are a welcomed presence on each of our campuses at Duncanville ISD. The Volunteer duties are based on campus needs and may include, but are not limited to assisting with classroom administrative tasks, help with arrival and dismissal of students, monitor students in the cafeteria and other common areas, provide academic support to small groups of students, chaperone field trips, assist with campus events and workshops and assist with indoor/outdoor campus beautification projects.

Foundation for C.H.O.I.C.E.

**Contact: Patty Kuppenbender, 214-442-1669 or patty.kuppenbender@foundationforchoice.org
Website: www.foundationforchoice.org/become-a-mentor/**

Foundation for C.H.O.I.C.E. is a one-on-one virtual mentoring program for low-income high school students in the DFW area. We focus on preparing first generation students for college. Being a CHOICE Mentor means changing a life! Here you will mentor an 11th or 12th grade student, which includes weekly one-hour meetings virtually and following the CHOICE curriculum (which will be provided to you after you've completed our online orientation). The overarching goal is to secure college entry for your mentee and to show that with the proper guidance, it's possible for disadvantaged students to take the next step toward a better future. Mentors must be at least 21 years old. Apply online today!

Grad Resources

**Contact: Brandon Jernigan, 972-867-0188 or brandon@gradresources.org
Website: www.gradresources.org**

Grad Resources offer three services to graduate students: grad crisis care, help navigating grad life, and The Christian Grads Fellowship. The Christian Grads Fellowship is a network of Christian graduate community groups that assemble on campuses to support one another. Volunteers will help run social media accounts and work on keeping those pages updated. Volunteers will also be expected to research articles to post online and respond to inquiries via social media. Volunteers can also help with data entry and other administrative tasks.

HOPE Literacy, Inc.

**Contact: Harry Wilson, 817-999-9357 or hwilson@hopeliteracy.com
Website: <http://www.hopeliteracy.com/>**

HOPE Literacy, Inc. helps people excel in life by sharing the gospel of Jesus Christ through English language and literacy instruction. We empower local churches to start English as a Second Language program while using volunteer teachers and workers. Students may serve as conversation partners, teacher assistants, or teachers.

Irving ISD Adult Education and Literacy (AEL)

Contact: Delia Watley, 972-600-3770 or dwatley@irvingisd.net

Website: <https://www.irvingisd.net/AEL>

Irving ISD AEL delivers instruction to adult individuals ages 18 and over in the areas of 1) GED Preparation in Spanish and English, 2) Family Literacy 3) EL Civics and Citizenship Prep 4) Workforce Preparation (Interview Skills, Resume Writing), and 5) Digital Literacy. All classes are free. Most classes are 2.75 hours long and students meet twice a week choosing from flexible time periods in the morning, afternoon, or evening. Our program needs volunteers to 1) Serve as substitutes or aids in the classroom (Face to Face or Virtually), 2) Help train instructors how to use various software tools during this time of COVID online instruction 3) Write lesson plans that can be used for the classroom and 4) Create and design marketing flyers that can be used to generate more student registrations.

Kipp Truth Academy

Kipp Truth Academy offers many different areas for students to serve in. Listed below are the positions they are accepting volunteers for.

Contact: Lydia Larson, 214-290-0177 or llarson@kippdfw.org

**Website: www.kippdfw.org/school-and-programs/kipp-truth-academy
www.readingpartners.org**

- **Reading Partners**

Volunteers are needed to tutor elementary students who have fallen behind. Volunteers will be trained and a predetermined curriculum custom-designed for each student. Each tutoring session is 45 minutes and tutors are needed Mon-Tues and Thu-Fri from 7:30am-3:30pm. Reading Partners will be at both KIPP Destiny Elementary and KIPP Truth Elementary.

- **KIPP through College (KTC) Tuesday Nights**

Every Tuesday from 4:30-6:30pm, high school and college students meet at KIPP Truth Academy to be tutored, mentored and coached through the college application process, resume building, interview skills, financial aid packages, etc.

- **Middle School Reading and Math Tutors**

Volunteers are needed to tutor middle school students in Math or Reading Mon-Tues and Thu-Fri from 11am-12:30pm or 2-4pm.

- **Service Project**

Kipp also partners with groups to do a one-day corporate service project that beautifies the school. Past projects have included painting a mural, building a garden, reading to students, decorating classrooms, picking up trash, etc.

La Academia de Estrella

**Contact: Lorraine Mantei, Lorraine.Mantei@laetx.org
Website: www.laetx.org**

At La Academia de Estrella students become lifelong learners who actively participate in their own learning, remain engaged in the education process, and show mastery of the TEKS objectives. Volunteer duties may include assisting during math class, tutoring, practice sessions with various sports, administrative tasks, and chaperoning field trips.

PRG Services

**Contact: Regina Cockrell, 214-563-3779 or 972-955-9143 or
contactus@prgservices.org
Website: www.prgservices.org**

PRG Services is in need of volunteers to tutor students ages Pre-K - 8th grade in Reading and Math. We need Reading Buddies to listen to students read and to read orally to students. We need library and Arts and Crafts aides for ages Pre-K - 2nd grade.

Reading Partners

**Contact: Amber Martin, 214-821-4500 or volunteerNTX@readingpartners.org
Website: www.readingpartners.org**

Make an impact in the life of a struggling reader today! Reading Partners volunteers tutor 2nd-3rd grade students in the area of literacy. If you want to help a struggling reader and are comfortable being a virtual tutor, volunteer at least one hour per week with Reading Partners. You will receive an intensive training before you begin tutoring. Please allow at least four hours for your tutor training. Tutoring begins November 2020!

Six Stones Ministry

**Contact: Annette White, 817-868-7400 or awhite@6stones.org
Website: www.6stones.org
www.6stones.com.COVID19volunteer**

6 Stones Mission Network is a faith-based non-profit that is mobilizing our community by bringing Hope to the hopeless. 6 Stones has a variety of ways in which our volunteers can get involved to best utilize their gifts and talents! Our on-site food pantry/clothing closet, called the New Hope Center, and mentoring program, called Momentum, help our neighbors grow from poverty to promise. Additionally, we serve 4,000 students in HEB ISD with school supplies and

backpacks at our annual Operation Back 2 School Event. At Christmas, we serve those same students by providing toys for their families at our Night of Hope. Lastly, Community Powered Revitalization restores 30-50 homes for free with thousands of volunteers twice a year. We have opportunities for groups to serve at large scale events as well as daily operations for individuals looking for a place to give back to engage more regularly. No matter what your skill set there is a place for you to share the Hope of Jesus at 6 Stones!

Texans Can Academy

**Contact: Dorothy Gomez, 817-846-8816 or dgomez@texascan.org
Website: www.texascan.org**

If you have a passion for reaching out to troubled teens, this is a great ministry for you. Texans Can Academy is looking for volunteers to help with tutoring, mentoring, maintenance, and working with students through fine arts. Texans Can needs volunteers Monday-Friday from 8am-12pm, 1-5pm, or 6-8pm.

Environmental Education & Preservation

City of Grand Prairie - The City of Grand Prairie offers many different areas for students to serve in. Listed below are the positions they are accepting volunteers for.

Contact: Marcela Perez, 972-237-8191 or volunteer@gptx.org

Website: www.gptx.org/volunteer

- **Parks, Arts, and Recreation Department- Events**

Volunteer as an Events/Parks Grand Ranger through the Parks, Arts & Recreation Department by assisting with seasonal events such as Flight of the Monarch in September and Prairie Lights from November to January or with ongoing administrative needs.

- **Keep Grand Prairie Beautiful program**

Volunteers in the Keep Grand Prairie Beautiful Department can participate in a variety of activities, such as the GP Litter Team, Stream Clean-Ups, Street Clean-Ups, or assist in the Community Garden Program by helping Grand Prairie residents make compost or prepare beds.

- **Parks, Arts, and Recreation Department- Recreation**

Volunteer at recreation facilities such as The Epic, Grand Prairie's newest state-of-the-art multifunctional recreation facility, The Summit, a recreation center just for seniors 55+, Dalworth Recreation Center or the Tony Shotwell Life Center. Volunteers can assist with afterschool programs at Dalworth or with senior activities as program assistants at the Summit. Volunteer Youth Sports Coaches are also needed to coach youth sports leagues, such as baseball, basketball, soccer, volleyball, and football at either Tony Shotwell Life Center or Dalworth Recreation Center.

- **Parks, Arts, and Recreation Department- Special Events**

Volunteer through the Parks, Arts & Recreation Department by assisting with large scale special events around the city. Opportunities range from booth attendant to children's activity supervisor. Grand Prairie hosts a great number of fun and exciting events!

- **Main Library**

Volunteer as a Program Assistant for the City of Grand Prairie's Program assistants will assist library programmers with activity preparations, presentations, and promote literacy through fun, engaging activities.

- **Uptown Theatre**

Support the arts in Grand Prairie by volunteering with the Uptown Theater. Volunteers will assist the public at performances and events. Volunteers also man the box office throughout the week during office hours.

Volunteers in Police Service (VIPS)

Contact: Gary McGahey, 972-237-8862 or gmcahey@gptx.org

Volunteer with the Grand Prairie Police Department as part of the Volunteer in Police Service (VIPS) program. This program provides volunteer support staff to aid sworn and civilian personnel in the effective delivery of services to the community. Volunteers supplement existing Police Department services, freeing paid employees to perform their necessary duties. Volunteers can also participate with the Grand Prairie Police Department's Victim Relief Ministries (VRM). VRM is a faith-based victim service organization, in partnership with the GPPD, which offers one-on-one support for victims of crime, emergencies, and disasters of all kinds. Volunteers must be at least 21 years of age, pass a criminal background check, and complete the Citizens Police Academy.

Dogwood Canyon Audubon Center

Contact: Julie Collins, 469-526-1991 or jcollins@audubon.org

Website: dogwoodcanyon.audubon.org

Enthusiastic volunteers are welcome to further the mission to conserve and restore natural ecosystems and connect people to nature. There are many ways in which you can volunteer with Dogwood Canyon. Education Docents require dependable individuals who can make a specific, long-term, weekly commitment from 9am-1:30pm. Habitat Crew volunteers are invited to come on the 4th Saturday of each month for trail maintenance, habitat management, removing invasive plants, or helping in the gardens from 9am-12pm. Reception Docents greet visitors at the reception desk by giving information and directions to the trails. Animal Care volunteers help care for the Education Ambassadors, including toads, turtles, snakes and insects. Special Event volunteers help with family festivals or outreach events.

River Legacy Living Science Center

Contact: Karen Tomlinson, 817-860-6752 ext.109 or whitney@riverlegacy.org

Website: www.riverlegacy.org

Founded in 1988 as a partnership with the City of Arlington, River Legacy's mission is to preserve and enhance the parkland along the Trinity River. Volunteer and help kids learn about science, wildlife, ecosystems, and other aspects of nature. Hours and opportunities are very flexible.

Homeless & Urban Outreach

Advocates for Community Transformation (ACT)

**Contact: Anna Allen, 214-591-9151 or info@actforjustice.org
Website: www.actforjustice.org**

ACT is founded on Christ's challenge to pursue justice on behalf of the oppressed. Their mission can be summarized as follows: By representing inner-city residents and mobilizing volunteer lawyers, ACT supports the ongoing efforts of community leaders and the City of Dallas to hold the owners of crime-ridden houses and abandoned properties accountable. Their vision is for Dallas citizens to experience and be empowered by the transforming presence of Jesus Christ through safer, more stable neighborhoods that are free from crime and urban blight.

Arlington Urban Ministries (AUM)

**Contact: Volunteer Coordinator, 817-861-8585 or a_u_m@sbcglobal.net
Website: www.arlingtonurbanministries.org**

AUM is a faith-based organization that provides emergency assistance of utilities, rent, and food for those in crisis in the Arlington community. As one of the city's "safety nets," AUM receives as many as 100 calls per day for their 12 daily appointments. You can support AUM by volunteering with the AUM Mobile Food Pantry on the first Wednesday of the month or in the Nu2U Resale store.

AZAR Foundation

**Contact: Charlotte Allen, 888-601-5580 or info@azarfoundation.org
Website: www.azarfoundation.org**

The AZAR Foundation has a mission to meet the needs of homeless children and at-risk youth (especially those in high risk environments) to bring about a positive change while supporting families and by focusing on hunger relief, educational excellence, health, community service, missions, and economic empowerment. Volunteers will provide curriculum-based education and enrichment activities and minimal counseling concerning daily challenges in school and family. Volunteer scheduling is flexible Monday-Thursday from 3pm until 6pm.

Beautiful Feet

**Contact: 817-536-0505 or info@thefeet.com
Website: <https://thefeet.org/>**

Work in our soup kitchen Monday-Saturday 8:30am-1pm and Sunday from 6am-12pm. Work with inner city children and youth in our classes on Wednesday evening from 6:30pm-9pm and Sunday mornings from 8am-11:30am. Volunteer in our free medical clinic on Wednesday mornings from 10am-2pm and in our free dental clinic on Friday morning from 8am-12pm. For

the Friday night outreach, we go to the streets sharing the Gospel, praying for folks, and giving out food and water bottles. Check our website at thefeet.org for details.

BECOME Network

Contact: George Orellana, 214-551-7191 or info@becomenetwork.org
Website: www.becomenetwork.org

BECOME Network exists to equip, empower, and connect young leaders locally and globally. We work together with organizations serving refugees, ending hunger, and reaching the homeless in Dallas. Learn to share your story, the gospel, and serve together with young leaders in your city. We also have discipleship trips to Israel every year. Make a difference today.

Behind Every Door

Contact: Samantha Abi-Hanna, 972-331-4774 or samantha@behindeverydoor.org
Website: www.behindeverydoor.org

Behind Every Door strives to transform lives in underserved neighborhoods by being present daily, believing the best about the people, and working with individuals to inspire and build up the community. This ministry believes there is a story behind every door; you just have to take the time to know that story in order to truly help someone. Volunteers will serve as mentors and are asked to call their mentees at least once a week and hang out at least twice a month.

Brother Bill's Helping Hand

Contact: Courtney Cuthbert, 214-638-2196 ext.105 or courtney.cuthbert@bbhh.org
Website: www.bbhh.org/volunteer

Grocery Store: Volunteer once a week, or once or twice a month, whatever fits your schedule. This is a great volunteer opportunity for students or friends to serve together. Mondays 9:30am-12:00pm: Unload truck, stock shelves (male volunteer help greatly needed). Wednesdays and Thursdays 9:30am-1:30pm: Greet neighbors, help on aisles, sack groceries on Wednesdays. 1:30pm-3:30pm: Restock shelves. Bilingual Greeters: BBHH is in need of more bilingual greeters (people to pray for and encourage our neighbors) in Grocery Store on Wednesday, Thursday, and Second Saturdays! All other volunteer opportunities listed on our website.

Buckner International

Contact: Lindsay Miller, 214-558-9045 or lkmiller@buckner.org
Website: <https://buckner.volunteerhub.com/lp/dallas>

Join Buckner to help serve vulnerable children and families worldwide. Students can host a special activity for foster children, serve as a tutor with the after-school program, stock domestic and international humanitarian aid, serve as a childcare helper with the evening daycare, host a drive for children all over the world, and serve on the Christmas Party Planning Committee. No

one may volunteer in-person due to COVID-19, to view any available virtual/remote opportunities, see our website.

Dallas LIFE

**Contact: Pamela Culbertson, 214-421-1380 ext.1030 or pculbertson@dallaslife.org
Website: www.dallaslife.org**

Housing up to 500 homeless individuals, Dallas LIFE exists to radically transform the lives of people through biblical accountability-based recovery programs. Limited volunteer opportunities are open at 25% availability due to COVID-19.

Friendship House

**Contact: Keith Christie (Director), 972-272-1010 or keithc@fbegarland.org
Website: www.fbcgarland.org/friendship-house**

A ministry of FBC Garland, volunteers can assist clients while at the House by helping the staff provide food, household items, minimal financial assistance, and referrals to other services. Open for service Mon-Fri from 9:30am-3:30pm and Wed9:30 am-12pm.

Gateway of Grace Ministries

**Contact: Dennis Page, 469-324-8824 or dennis@gatewayofgrace.org
Website: www.gatewayofgrace.org**

Students interested in serving refugee families through Gateway of Grace Ministries have the opportunity to serve in the English as a Second Language classes or assisting in childcare. Students would assist ESL teachers, helping to ensure students are understanding lessons being taught, providing administrative support, and developing friendships with the families. Students also have an opportunity to aid the ministry's childcare provided to parents as they learn English. Students may also support the ministry's office manager by helping refugees fill out important forms, school enrollment for their children, job applications, donation distributions, and more.

Grand Prairie United Charities

**Contact: Patti Brock, 972-262-2014 or patti.brock@gpuc.org
Website: www.gpuc.org**

Grand Prairie United Charities was founded to assist the needs of the community through providing food, personal hygiene items, utility assistance, rental/mortgage/shelter assistance, prescription medications and referrals. Volunteers work alongside staff to ensure that the needs of the clients are being met. You can volunteer in the food pantry, warehouse, or office. Each position valuable in assisting the clients and ensuring that the clients and the community are being served with the utmost care.

Habitat for Humanity

**Contact: Amy Glover, 214-678-2315 or aglover@dallas-habitat.org
Jennifer Knoeber, jknoeber@dallas-habitat.org
Website: www.dallasareahabitat.org**

Volunteer with the campus chapter work in Dallas and Tarrant County areas on various construction projects for families in need of homes.

Goodwill Industries of Dallas

**Contact: 214-638-2800 ext.244 or volunteercoordinator@goodwilldallas.org
Website: www.goodwilldallas.org**

Work with Goodwill Industries in the retail stores or warehouse. There are opportunities to work alongside their constituents, developing life and job skills. Hours are flexible and there are multiple occasions available to serve.

HIS Bridge Builders

**Contact: Regina Suttle, 469-621-5901 or connect@bridgebuilders.org
Website: www.hisbridgebuilders.org**

Come serve with HIS Bridge Builders! The variety of volunteer positions available include Bonton Farm Service Days, general service days, HIS Kids After-School Program, and assistant coaching for the youth basketball program.

The Human Impact

**Contact: Trish Ward, 214-208-3520 or info@thehumanimpact.org
Website: www.thehumanimpact.org**

When volunteering with The Human Impact, students will really get to understand a different perspective as they experience friendships with people in different situations. This is an experience that everyone should have at least once in their lifetime. We want to help all people see the streets and meet our friends that we have been privileged to serve!

Mercy Street

**Contact: Joshua Luckett, 979-599-4924 or joshua@mercystreetdallas.org
Website: <https://www.mercystreetdallas.org/opportunities>**

Mercy Street exists to build Christ-honoring, mutually transforming relationships with the future leaders of West Dallas and beyond. Volunteer opportunities include mentoring and leading sports and activities.

Mission Arlington

**Contact: 817-277-6620 or communityservice@missionarlington.org
Website: www.missionarlington.org**

Mission Arlington “takes Church to the people” by hosting Bible studies and congregations in 294 locations throughout our community. Mission Arlington loves people “one life at a time, loving each person just as they are.” We have opportunities such as working in the warehouse, food pantry, or leading a Children’s Bible study in an apartment complex. To find all volunteer opportunities, call us or just stop by any day of the week. We’ll put you right to work!

North Texas Food Bank

**Contact: Amanda Mota, 214-330-1396 or info@ntfb.org
Website: www.ntfb.org**

Help at North Texas' largest food bank located only ten minutes away from the DBU campus. Many opportunities are available throughout the week for volunteers.

OurCalling

**Contact: 214-444-8796 or info@ourcalling.org
Website: ourcalling.org**

OurCalling is a faith-based organization that leads the homeless to live a healthy and sustainable lifestyle by building lasting relationships and making disciples on the streets. Through a passionate network of volunteers and partners, we’re facilitating change that impacts lives. Volunteers help in the kitchen by preparing lunch for our homeless guests as well as serving lunch. We need volunteers to help run our daily services in a friendly way in order to show care for our homeless friends. You may be asked to help with showers, laundry, clothing orders, cleaning duties, or sorting donations. We need volunteers to help us meet homeless individuals right where they are. Each week, our Search and Rescue leaders take teams out to visit the homeless, provide some basic necessities, pray with them, and invite them to come and see us during the week. For more information about the ministry, go to ourcalling.org. Contact Kelly Crawford, at kcrawford@ourcalling.org for more information about volunteering.

Reconciliation Outreach

**Contact: Brad Slimp, 214-545-6500 or bslimp@rodallas.org
Website: www.restoringhopedallas.com**

Their mission is to establish and maintain a strong Christian community within inner cities and to provide a safe and loving environment for healing lives and restoring families and individuals to a productive lifestyle. Their passion for the poor is changing lives and changing the city. They teach stewardship and hard work to break the cycle of poverty and dependence.

Salvation Army

**Contact: Cari Olberding, 214-637-8108 or cari.olberding@uss.salvationarmy.org
Website: www.salvationarmyusa.org**

The Salvation Army has responded to numerous natural disasters, transportation accidents, civil unrest situations, and terrorist attacks. By providing beverages, meals, emotional, and spiritual care to first responders and survivors, the Salvation Army strives to bring hope and healing to people who find themselves in extremely difficult situations. Volunteers will help sort through the constant flow of donations through their warehouse in Arlington, TX.

Sharing Life Community Outreach

**Contact: Russell Cox, 972-914-9828 or russell@sharing.life
Website: www.sharinglifeoutreach.org**

Our organization provides dignified, benevolent services to individuals and families in need in Mesquite and Southeastern Dallas County. Volunteers will assist clients Intake as they enter our drive-thru pantry, build food boxes for distribution, distribute food boxes in our drive-thru pantry (contactless), stock, sort, organize, clean, monitor food pantry and clothing closet, and process donations of clothing and other items.

SEALS

**Contact: Tony Carleo, 972-253-1171 or info@fbcirving.org
Website: www.firstirving.org/events**

The SEALS Ministry interacts with homeless people in several ways. Volunteers will assist in the preparation of food for the homeless, packing the lunches, loading food trucks, praying for the homeless, serving the guests, and assisting with cleanup after guests have left. We encourage interaction with the guests as they are eating lunch. Volunteers who are passionate about preaching may have the opportunity to share the gospel in front of the group.

The Met Church Food Pantry

**Contact: Abby Gallardo, 817-379-4638 ext.109 or info@metchurch.com
Website: www.metchurch.com/care-food-pantry/**

The Met Food Pantry serves over 300 local families each month. Come and be a part of an integral ministry housed at The Met. You can serve by unloading the food trucks, organizing food, serving food to needy families, or praying with food pantry families who are going through a difficult time. Volunteers must serve at least 1-4 times per month.

Voice of Hope Ministries

**Contact: Rachele Hast, 214-631-7877 ext.163 or info@voiceofhope.org
Website: www.voiceofhope.org**

Join this nationally recognized group dedicated to spiritual enrichment and urban renewal in the nearby West Dallas neighborhood. Tutor and mentor children in the After School Plus program or mentor young boys and help teach Bible lessons in the Mission Impact program. Provide assistance in the business office or help with the community outreach celebrations. These are just a few of the many needs; contact Voice of Hope to find a service that fits you.

Wilkinson Center

The Wilkinson Center offers many different areas for students to serve in. Listed below are the positions they are accepting volunteers for.

**Contact: Laura Ingram, 972-284-0305 or laura_ingrim@wilkinsoncenter.org
Website: www.thewilkinsoncenter.org**

Wilkinson Center Food Pantry

We are needing volunteers (up to 4 at a time) at our Food Pantry (3402 N. Buckner Blvd, Suite 302, Dallas, 75228) on Monday and Thursday afternoons from 1pm to 3pm to pack up non-perishable foods in individual boxes. Volunteers must be comfortable carrying about 25 pounds repeatedly and will be required to wear a mask while volunteering. All volunteers must sign-up in advance! Food Pantry volunteer Sign-up page: <https://bit.ly/ServePantry>

Turkey Basket Distribution

We are in need of volunteers to help distribute turkey baskets to clients at two Wilkinson Center locations. Volunteers for this role must be comfortable carrying about 25 pounds repeatedly and will be required to wear a mask while volunteering. All volunteers must sign-up in advance! Turkey Distribution Sign-up page: <https://signup.com/go/xRuJZxf>

Rental Assistance program

We are in need of volunteers to help call clients and tell them about our rental assistance program. Volunteers will be given a script and a list of names. Email for more information.

World Vision

**Contact: Robert Taylor, 469-253-5205 or rtaylor@worldvision.org
Website: www.worldvisionusprograms.org/north_texas.php**

World Vision is an international organization located in over 100 countries with a mission to improve the lives of children and their families. Volunteer in Fort Worth at their storehouse that provides donated goods to nonprofits and communities in the face of disasters. They have numerous opportunities and flexible hours.

GRACE Grapevine

**Contact: Ryan Jackson, 817-305-4655 or rjackson@GRACEGrapevine.org
Website: www.gracegrapevine.org**

Students will be at one or multiple of our GRACE locations serving the community and our clients by sorting donations, stocking and restocking shelves, helping customers pick out a store item, serve as a sale associate and much more. Students will also get the opportunity to interact with our clients, who benefit from the work of the volunteers.

International & Refugee Outreach

African Leadership and Reconciliation Ministries (ALARM)

Contact: Julie Lyons, 214-501-5711 or info@alarm-inc.org

Website: www.alarm-inc.org

ALARM is an African-led and African-based organization that focuses on equipping leaders with the skills and knowledge needed to truly transform their communities. ALARM works through local churches in eight different African countries to offer a variety of leadership and reconciliation programs including micro-finance entrepreneurial projects. ALARM relies on partnerships with churches and individuals and volunteers are an important part of ALARM's U.S. office. Based in north Dallas, volunteers help in the day-to-day operations of the ministry. Typical opportunities include shredding, data entry, and micro-enterprise project support.

Disciples of the Way Ministries (DOW)

Contact: Karim Baidaoul, 214-369-1232 or office@disciplesoftheway.org

Website: www.poblotes.org/content

DOW is a 501c3 non-profit organization with Our Redeemer Lutheran Church. The mission and vision of DOW is to reach, teach, and live among Muslims and make disciples of the Cross for all nations. We currently have five level ESL classes, beginner and advanced computer classes, and sewing instruction. Basic, beginner, intermediate and advanced ESL classes meet Monday and Friday from 6-8pm. Advanced writing/vocabulary classes meet Tuesday and Thursday evening from 6-8 pm. Basic computer class is Wednesday from 12-2pm. Advanced computer is from 10-11:45am and/or 12-2pm on Friday. The sewing classes meet Mondays from 9am-2pm. In addition, we offer sewing instruction at an apartment in the Vickery Meadow Community on Tuesday and Wednesday from 9am-2pm (offering classes, fellowship, and Bible Study to students who can walk from their apartments to ours without the need of auto transportation). In addition, we have a Children's Activity Program (CAP) for children ages one year to middle school while their parents are in class. Tutoring is also offered for children ages 6-12.

Marco Polo World Foundation

Contact: Diana Wang Madsen, 214-850-9986 or

diana@marcopoloworldfoundation.org

Website: <http://dfwdragonboatfestival.com/volunteers.shtml>

Year-round opportunities: marketing/public relations, media/communications, documentation, and website maintenance. Festival day positions and opportunities: event setup, food distribution, registration, parking garage directors, cultural and demonstration booths, performance stage helpers, dragon boat racing dock helpers, and event clean up. Internship.

Operation Christmas Child

Contact: Dr. Mark Hale, 214-333-5503 or markh@dbu.edu

Website: <https://www.samaritanspurse.org/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child>

Operation Christmas Child is a branch of Samaritan's Purse that exists to provide shoebox gifts during Christmas time to underprivileged children. As the shoeboxes are delivered to over 100 countries, a storybook called The Greatest Gift that shares the message of salvation is given to each child along with the gift. Volunteer with this incredible ministry and be a part of bringing the good news to the ends of the Earth!

Refugee Resources, Inc.

Contact: Alysa Marx, 214-934-1686 or alysa@refugeeresources.org

Website: www.refugeeresources.org

Reading Circle is a program that serves refugee students in a one-on-one literacy program that shares the love of Jesus through relationships and Biblical teaching. It is a weekly commitment as each mentor is assigned their own student. They train volunteers on how to work with their student in order to meet his/her own individualized academic needs.

The T.E.A. House

Contact: Cheryl Shultz, 817-229-4506 or Cheryl@ice4missions.org

Website: www.ice4missions.org/tea-house.html

The T.E.A. House exists to provide help and encouragement to refugees and provides the following free services: friendship, internet café, English practice, computer training, skills assistance, refreshments, and more. Hours of operation are Sunday-Monday and Wednesday-Thursday from 6:30-8:30pm and Tuesday from 2-4pm.

Vickery Trading Company

Contact: Stephanie Giddens, 214-631-9706 or info@vickerytrading.org

Website: www.vickerytrading.org

Vickery Trading Company works to encourage and empower refugee women through providing them a job sewing children's clothing that we sell for fair wages. We also provide a one-hour training time each day to help our associates as they integrate into the American culture. The biggest needs for volunteers are in the areas of mentoring and childcare. Mentors will work alongside our associates, get to know them and build relationships. Childcare volunteers will assist our lead childcare worker care for our associate's children while they are working.

World Impact Dallas

Contact: 214-426-0044 or dallas@worldimpact.org

Website: www.worldimpactdallas.org

Volunteers are needed to work with Hispanic, international refugee and African American kids in South Dallas and Vickery Meadows ages 4-18. Times and dates will vary, but generally it would be Monday, Tuesday, Thursday evenings, Sunday mornings and some Saturdays.

World Relief

Contact: Jonathan Parsons, 817-924-0748 or jtparsons@wr.org

Website: www.worldrelieffortworth.org

World Relief is a global non-profit organization with the mission of connecting the local church to the needs of the vulnerable in the community. In the US, World Relief resettles thousands of refugees every year from countries with political, racial, and religious tensions. Their goal is to help every individual resettled to build a healthy and happy self-sustaining life in their new home. You can help by adopting and mentoring a newly arrived family, aiding a caseworker in daily tasks, or teaching English. World Relief believes God has a specific plan and purpose for each person that has been placed in their care, including coming into right relationship with Him. Be the light of Christ as you help meet needs and watch God use you for the Kingdom.

Media & Broadcasting

KCBI Radio Network

Contact: Claire Phillips, 469-801-7028 or cphillips@kcbi.org

Website: www.kcbi.org

KCBI is a Christian radio station and is a joint venture with Criswell College and First Baptist Church of Dallas. Several volunteer opportunities are available ranging from front desk clerical work to meal service or even praying over prayer requests.

Prayer & Encouragement

DBU Prayer Ministry

Contact: Kristi Coleman, 214-333-5235 or kristi@dbu.edu

Website: <https://www.dbu.edu/prayer/>

The Rogers Prayer Ministry is located on the lower level of the Chapel and is open Monday-Friday from 8am-5pm. We pray for the prayer requests which come by phone, letters, personal visits, emails or the prayer boxes located around campus.

Prayer Mountain Dallas

Contact: Sandra Ruiz, 972-296-8919 or mtcreekreception@aol.com

Website: www.worldprayercenterdfw.org

Mountain Creek Church at Prayer Mountain is located close to DBU on Mountain Creek Parkway. We need students to serve in the following areas.

- Mountain Men's Prayer Breakfast Ministry: Once a month (second Saturday) help with preparing the Breakfast 8:30-10:30 a.m.
- World Prayer Center: Help conduct Prayer Sets one hour per week in World Prayer Center. They need students to serve as prayer leaders. If you desire to lead through prayer and serve in this capacity, then volunteer today!
- Royal Rangers: Monday evenings 7:00-8:30 p.m. A ministry to reach, teach, and keep boys for Christ!
- Big Cedar Wilderness Trails/Patriot Pavilion: located atop one of the most breathtaking escarpment areas in North Texas. Situated on over 100 acres. We need help maintaining the restrooms on Thursday, Friday or Saturday morning at the Patriot Pavilion to be ready for the 100's of bikers that ride the trails over the weekend.
- Mowing: We have lots of people that visit the mountain daily. Anyone who has experience with a mowing tractor can help us with our Kubota brush hog in the spring and summer. We have lots of mowing because we have lots of land. Your help would really be appreciated.

Rehabilitation & Recovery

ARM Ministries

Contact: Obie Bussey, 214-943-5010 or director@armdallas.org

Website: <https://www.armdallas.org/>

Adult Rehabilitation Ministry offers various volunteer opportunities as listed on our website including: office work, grant writing, marketing, resume consultant, special event/fundraising, mentoring, donation coordinator, and lead volunteer.

Bill Glass Behind the Walls

Contact: Kari Shanklin, 972-298-1101 or karis@behindthewalls.com

Website: www.behindthewalls.com

With a dedicated staff and thousands of volunteers, the Bill Glass Behind the Walls ministry is known for its high energy behind the walls and beyond the walls evangelism events conducted for the sole purpose of partnering with churches and training their congregation how to share their faith with the least of these. We welcome the opportunity to have DBU students assist us in preparing volunteer packets for our ministry events. The office is following CDC guidelines regarding Covid19, including wearing face masks when within 6 feet of one another. They will supply PPE when requested.

Brighter Tomorrows

**Contact: Diana Franzetti, 972-254-4003 or diana@brightertomorrows.net
Website: www.brightertomorrows.net**

The mission of Brighter Tomorrows is to empower victims of domestic violence and sexual violence by providing safe shelter, support services, and reducing violence in our communities. Brighter Tomorrows makes a difference by taking domestic violence and sexual assault personally. As the 2nd largest domestic violence agency in Dallas County, they have witnessed thousands of lives changed. They are committed agents of change who work for survivors and for the eradication of domestic violence and sexual assault through education and collaboration.

Cook Children's Medical Center

**Contact: Sarah Lang, 682-885-4337 or sarah.lang@cookchildrens.org
Website: <https://cookchildrens.org/giving/volunteers/Pages/college-volunteers.aspx>**

Serve and Learn is an opportunity for small groups, families, and individuals, to come to Cook Children's Medical Center and learn about our organization while giving time to those we serve. Although participants do not work with the patients, they complete projects that directly benefit patients and families. Serve and Learn is approximately two hours: one hour of education that includes a short tour and one hour of volunteer service. On occasion, service projects may be longer than one hour. It is based upon the group size and the project to be completed. Service projects can include restocking book carts in waiting areas and clinics, stuffing goodie bags for department educational events, making cards for children currently in the hospital, cleaning toys and playrooms, changing toy batteries, maintaining playroom storage closets, mail-outs, assembling crayon packets, and other projects.

Equest

**Contact: Ellie Grant, 972-412-1099 ext.211 or equest@equest.org
Website: www.equest.org**

The mission at Equest is to bring hope and healing to children and adults with diverse needs through equine assisted activities and therapies. Volunteers can assist in areas such as grooming and tacking horses, participating as a leader or side-walker in classes, helping in the barn with horse care, administrative tasks, or planning special events. No prior horse experience is required! Equest will teach you everything you need to know at their volunteer training sessions.

Lakewest Rehabilitation and Skilled Care

**Contact: Mary Lawrence, 214-879-0888 or lwlec@lifetimewellness.us
Website: www.lakewestsnf.com**

Lifetime Wellness is a company that specializes in Health and Wellness. They offer residents a variety of group and individual activities. The Lakewest Rehabilitation and Skilled Care Facility

is looking for volunteers to come and provide regular devotions or group bible study, in-room spiritual visits, hymn socials, etc. We would like to have regularly scheduled events if possible.

Muscular Dystrophy Association

Contact: Amanda Johnson, 972-480-0011 or ajohnson@mdausa.org

Website: www.mda.org

Volunteer with the Muscular Dystrophy Association! This organization is leading the fight to free individuals and their families from muscular dystrophy, ALS, and related life-threatening diseases that take away physical skills, independence, and life. By participating in an event or volunteering with them, you will help in this fight. Volunteering with MDA can look like participating in home visits and interacting with/encouraging the kids, assisting in their office, or being a walk volunteer.

Phoenix House

Contact: Nikita Yarbrough, 214-883-3318 or nyarbrough@phoenixhousetx.org

Website: www.phoenixhousetx.org

Phoenix House exists to provide healing to families and individuals who struggle with substance abuse disorders and related mental health conditions. Volunteers will provide assistance to patients in the treatment program. They will aid with monitoring clients, traveling on outings, and providing mentoring services. Students will also have an opportunity to learn how their treatment team works with their recovery model.

The Well Community

Contact: Alice Zaccarello, 214-393-5878 or alice@wellcommunity.org

Website: www.wellcommunity.org

This is a community of people working to bring Jesus' love and personal health to adults recovering from serious mental illness by building community, providing hope, and empowering lives. This ministry is looking for compassionate volunteers ready to serve alongside our Community Members.

Well Community Therapy, Inc.

Contact: Bethany Spain, 682-246-9367 or wellcommunitytherapy@gmail.com

Website: www.wellcommunitytherapy.org

We are a nonprofit pro bono physical therapy, occupational therapy, and speech therapy clinic. We only treat patients without insurance or adequate insurance to get therapy. We are a pop-up clinic in a church's children's area every Thursday and see patients from 5:00-7:15 pm. We are 100% volunteer run by providers that want to give back to their community. Students would be

of great help to us by being an extra pair of hands. Since we are volunteer led, there is always a need for more smiling, happy faces.

Victory Therapy Center

**Contact: Gretchen Lafoon, 682-831-1323 or gretchen@victorytherapy.org
Website: www.victorytherapy.org**

At Victory Therapy Center our mission is to care for the physical, mental and emotional needs of children, adults, Veterans, first responders and their families through horses. We provide therapeutic riding and physical therapy incorporating hippotherapy to our clients with disabilities and special needs. Volunteer opportunities include rider support, facility maintenance, fundraising, special events, and horse care. To volunteer at Victory, there is an application, \$15 background check and orientation that needs to be completed. Day, early evening and Saturday morning shifts available. No previous experience is needed.

People with Disabilities

Ability Connection

**Contact: Felicia McBride, 214-351-2500 or fmcbride@abilityconnection.org
Website: www.abilityconnection.org**

Ability Connection provides a range of services for people with physical and intellectual disabilities as they strive to achieve their highest level of independence. Volunteers will help engage individuals in training center classrooms, chaperone participants on field trips, read to individuals, assist in after-school programs, and help in the office with basic clerical tasks. Adult day programs run Monday-Friday, 9-4pm and after-school programs run Monday-Thursday, 4-6pm. There may be additional opportunities to serve on the weekend at group homes that Ability Connection is currently renovating.

All Star Equestrian Foundation

**Contact: Cynthia Amodei, 817-477-1437 or cynthia@allstarequestrian.org
Website: <https://www.allstarfoundation.org/>**

Our non-profit organization serves the community by offering therapeutic horseback riding for the physically, cognitively and emotionally challenged. We use the horse to help build upper torso strength, improve balance, increase ROM in upper and lower extremities, increase focusing skills, etc. We customize lesson plans for each individual disability and rider. We also offer OT and PT hippotherapy along with a Veteran Program. We constantly need volunteers, and it is a wonderful way for your students in the health field to deal hands on with every type of disability you can think of! We use volunteers for “sidewalkers” (people who walk beside the horse to work with the rider and often help support them). All Star has a training program for horse knowledge and volunteer education during classes. We have classes Tuesday-Thursday and on Saturdays. We are located at 6601 FM 2738 in Burleson.

Bridges Training Foundation

**Contact: Melissa Boler, 817-996-8793 or melissa.boler@bridgestf.org
Website: www.bridgestf.org**

Our mission is to build a bridge to a successful tomorrow for individuals with disabilities and those that support them. Volunteers may chaperone adults on social and vocational outings in the community, help clients in the day program by assisting with crafts, pre-vocational skills, preparing a meal, or assist with clean up days. The Day Program runs from 8:30am-2:30pm on Monday-Friday. There are other opportunities throughout the month also.

Green Oaks School

**Contact: Belinda Baker, 817-861-5000 or belindabaker@greenoaksschool.org
Website: www.greenoaksschool.org**

This school is designed to accommodate students with Down syndrome. Volunteers are needed to work with these students in the areas of tutoring, physical education, and music. Opportunities are available Monday-Friday during school operating hours.

R[4] Retreat Center

**Contact: Jamie Koesema, 972-689-4518 or jkoesema@r4retreatcenter.org
Website: www.r4retreatcenter.org**

R[4] Retreat Center is a unique retreat ministry whose mission is to encourage, inspire, and empower families affected by special needs. Volunteers will serve as buddies to campers with special needs, activity leaders, and as helpers with the set-up and clean-up specific events. For one day retreats, students can volunteer anywhere from 2-12 hours, and for over-night retreats, students will be expected to volunteer anywhere from 4-5 days.

Soaring Eagle Center

**Contact: Michele Thomas, 972-322-1873 or michele1.sec@gmail.com
Website: www.soaringeaglecenter.org**

Soaring Eagle Center is a non-profit organization located in Desoto, Texas that serves as a day program for disabled/special needs adults. In addition to the day program, the center provides employment opportunities for them with a thrift shop and plans many events throughout the year.

Students with Disabilities (DBU)

Contact: Student Affairs, 214-333-5154

Assist students with disabilities with reading, note-taking or getting to class and around campus.

Victory Flows

**Contact: Cheryl Hood, 214-801-6602 or victoryflows@gmail.com
Website: www.victoryflows.org**

The mission of Victory Flows is to give people with disabilities and their families' opportunities to experience activities, fellowship, community, relief, and fun in a Christ-centered environment. Victory Flows presents "Fun and Freedom" events four to six times a year. They also partner with other special needs organizations to design custom events to meet specific program needs.

Arise Special Needs Ministry

**Contact: Dawn Johnson, 214-558-9442 or djohnson@irvingbible.org
Website: <https://irvingbible.org/arise>**

Students will mainly be needed for the Respite event, once a month on the third Saturday of each month, 5:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. The Respite event is a night meant to give those with special needs a night of fun and socialization. Students will be given the option of overseeing younger children through older teens. Work in groups, no one is alone!

Senior Adults

Atria Grapevine

**Contact: Dara Obannon, 817-416-8907 or dara.obannon@atriaseniorliving.com
Website: www.atriaseniorliving.com**

Atria Grapevine, an assisted living home, needs students capable of leading a church service, through either teaching or leading worship every third and/or fourth Sunday. This unique service opportunity provides real world practice for skills necessary for vocational ministry. The church service provided on Sundays is often the only opportunity for the residents to hear the gospel outside of their weekly Bible study program.

C.C. Young

Contact: Elena Jeffus, 214-841-2988 or Ejeffus@ccyoung.org

C.C. Young is a non-profit retirement community located in Dallas near White Rock Lake, with over 300 residents in Residential Living, Assisted Living, early and late stage Alzheimer's/dementia patients, skilled nursing staff, short-term rehabilitation, and hospice care. C.C. Young offers a wide variety of services, such as leading music, Bible studies, facilitating games and crafts, genealogy studies, video projects, and fitness programs for seniors.

Esteem Healthcare

**Contact: Katerah Jefferson, 972-239-8131 or
Katerah.Jefferson@esteemhealthcare.net
Website: www.esteemhousecalls.com**

Through this ministry you will be blessing two different groups of people: current patients, and the caregivers of those patients. Your role as a volunteer is to be a vessel of joy to those who are in difficult circumstances. You will be going into the homes of the patients and spending time with them. You may even just read to them or watch television with them. Patience and compassion are two spiritual gifts that would be exemplified in this ministry. The hours are very flexible, as are the days to serve.

Gardendale Hospice and Home Health

**Contact: Jesse Barragan, 214-357-9200 or jbarragan@gardendalehospice.com
Website: www.gardendalehospice.com**

"Planting the seeds of comfort and kindness," Gardendale has several nursing facilities in the Dallas/Ft. Worth area and need people to visit the residents at these nursing facilities. Can you sing, dance, paint nails, or read to someone? Can you listen, talk to someone, play cards, checkers, or any other games? Can you read the Bible or hold a Bible study? If the answer is yes to any of these, share your gifts. Reach out and touch someone's heart.

Highland Springs Independent Retirement Community

**Contact: Billie Byrd, 214-738-9300 or billie.byrd@erickson.com
Website: www.ericksonliving.com**

Volunteers are needed to help residents become more comfortable functioning in today's world of technology. Residents need assistance in learning how to use a smart phone, play games on a device, download apps, open an attachment on an email, set up a Google email account, start Words with Friends etc. Volunteering here would be a great opportunity to serve and show love to the elderly.

Visiting Nurse Association

**Contact: Inga Wilson, 214-689-2685 or wilsoni@vnatexas.org
Website: www.vnatexas.org**

Help brighten the lives of senior citizens who are disabled or home bound by bringing them hot meals through the Meals on Wheels program. Students can adopt a senior citizen and become a companion through the Eldercare Friends program, spending time making visits and helping run errands for the clients.

Sports & Recreation

FC Victory Soccer

Contact: Ruben Reynoso, 817-703-9048 or rmreynoso@hotmail.com

This organization is a non-profit soccer academy in a lower income area of Dallas. Their mission is to give underprivileged kids ages 6-13 the opportunity to train and compete as part of an academy soccer program. Volunteers will help children with homework, lead bible study, and introduce children to the Christian faith. In addition, volunteers will play a role in the development of the children's social responsibility, leadership, and academics.

Grand Prairie Family YMCA Center

**Contact: Sharon Johnson, 972-642-9632 or sjohnson@ymcadallas.org
Website: www.grandprairieymca.org**

Volunteer with the Grand Prairie YMCA as a Youth Sports Coach or referee. Youth Sports Coaches will pick a day of the week for their team to practice for an hour and participate in games on Saturdays. The goal for YMCA Youth Sports is to allow kids to participate in a non-competitive program with an emphasis on fun, development of character, and fair play.

Women's Ministry

Alley's House

**Contact: Breanna Wriston, 214-824-8700 or info@alleyshouse.org
Website: www.alleyshouse.org**

Alley's House provides a nurturing, stable environment to help teen mothers overcome obstacles and thrive through counseling, innovative learning, and workforce development. Volunteers will assist with childcare and tutoring. Volunteers will also be responsible for playing with, nurturing, and feeding the children at designated times. Volunteers may also tutor to assist mothers with any questions regarding GED subjects of math, science, social studies, and ELA.

Bridges Safehouse and Bridges Thrifty Boutique

**Contact: Ruby Jones, 469-272-4441 or ruby@bridgescanhelp.org
Website: www.bridgessafehouse.org**

Bridges is a faith-based, nonprofit organization with the mission to provide transitional housing to homeless pregnant mothers as well as women in crisis and their children. Our partnering donors and volunteers believe in the heart and the ministry of encouraging and educating women by providing for them in their time of need. Our Safehouse and Boutique work together to empower the women who come through its doors by equipping them with the tools they need to successfully sustain the Bridge they have Built. We have had to rethink the way we minister to our mothers, children, and our community during the Pandemic. With that, came the thought of volunteers connecting via Video (Zoom, video chat) for Bridges Safehouse. Our hope is to have

volunteers commit to having a 30 minute to an hour, weekly class (if their time and or schedule permits) to be a blessing to our residents by bringing the outside world in to them.

Christian Women's Job Corp

**Contact: Judy Humphrey, 972-262-0797 or info@cwjcgp.org
Website: www.cwjc-grandprairie.org**

The mission of Christian Women's Job Corps is to empower women with employment and life skills through classroom instruction and mentoring in a faith-based environment. CWJC of Grand Prairie opens its doors to any woman, regardless of religious background or age, who desires the necessary skills and encouragement to achieve success and self-sufficiency in life. We seek to help women discover their potential through building good self-esteem, learning how to relate to others, and discovering and learning job skills.

Embrace Grace

**Contact: Amy Ford, 817-755-8484 or info@embracegrace.com
Website: <https://embracegrace.com/get-involved>**

We are a non-profit ministry that equips and empowers the church to be a safe and loving place for single and pregnant women. We provide group leaders with the curriculum and tools to walk through a 12-week small group that meets at their church once a week and ends with a baby shower thrown for the moms. We are always in need of volunteers and interns at our national offices in Hurst. There are opportunities to help with our physical products, such as assembling Love Boxes or bundling retail pieces. There are also many opportunities to serve or intern with our group support, marketing, fulfillment, or fundraising teams.

Involved for Life, Inc.

**Contact: Carolyn Cline, 972-636-4466 or carolyn@thesource.org
Website: www.getinvolvedforlife.com**

Don't just be pro-Life, be pro-Active! Involved for Life envisions a world where women have the knowledge and resources to live healthy lives physically, emotionally, and spiritually. We desire to educate and empower women to make informed decisions. As servants of the Lord, we seek to glorify God and revere the sanctity of life. We need volunteers at our women's health center, The Source for Women (formerly known as Downtown Pregnancy Center), located in downtown Dallas. Additionally, we need volunteers to help with one-day events such as our fundraising Gala in April and our golf tournament in October.

Metroplex Women's Clinic

**Contact: Stephanie Ott, 817-299-9599 or stephanieo@friendsofmwc.com,
Arlington Resale Stores: 817-478-7253
Website: <https://www.metroplexwomensclinic.com/>**

Metroplex Women's Clinic has several volunteer opportunities available to support our pro-life ministry. MWC clinic volunteers meet one-on-one with clients to provide counseling and spiritual support to clients dealing with the complex issues of unplanned pregnancy. (Training provided. 4hr shifts once a week. 1-year commitment required). MWC also needs help with obtaining donations of baby and mommy gift items (host a shower, a drive, conduct peer-to-peer fundraising, etc). Annual Fall Fundraiser: volunteers are needed for mail outs, set up, take down and miscellaneous jobs on the event day. The three Arlington Resale Stores always need a helping hand during operating hours.

Pregnancy Resource Center of Grand Prairie

**Contact: Tammy Williamson, 972-642-3877 or cpcglife@sbcglobal.net
Website: www.cpcgp.org**

Help this growing organization reach out and minister to women that deal with the issues of pregnancy, abortion, and lack of medical and clothing resources. Volunteers will leave a lasting effect on these ladies and their children.

Rescue Her

**Contact: Sarah Decker, 817-885-9716 or info@rescueher.org
Website: <https://www.rescueher.org/volunteer>**

Rescue Her offers various volunteer opportunities including: Freedom Prayer team, hotline phone operator team, transportation team, safety team, phone bank, base team, and events team. We also have internship opportunities every semester.

Thrive Women's Clinic

**Contact: Kontessa Kiel, 214-343-9263 or kkiel@thrivewomensclinic.com
Website: www.thrivewomensclinic.com**

Thrive is a non-profit ministry that offers free confidential services to women who are pregnant or think they might be pregnant. Their goal is to give support and prevent women from seeking abortions. Students will serve by providing administrative support services such as filing, computer work, and lay counseling. Thrive Women's Clinic is always in need of more lay counselors, and the clinic provides training for these mentors in a program called Earn While You Learn. The lay counseling/mentoring training session is two Saturdays of 4-hour training. Students will be able to counsel clients in their unplanned circumstances. Thrive also has opportunities for male lay counselors who work with men that come in with the female clients. Thrive counsels from the Word of God, and sharing the Gospel is a very important part of this ministry. Thrive Women's Clinic could be a great place for DBU students to get involved.

Valiant Hearts

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Valiant Hearts combats the effects of sexual exploitation from both a preventative and restorative approach through partnerships with churches, schools, and other nonprofit organizations. The organization focuses its efforts on supporting five target groups: women who have been sexually exploited, men overcoming sexual bondage, youth who have been targeted, families that have been impacted, and internationally trafficked victims. Student volunteers will help with social media, children's ministry, packaging gifts for outreach, assisting with setup and cleanup for Tuesday night support groups, and office administrative tasks.

WINGS

**Contact: Laura Gray, 214-584-2316 or lgray@wingsdallas.org
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WINGS helps women lift themselves and their families out of poverty. Take part in the innovative programs to provide women the resources to build skills and confidence to become strong mothers. Some of the programs we offer are Spanish Tax Credit Education and Spanish Financial Education. While Spanish speaking volunteers are preferred, it is not a requirement.