

## LOCAL OUTREACH

**Amnion Crisis Pregnancy Center** (Drexel Hill) encourages life-affirming choices in women, men, and families encountering unintentional pregnancy, including grief over past abortions. Amnion provides free pregnancy tests and medically accurate information, and will review all options if a pregnancy test result is positive. Amnion understands the need for a place to process, think through options and to feel safe.

[www.amnion.org](http://www.amnion.org)

**Bridge of Hope** (Lancaster and Chester Counties) seeks to faithfully exemplify Christ's love to single mothers and children who are homeless or facing eviction. The ministry focuses on holistic, long-term solutions to poverty and homelessness using church-based mentoring groups.

[www.bridgeofhopelcc.org](http://www.bridgeofhopelcc.org)

**CityTeam Ministries** serves the poor and homeless in Chester and Delaware County, with the goal of transforming lives by sharing the love of Christ. CityTeam provides supplementary food and baby supplies for low-income families;



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recovery programs for men wrestling with addictions; hot meals, safe shelter, showers, and clean clothing to the homeless; and summer camp and other seasonal special events. [www.cityteam.org](http://www.cityteam.org)

**The Good Samaritan Food Closet** provides nutritious canned, fresh, frozen, and boxed food to hundreds of needy Chester County families on a year-round basis. It also provides Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter food baskets containing turkeys, hams, and chickens and all the fixings. It is an important support system for people struggling in our neighborhood. <http://www.good-samaritan.org/food-closet>

**Good Works** is a Christian non-profit that improves the living conditions of low-income families in Chester County, making substandard

houses warmer, safer and drier. The goal of Good Works is to enrich the inhabitants of these homes by caring for them and showing them that their circumstances matter to their community.

[www.goodworksinc.org](http://www.goodworksinc.org)

**Kensington Ministry:** Good Samaritan and The Free Church of St. John in Kensington have partnered for more than 30 years to be Christ's light in a challenging urban neighborhood. St. John is a sanctuary for marginalized children and families. The Kensington Ministry seeks to protect children and adults and provide a safe, welcoming environment for them to find out more about Jesus.

[www.freechurchstjohn.org](http://www.freechurchstjohn.org)

**YoungLives** (Delaware Valley) is a ministry



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that treats teen moms and their babies with unconditional love and respect, offering moms relief from the isolation and struggle of their daily lives, and giving them hope for the future. Volunteer mentors provide friendship, parenting advice and help

meeting the practical demands of raising a child.

[www.younglife.org/YoungLives](http://www.younglife.org/YoungLives)

**The Benevolence Committee/HELPS** ministry provides funding for practical, short-term relief to our neighbors who need a one-time assistance to pay rent, pay for a utility bill, prescriptions, car repair, or other immediate need. The ministry focuses on temporary problems and giving our neighbors a helping hand during a difficult time.

**The Coalition for Christian Outreach (CCO)** as they partner with churches, colleges and organizations to develop men and women who live out their Christian faith in every area of life

[www.ccojubilee.org](http://www.ccojubilee.org)

**Gathering Hope** ESL serves the local Latino community by providing English classes and life skills workshops.

# THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN

**Missionaries and Ministries  
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## WHO WE ARE

The Church of the Good Samaritan is an Episcopal Church within the greater Anglican Communion that seeks to be a biblically faithful congregation, transformed by God's love, and empowered to serve our neighbor.

*For more information on specific Mission or Local Outreach Ministries please contact the Mission Committee at [Missions@good-samaritan.org](mailto:Missions@good-samaritan.org)*

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## GLOBAL MISSIONS

**Africa Theological Seminary** (Kitale, Kenya) is a non-denominational institution that trains church leaders in theology, ministry, and counseling using an in-service model that allows learners to continue in their primary ministries as they pursue further studies. The curriculum helps develop Christian ministers who have general life skills in addition to theological schooling and applied ministerial training. [www.atseminary.ac.ke](http://www.atseminary.ac.ke)

**Frank and Anne B.** serve in North Africa with Frontiers, an international missions organization that focuses exclusively on sending church planting teams to the Muslim world. Frank and Anne lead a large team of overseas workers all committed to innovative evangelism, relevant discipleship and planting faith communities that are indigenous, viable and reproducible. [www.afm-us.org](http://www.afm-us.org)

**Mwamba Foundation:** Mwamba (Swahili for “rock”) promotes stable Kenyan communities through offering scholarships for poor children and seminarians, providing educational and entrepreneurial opportunities for women, advocating against early marriages and female genital mutilation, and discipling and mentoring students. [www.mwambafoundation.org](http://www.mwambafoundation.org)

**Phillip and Julie S.** have been serving as long-term workers in Asia since 2008, building deep friendships in local communities and seeking to share the gospel.

**Ron and Nicki Irene** serve in the Diocese of Paraguay. Reverend Ron pastors two churches and is the chaplain of the Diocesan school (St. Andrews) in Asuncion, Paraguay, where Nicki is a teacher.

**Diocese of Bolivia:** Funding goes to support the Diocese of Bolivia, as well as for the support of Rev. Tammy Firestone, a SAMS Missionary who serves La Trinidad Church in Cochabamba.

**Niños con Valor’s** (“Children with Value”) mis-



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sion is to see hope, healing and dignity flourish in Bolivian children, values that they will multiply into society through the establishment of self-sustaining and scalable models of care. NCV provides family support programs, a daycare and orphanage for children affected by AIDS, and education and psychological care in a family-style group home for girls. [www.ninosconvalor.org](http://www.ninosconvalor.org)

**Steve and Nancy B.** minister to nomadic people groups in the northern regions of Africa. Steve works on providing for their physical needs by building wells and coordinating hunger relief projects. Nancy provides medical care to women. [www.sim.org](http://www.sim.org)

**Kenya Students’ Christian Fellowship (KSCF).** KCSF is an interdenominational, non-profit and non-political organization which was established in 1958 with the objective of evangelizing students in Secondary Schools and Colleges throughout Kenya and disciplining them to be effective witnesses of Jesus Christ in their institutions and communities at large. [www.kscf.org](http://www.kscf.org)

## INTERNATIONAL MINISTRIES

**Send a Cow** works hand in hand with families in Africa to raise people from poverty. They provide livestock and training in natural organic farming practices alongside courses in gender equality, conflict resolution and more. The work has three core strands: strengthening people, farming and animals and caring for the environment. [www.sendacow.org.uk](http://www.sendacow.org.uk)

**Water Mission** provides sustainable access to safe water and an opportunity to hear Jesus’ message of “Living Water” in developing coun-



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tries and disaster areas. Water Mission uses low-maintenance, appropriate water technologies for drinking water treatment and distribution, waste water management and storm water control. [www.watermission.org](http://www.watermission.org)

## NATIONAL MINISTRY

**FOCUS, Fellowship of Christians in Universities and Schools,** is a diverse community of students, alumni, parents, faculty, clergy, and professionals from a variety of Christian denominations drawn together by a common faith and purpose. Our purpose is to help students at independent schools explore a life of faith that is real, adventurous, intellectually sound, and eminently practical. [www.infocus.org](http://www.infocus.org)

**Scripture Union** helps children, young people and their families know God’s love, follow Jesus and meet God daily in His Word. Scripture Union conducts evangelism and discipleship programs in various locations across the U.S. and offers a variety of Bible reading publications. [www.scriptureunion.org](http://www.scriptureunion.org)

**Young Life** ministers to unreached young people in local public schools through relational evangelism and discipleship. Young Life leaders build bridges of authentic friendship with kids – where they are, as they are. Kids’ lives are dramatically impacted when caring adults come alongside them, sharing God’s love with them. Because their Young Life leader believes in them, they begin to see that their lives have great worth, meaning and purpose. [www.younglife.org/us](http://www.younglife.org/us)