

Poverty Ends Where Resources Begin



Systems of Care in Community Emergent Events and Disasters (SOC)

Poverty: Just How Bad is it?

- In MO, 12.7% or 761,311 people in the population live below the poverty level.
- In Jackson County, MO alone, the rate is 13.83%
- In KS, 11.7% or 333,518 people in the population live below the poverty level.
- In Wyandotte County, KS alone, the rate is 17.5%

Source: Worldpopulationreview.com

Living Wages



What is A Living Wage?

- The term "living wage" refers to a theoretical income level that allows individuals or families to afford adequate shelter, food, and other life necessities. The goal of a living wage is to allow employees to earn enough income for a satisfactory [standard of living](#) and prevent them from falling into poverty. Economists suggest that it should be enough to ensure that no more than 30% of this income gets spent on housing.

Typical Expenses

	1 ADULT				2 ADULTS (1 WORKING)				2 ADULTS (BOTH WORKING)				
	0 Children	1 Child	2 Children	3 Children	0 Children	1 Child	2 Children	3 Children	0 Children	1 Child	2 Children	3 Children	
Food	\$4,040	\$5,940	\$8,898	\$11,838	\$7,406	\$9,205	\$11,841	\$14,444	\$7,406	\$9,205	\$11,841	\$14,444	
Child Care	\$0	\$8,439	\$16,284	\$20,056	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$8,439	\$16,284	\$20,056	
Medical	\$3,032	\$6,593	\$6,674	\$6,758	\$5,834	\$7,661	\$7,963	\$8,297	\$5,834	\$7,661	\$7,963	\$8,297	
Housing	\$11,460	\$14,362	\$14,362	\$18,737	\$12,623	\$14,362	\$14,362	\$18,737	\$12,623	\$14,362	\$14,362	\$18,737	
Transportation	\$10,213	\$11,820	\$14,889	\$17,132	\$11,820	\$14,889	\$17,132	\$19,005	\$11,820	\$14,889	\$17,132	\$19,005	
Civic	\$3,126	\$5,504	\$6,077	\$7,791	\$5,504	\$6,077	\$7,791	\$8,643	\$5,504	\$6,077	\$7,791	\$8,643	
Internet & Mobile	\$1,547	\$1,547	\$1,547	\$1,547	\$2,129	\$2,129	\$2,129	\$2,129	\$2,129	\$2,129	\$2,129	\$2,129	
Other	\$4,112	\$7,900	\$8,276	\$9,949	\$7,900	\$8,763	\$9,949	\$11,037	\$7,900	\$8,763	\$9,949	\$11,037	
Required annual income after taxes	\$37,531	\$62,105	\$77,008	\$93,809	\$53,215	\$63,085	\$71,166	\$82,292	\$53,215	\$71,524	\$87,451	\$102,348	
Annual taxes	\$7,044	\$9,243	\$10,207	\$14,154	\$8,405	\$8,757	\$8,647	\$9,323	\$8,405	\$10,157	\$11,310	\$13,018	
Required annual income before taxes	\$44,575	\$71,348	\$87,214	\$107,963	\$61,620	\$71,842	\$79,813	\$91,615	\$61,620	\$81,681	\$98,761	\$115,366	

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How Much Do We Really Know?



POVERTY SIMULATION

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Reactions???



Help is on the Way!!!



Ray Way Resource Directory

- The first initiative of the SOC.
- Weekly resource directory covering the greater Kansas City Metropolitan area.
- 100+ pages, two dozen categories
- Uploaded to the website every Sunday evening (sometimes sooner)
- www.jacksoncountysoc.com

Ray Way: November 10th, 2025 – November 16th, 2025



"Gratitude makes sense of our past, brings peace for today, and creates a vision for tomorrow"- Melody Beattie

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Ray Way: Food Category-Ready to Eat Meals

The screenshot shows a PDF document with the following content:

- The Warn Room** is a resource that will help you to improve your emergency/ crisis messaging so that it is more effective. For more information please go to: [The Warn Room | improving warning messages and alerts](#)
- Tony's Kansas City has multiple up to date resources of various kinds to assist those in need of assistance with storm clean up. For more information please go to: <https://www.tonyskansascity.com/2023/07/kansas-city-storm-2023-cleanup.html>
- US Department of Health and Human Services has an office of Human Services Emergency Preparedness and Response division that provides a multitude of human services in a disaster such as case management to connect people to services more efficiently as well as children and youth supportive services, and much more. For more information please go to: <https://www.acf.hhs.gov/ohsepr/disaster-human-services>
- The Whole Person provides supportive services, advocacy, and more for adults needing assistance to maintain their independence. Please call: 816-561-0304 or TTY: 816-531-7794. The website is: <https://thewholeperson.org>. They have a wonderful and comprehensive listing of many different kinds of resources across the greater KC community be it a need for assistive technology, food, or many other things. Check this out at: <https://thewholeperson.org/resources/ke-metro-page-topic-pages/emergency-assistance.html>

There is also a resource directory to help people prepare for various kinds of disasters. That information is at: <https://thewholeperson.org/calendar/resource/general-resource-library/emergency-preparedness.html>

FOOD

IT IS RECOMMENDED NOW MORE THAN EVER THAT YOU CALL/CHECK SOCIAL MEDIA IF POSSIBLE BEFORE GOING TO ENSURE NO DATE/TIME CHANGES! FURTHER, WITH THE GOVERNMENT SHUTDOWN AND PEOPLE NOT GETTING THEIR PAYCHECKS, FOOD BENEFITS, ETC. FOOD BANKS AND SUCH WILL BE OVERWHELMED WITH NEED. THIS VERY WELL COULD MEAN THAT SOME WILL WALK AWAY WITH NOTHING. SHOULD YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW SINCERELY BE IN DIRE NEED AND THEY HAVE TRIED TO GET ASSISTANCE BUT COULD NOT, PLEASE REACH OUT TO ME (Jennifer) at: Jennifer.L.Heareny@dnh.mo.gov. I WILL DO MY BEST TO CONNECT PEOPLE WITH AT LEAST SOMETHING!

YOU MAY FIND ADDITIONAL FOOD RESOURCES UNDER THE "HOLIDAY" CATEGORY AS WELL!

IF YOU HAVE FOOD ASSISTANCE AND LOSE FOOD BECAUSE OF A DISASTER SUCH AS A WEATHER RELATED ONE (BUT NOT LIMITED TO) AND NEED HELP WITH REPLACING FOOD, COMPLETE, "STATEMENT OF LOSS/REPLACEMENT REQUEST FORM." PLEASE GO TO: <https://dsmanuals.mo.gov/wp-content/uploads/2020/10/im-110.pdf>. IF YOU NEED HELP WITH THIS FORM, GO TO YOUR LOCAL OFFICE OR CALL: 1-855-373-4636.

KCTVS HAS A LIST OF PLACES HELPING WHILE THE SNAP CRISIS CONTINUES. FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE GO TO: <https://www.bing.com/ck/a?!&p=9f8e1a2083b450aef71c70196e073db4ccd0fab1da22d6c38648ff024a559c73JmftdHM9MTc2MjY0NjQwMA&ptn=3&ver=2&hsh=4&fclid=28603d15-fadd-6ec1-35e0>.

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GENERAL STATEWIDE POTENTIAL FOOD SOURCES:

Statewide Food Services & Supports

Second Harvest Community Food Bank

[Pantry Locator](#)

[Food Distribution Events](#)

For more information, visit [Second Harvest Community Food Bank](#)

Harvesters Community Food Network

[Pantry Locator](#)

For more information, visit [Harvesters](#)

Ozarks Harvest

[Pantry Locator](#)

For more information, visit [Ozarks Food Harvest](#)

Food Bank for Central & Northeast Missouri

[Food Locator](#)

[Mobile Distributions](#)

For more information, visit the [Food Bank for Central & Northeast Missouri](#)

Southeast Missouri Food Bank

[Pantry Locator](#)

[Mobile Distributions](#)

Ready to Eat Meals

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- **Raytown Chapel Church: 1st & 3rd**
Wednesdays: 5:30-6:30pm; 5413 Blue Ridge Cut-Off, Raytown. Please note this is no longer drive up, you must go inside but you can still take a meal to go if you want (at 6 p.m.) or stay there and enjoy (5:30 p.m.)! If you need food at a different time, please complete the form on the website. Also, if you need clothing, there is now a clothing closet but you must complete the form on the website and then make an appointment to come in for clothing (with the exceptions noted below). There is a mini food pantry outside in front of the Church for anyone in need 24/7.
- **REAP (Raytown Emergency Assistance Program):** Every Friday: 9:30 a.m. until gone. 816-356-0054. Location: 9300 E. 75th St., Raytown. You must be a resident of the Raytown School District and show an ID as well as a current utility bill.

Please note that Free Grocery Fridays will NOT be happening on the following dates in 2025: February 21st, April 4th, May 9th, June 13th, July 4th, August 15th, September 26th, October 31st, November 28th, and December 26th, 2025. There will also be no groceries on January 2, 2026.
- **Raytown Garden and Grocery Share** is a FB site for those who may need food or have some to share!
- **Ready to Eat Free Meals!!!** (Please note that sometimes groups are unable to come or times change based on staffing and funds or even the weather. Information is current at the time of this publication).
 - Big Belly's Italian-American Kitchen is offering free meals to those in need. They are located at: 8940 Wornall Rd., KCMO 64114. For more information about any restrictions, hours, etc. or if you would like to make a donation to cover the costs, please call: 816-216-6498. You can also find more information about it at: <https://bigbelly.com>.
 - Bishop Sullivan One City Café: Serves lunch M-F from 12-1 p.m. and dinner M-F from 4:30-6:30 p.m. The address is: 3936 Troost, KCMO
 - Cherith Brooks: Mon., Tues., and Thurs. has breakfast from 8:30-11 a.m. and dinner on Thurs. from 5:30-7 or 8 p.m. Showers are also available on mornings they serve breakfast as are clothes. It is located at: 3308 E. 12th St., KCMO. The website is: <https://cherithbrookew.blogspot.com>
 - Fairmount Community Center is having FREE lunch Fridays. They serve lunch at 11:30 a.m., dine in only. You do need to have a reservation so they can make sure they have enough food. Please call: 816-254-8334 to make a reservation and get the address.
 - Faubion's Community Dinner is on October 22nd from 4-6. They will have ham and potato casserole, green salad, bread, desserts, & drinks. The address is: 7113 N. Troost Ave., Gladstone, MO.
 - Food Not Bombs gives away a free and HOT vegan meal every Sunday at 4 p.m. as well as produce, bread, and more to take with you! This event is at 3757 Independence Ave. in KCMO 64124 and occurs rain or shine. They have a FB and that is: facebook.com/kefnb or IG at: [@kefoodnotbombs](https://kefoodnotbombs). Additionally, you may check out: <https://www.happycow.net/reviews/food-not-bombs-kansas-city-22684>
 - Fox 4 KC has a list of restaurants that are offering free food at: <https://fox4kc.com/news/these-kansas-city-area-restaurants-will-offer-meals-as-snap-benefits-are-withheld/>
 - Free Community Dinner is served every Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. to anyone who attends. All are welcome! The location is: 2456 Park, KCMO 64127. This is at Bowers Memorial CME Church. 816-241-9808.
 - Free Community Dinner at the 24 Hour Faith Training Center every Wednesday starting at 6 p.m. until gone. Come and enjoy a delicious and hot meal! No personal info is needed just come right in. This is the purple door Church at: 2605 Prospect, KCMO.
 - Free Full Hot Breakfast is open to all every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. There will be pancakes, sausage, eggs, and coffee. This is at True Light at the corner of 31st and Charlotte in KCMO.
 - Free Hot Soup is a group that feeds anyone who comes to Washington Park in KCMO on Saturdays at 4 p.m. The park is approximately located at: 100 E. Pershing Rd (right by Crown Center). They also go to Winner Park in KCMO on Sunday at 1:30. This is at 8400 Independence Ave.
 - Grace Church in Independence has a free meal every 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. The address is: 3601 S. Sterling, Independence. Additionally, from 9-11:30 a.m. every Sunday, they have clothes, some food, and toiletries. No requirements.
 - Grill for Glory gives hotdogs, resources, and fellowship every Saturday from 11-1. This is at Mt. Sinai MBC: 3634 Brooklyn, KCMO 64109.
 - Hope City KC offers daily lunches, a weekly food distribution, as well as other programs to beat addiction, youth programs, and other supports. Please call 816-241-9931 to confirm the dates/times of the events. They are located at: 5101 E. 24th St., KCMO 64127. Their website is: <https://hopecitykc.org>
 - Hyvee is offering free meals to kids 12 and under from 4-7 p.m. The same meal is available to purchase for others at \$3.00. For more information, please go to: [Hy-Vee to Support Local Communities by Providing Free Kids Meals, Food Bank Bundles and More - Company - Hy-Vee - Your](https://www.hyvee.com)

Kansas City Street Sheet

- NOT an SOC initiative.
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- [Street Sheets | Kansas City Public Library](#)
- Updated quarterly

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SHOWERS & LAUNDRY

- **Swope Health Services**
 - 3801 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd.
 - Mon 8:00am-12:00pm, Fri. 8:00 am – 2:00pm (1 load per week, showers first come, first served)
- **TLFRC Emancipation Station** • 717 E. 31st St.
- Mon-Fri 8:30am-2:30pm (Lunch at 12pm, women only)
- Tues-Thurs. Laundry (not same day service)

- **Westport Presbyterian Church** • 201 Westport Rd
- Sun 7:30am-9:30am
- Thurs 5:30pm-7pm (Women, Trans, Gender Non-Conforming people only)

VETERANS

- **Catholic Charities, SSVF** • 816.659.8263
- 8001 Longview Road; Kansas City, MO 64134
- **Kansas City VA Medical Center** • 816.861.4700
- 4801 E. Linwood
- **reStart, SSVF** • 816.886.9148 918 E. 9th St.
- **Veterans Community Project - Outreach Center** • 816.599.6503 8825 Troost Ave.
- Mon | Tues | Wed | Thurs** 9:00am-4:00pm
- Fri** 9:00am-1:00pm
- Fourth Wednesday Commissary** 9:00am-3:00pm
- Food, clothing, and more, free of charge

YOUTH/FAMILY (Check Facebook for updates)

- **The HALO Foundation** • 816.590.4493 1600 Genessee St., Ste. 140 • ages 4-24
- Art & educational programs, food, dignity items etc.
- **Lutheran Family and Children's Services of Missouri** • 866.326.5327 • 1 E Armour Blvd., Ste 102
- Free counseling ages 3-19 for Jackson County residents, parenting & pregnancy services, adoptive & birth parent services
- **Mother's Refuge** • 816.353.8070
- shelter for pregnant or parenting moms ages 12-21 (children 0-2), Transitional Living Program for single moms 18+
- **reStart Youth Emergency Shelter** • 816.309.9048
- ages 12-17
- **Street Outreach** • 816.505.4901 • ages 22 or under
- **Synergy House** • 816.741.8700 • ages 12-18
- Teens & Tots Clinic
- **The LIGHT House Inc.** • 816.916.4434 24/7 Hotline (various services, teen tele-support groups)
- **Youth Resiliency Center** • 816.505.4840

LOCAL WRAPAROUND SERVICE CAMPUSES

- **BISHOP SULLIVAN CENTER (AccessKC site)**
- Call either location to inquire about funds for rent, utilities, or a variety of other one-time needs. Employment services available.
- 816.231.0984 6435 Truman Rd
- Mon-Thurs 9:00am-4:00pm (call for appointment)
- Food Pantry Mon-Thurs. 1:00-4:00pm
- 816.561.8515 3936 Troost Ave
- Mon-Thurs 9:00am-4:30pm (call for appointment)
- Food Pantry Mon-Thurs. 9:00am-12:00pm

- **THE BEEHIVE**
- 750 The Paseo
- Housing assistance Tuesday 11:00am- 3pm. Related support services Tues-Thurs 11:00am-3:30pm walk-in and appointments available.
- Care Beyond the Boulevard** medical services and patient case management on Tuesday-Thursday 11:00 am– 3:30 pm. Dental exams and emergency extractions only on Wednesday 11:00am-3:30pm. Behavioral health Thursday 11:00am-3:30pm. Walk-ins and appointments available.
- **HOPE FAITH HOMELESS ASSISTANCE CAMPUS**
- 705 Virginia Avenue • 816.471.4673
- Hours: Mon | Tues | Wed | Fri** 6:30am-2:00pm
- Thurs** 6:30am-1:00pm
- Meals:** Breakfast 8:30am-10:00am
- Lunch Mon – Fri 11:00am-12:30pm
- Guest Services: Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri** 7:00am-2:00pm &
- Thurs** 7:00am-1:00pm closes daily from 10:00am-11:00am
- Clothing Shop:** emergency approval only
- Hope Cuts:** Mon-Fri. 9am – 1:00pm
- Laundry Services:** Mon, Tues, Wed & Fri 7:00am-1:00pm
- Thurs 7:00am-12:00pm closes daily from 10:00am-11:00am, Limited availability
- Mail Pick-Up:** Must sign up first, pick-up times M-W, Fri. 12:30pm – 1:45pm and Thurs. 11:30am-12:45pm
- Showers:** during guest services hours
- Swope Health Services** provides transportation from Hope Faith to their 3801 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd. location: **Mon and Wed** from 7:20am-7:30am
- Swope Mobile Medical Unit** stop at Hope Faith every other Thurs from 9:00am-12:00pm

The Street Sheet is always available online, scan this QR code:

Kansas City Public Library
Community Resources

816.701.3767 • <http://kclibrary.org/outreach>
communityresources@kclibrary.org

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COMMUNITY RESOURCES @ CENTRAL LIBRARY

Community Resources staff is available by phone or in-person at Central Library, 14 W. 10th St., Third Floor.
Mon - Fri 9:00am - 1:00pm

Coffee & Conversation @ Central Library

14 W. 10th St., Third Floor
Fourth Wednesday of each month
10:30am-11:30am
Coffee & Conversation invites people experiencing life-challenges to have a cup of coffee, snacks, direct access to resources and personal care items.

Housing Authority of KC

816.968.4100
3822 Summit St.

HOTLINES

Alcoholics Anonymous	800.839.1686
Children's Center Hotline	816.321.7060
Domestic Violence	816.HOTLINE (816.468.5463)
First Call (Substance Abuse)	816.361.5900
Harvester/SNAP	816.929.3300
Hotline for the Homeless	816.474.4599
Mental Health Crisis Line	888.279.8188
National Runaway Safeline	1.800.786.2929
National Human Trafficking	1.888.373.7888
Rape/Sexual Abuse	816.531.0233

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FOOD/MEALS

► **Bishop Sullivan/One City Cafe** 3936 Troost Ave
Lunch Mon-Fri 12:00pm-1:00pm
Dinner Mon-Fri 4:30pm-6:00pm

► **Family Promise of the Northland** 10th & Baltimore
Lunch (1st, 3rd & 5th Thursday) 11:00am-11:30am
(provided by Micah Ministries)

► **Independence Boulevard Christian Church** 606 Gladstone Ave.
Dinner/toiletries/clothes Mon 5:30pm-7:00pm

► **NourishKC's KC Community Kitchen** 750 The Passes Blvd
Lunch Mon-Fri 11:00am-2:00pm

► **Metropolitan Lutheran Ministry** 3031 Holmes
Food pantry & sack lunches Mon-Fri 8:30am-11:00am

► **Morning Glory Ministries** 20 W 9th St
Breakfast Mon-Fri 7:00am-8:00am

► **Neighbor2Neighbor** 2910 Vector St.
Open Mon-Fri 9am-12pm, Hygiene items Wed. 10-11am.
Breakfast/Sack Lunch 9-10:30 am, Lunch 10:45-11:45am, Drug treatment and recovery housing referrals 9 am -12 pm, clothing closet Wed. and Fri. 10 - 11am.

► **Redemptorist Center** 207 Linwood Blvd
Food pantry Mon-Thurs 10:00am-1:00pm
Lunch Mon-Fri 10:00am-1:00pm

► **The Salvation Army** 3013 E 9th St
Lunch Mon-Thurs 11:30am-12:30pm

► **Trinity United Methodist Church** 620 E. Armour Blvd
Lunch with food pantry, toiletry & laundry voucher
pantry Mon 12:00pm-1:00pm Lunch only Sat 11:30am-12:30pm

► **True Light Family Resource Center** 717 E 31st St
Community Breakfast (open to all) Saturdays 7:30-9 am

► **TLFRC Emancipation Station** 717 E. 31st St
Breakfast Mon-Fri, 8:30-10:00 am, Lunch 12pm (limited)

► **Unity Southeast** 3421 E Meyer Blvd
Breakfast Sunday 9:30-10:30am
Food Pantry Sunday 10-11am
Dinner Wednesday 5:30-7pm

► **Washington Square Park** 100 E Pershing Rd
(provided by Kansas City Heroes) Dinner, Tues 6:30pm-8:00pm

► **Westport Presbyterian Church** 201 Westport Rd
Breakfast Sun. 8-9:30 am
Resource Drop-In Center Fri. 11 am - 3 pm (sack lunches provided while supplies last)

HEALTH

► **Care Beyond the Boulevard @ Independence Boulevard Christian Church** • 606 Gladstone Blvd.
Mon 4pm-7pm and Sat 9am-12pm, 2nd Sat 10am-12pm Mobile food pantry

► **Charith Brook Catholic Worker** • 3308 E. 12th St.
Thurs 5:00pm-7:00pm

► **Heartland Center for Behavioral Change** • **816.421.6670**

► **KC CARE Health Center** • **816.753.5144**
3515 Broadway & 2340 E Meyer Blvd (dental), Confidential, sex positive, judgement free clinic- Free HIV, Hep C, Syphilis testing. Walk-In Testing: Mon & Tues 9:00am-6:00pm and Wed-Fri

► **KC Health Department** • **816.513.6008**
2400 Troost Ave

► **La Clinica** • **816.581.5671** 148 N Topping Ave.
Fridays 9am-4:30pm apt. only, no insurance needed, \$35 copay

► **AccessKC** (Formerly KC Medicine Cabinet) • **816.276.7517**
Vouchers for prescriptions, dental, diabetic supplies, eye exams, eyeglasses, hearing aids, & medical equipment

► **ReDiscover** • **816.966.0900** In-person or telehealth

► **Research Psychiatric Center** • **816.444.8161**
2323 E 63rd St.

► **Samuel U. Rogers Health Center** • **816.474.4920**
825 Euclid Ave Medical, dental, & behavioral health

► **Swope Health Services** • **816.599.5480**
3801 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd.
Free medical, dental, behavioral health, optometry, pediatrics, OB/GYN services, medication assistance, Medicaid applications, Covid & STI testing
Mon-Fri 8:30am-12:00pm & 1:00pm-4:00pm

► **University Health/Behavioral Services** • **816.404.5700**
300 W 19th Terrace Mon-Fri 8:00am-2:00pm

► **Vivent Health** • **816.561.8784** 4309 E 50th Terr., Ste 200
HIV & AIDS services; free HIV/STI testing

GENERAL HELP

► **Catholic Charities Welcome Center** • **816.221.4377**
8001 Longview Road; Kansas City, MO 64134
Client Hours & Basic Needs Assistance (food, diapers, hygiene); Mon-Thurs 9:00am-3:30pm, closed 12-1pm for lunch. Rent/utility assistance calls are taken on Mondays @ 8:30am. First come, first served.

► **Central Presbyterian Church** • **816.931.2515 ext. 2**
3501 Campbell St. Clothing, food pantry, toiletries Wed 9:00 am -11:00 am

► **Community LINC** • **816.531.3272**
4012 Troost Ave., Street homeless Outreach navigators; Transitional Housing for Families

► **Journey to New Life (reentry from incarceration)** • **816.960.4808** 3120 Troost Ave.
Tues., Wed., & Thurs. 9:30am-12:30pm
Assistance with basic needs & employment

► **Legal Aid of Western Missouri** • **816.474.6750**
4001 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd, Ste. 300
Call or schedule an appointment online at lawmo.org

► **Metropolitan Lutheran Ministry** • **816.931.0027**
3031 Holmes (call for appointment)
Rent, utilities, birth certificates, food & diapers

► **Morning Glory Ministries** • **816.842.0416**
416 W. 12th St., Tues-Fri 9am-11am IDs/Records (with a homeless/shelter letter)

► **Redemptorist Social Services** • **816.931.9942**
207 Linwood Blvd Mon-Fri 8:00am-4:00pm (office hours)
Mon-Thurs 10:00am-1:00pm (walk-in client hours)
Food, toiletries & financial assistance

► **Reconciliation Services** • **816.931.4751**
3101 Troost Ave (call for appointment)
Mon-10:00am-5:00pm & Tues-Fri 9:00am-5:00pm
Health/medication, utilities, ID/birth certificates, mental health services, therapy & case management

► **SAVE, Inc.** • 816.531.8340, ext. 200
Housing assistance for individuals with HIV/AIDS, substance abuse, and mental health illnesses

► **Second Chance** • **816.231.0450**
3100 Broadway, Suite 302
(justice-involved, call for appointment)

► **St. Paul's Episcopal Church** • **816.931.2850**
40th & Main (south side of church), Tuesdays appointment only (call), Wed. 5:30-7:30pm, Saturdays 9-11am except 3rd Sat, 10am-12pm. Food pantry & personal care items

► **Street Support KC** • 10th & Baltimore, 1st Saturday/month 9am, Backpacks, sleeping bags, sack lunches, clothes etc.

► **The Salvation Army** • **816.483.8484** 3013 E. 9th St.
Mon, Wed, & Fri 9:00am-12:00pm & 1:00pm-2:30pm
Rent, utilities assistance & food pantry

► **True Light Family Resource Center** • **816.561.1700**
712 E 31st St Mon-Thurs. 10-12pm, 1-3pm, Fri. 10-12pm
Emergency food, diapers & toiletries, clothes, furniture
Mon-Fri. 10-12pm, 1-3pm (by appointment for water assistance)

SHELTER

► **City Union Mission Family Center** • **816.474.4599**
1310 Wabash Ave (call for availability)

► **City Union Mission Men's Shelter** • **816.474.4599**
1108 E. 10th St. (call for availability)

► **Hope House (domestic violence)** • **816.461.4673**

► **Newhouse (domestic violence)** • **816.471.5800**

► **reStart, Inc** • **816.472.5664** 918 E. 9th St (call for appt)

► **Relentless Pursuit Outreach and Recovery Drop-in Center** • **816.301.5571** 2477 Hotline
5108 Independence Ave
Tues, Wed, Fri, & Sat, 11:00am- 4:00pm
Anti-human trafficking (women only)

► **Rose Brooks Center (domestic violence)** • **816.861.6100**

► **Shelter KC** • **816.421.7643** 1520 Cherry St.
Intake 9:00am-3:00pm daily; check in 3:30pm-5:00pm
Men's shelter & recovery center, 4:30pm "Taste & See"

► **Shelter KC Women's Center** • **816.348.3287**
Residential recovery for single homeless women

► **Synergy Services (Domestic Violence Center)** • **816.321.7050**

► **Teresa's Place** • **816.531.8340**
Low barrier shelter for LGBTQ+ young adults (18-24)

► **The Salvation Army Adult Rehabilitation Center (ARC)** • **816.421.5434** 1351 E. 10th St. (call for intake)

► **TLFRC Emancipation Station** • **816.531.1300**
717 E. 31st St. M-F 8:30am-3:00pm (day shelter for women, lunch provided at 12pm)

► **ReHope** • **816.793.0500**
Residential program for women recovering from commercial

Today's high Near record

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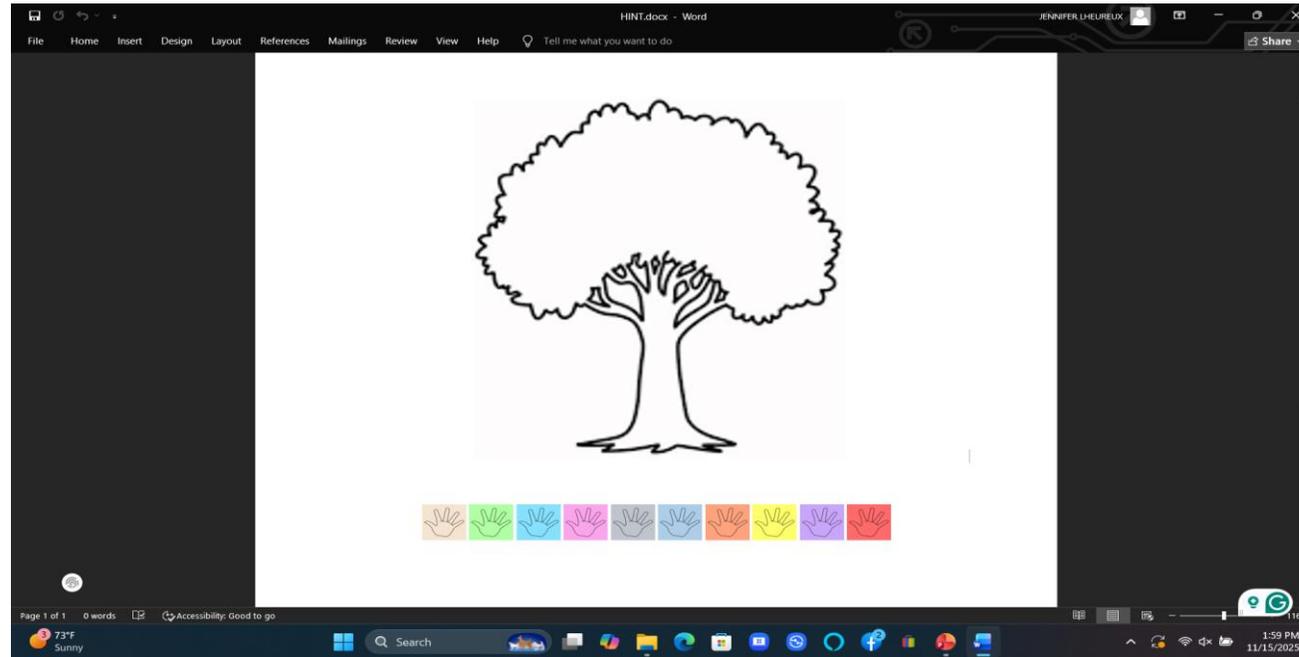
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H.I.N.T.

A new SOC Initiative called the Hand in Need Tree



Hand in Need Tree-How it Works



Categories: Housing, Food, Health, Clothes, Pets, Employment, Utility, Transportation, and Other

Hand in Need Tree-How it Works

- Hand in Need Tree-To Give
- Hand in Need Tree-To Receive
- The same hands (categories) will be on each tree.
- You click the hand or category desired. This will take you to a document that lists what is being sought or donated.
- For example, if you are on the Tree to Give and click “Food”, this is where you will find a list of who has food to offer.
- For example, if you are on the Tree to Receive and click “Food”, this is where you will find a list of who needs food.

Hand in Need Tree-How it Works

- More specifically, if you are on the Tree to Receive and click “Food” and say, for example, someone is asking for a dozen eggs, and you want to fulfill that, you will then be directed on how to do that!
- The idea is to continuously match people in need with people who may have that item to give.
- Eliminate waste and more efficiently and effectively get things to where they need to be!

I Know This Person Who is Needing...



Just for YOU!!!



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- Yoga Patch: [Yoga Patch | Kansas City Yoga Studio](#)
 - One week of pre-recorded virtual classes for all providers, FREE OF CHARGE. The SOC's way of thanking you for all that you do! Please reach out to me if you would like a pass!
- Every year-end, the SOC recognizes the fantastic work done by all of its members by donating to causes important to you. This year is no exception, and we will have **\$1500 to distribute!** Please reach out to me with the information on where you want me to send **YOUR** money! As always, I will send you the receipt to show the donation.

Updates and Announcements



Before You Go...

- Any final thoughts, comments?
- The SOC can still provide some assistance for Thanksgiving, please reach out if you know of someone in need.
- The SOC can also assist during other holidays such as Christmas and more.
- Don't forget that the SOC continues to have as an initiative, "Helping Hands" that can provide some small financial assistance!
- The year-end report will come out in December as will the strategic plan for 2026.

Not Just Yet...

- The December SOC meeting is on the 23rd and will be the traditional “un-meeting” in that there is no formal agenda or presentations. Please join us if you are looking for last minute resources or just need support in some way!

