# Services Offered: Food

# ACTION MINISTRIES, INC.

Action Ministries is a faith-based organization serving the hunger, housing and education needs of the people of north Georgia.

Services Offered: homeless services, food, family resources

Web Site: www.actionministries.net

Email Address: reachout@actionministries.net

Hours of Operation: Varies by location

Contact Information: See website for location contacts (404) 881-1991

**Agency Phone Information:** 

Agency Address(es):

1700 Century Circle NE Suite 200 Atlanta GA 30345

## **BLESSINGS IN A BACKPACK**

Feeds hungry children on the weekends, whose families qualify for free and reduced lunches. Backpacks stuffed with food are given to students on Friday and returned on Monday. Currently no schools are sponsored in Cobb County. The purpose of the program is to increase academic success.

Services Offered: Food

Web Site: www.blessingsinabackpack.org

Email Address: m2zekic@yahoo.com

Hours of Operation:

Contact Information: Myrna Lee (Facilitator) 770-456-5748

Agency Phone Information:

800-872-4366

Agency Address(es):

Headquarters - 4121 Shelbyville Rd. Louisville KY 40207

# CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICES (DISASTER RESPONSE ASSISTANCE)

The agency provides resources and assistance for victims of disasters who are in need of rent, food, utilities and mortgage assistance due to damage caused by severe weather.

Services Offered: Financial Services, family resources, food

Web Site: www.catholiccharitiesatlanta.org

Email Address: sthompson@catholiccharitiesatlanta.org

Hours of Operation:

Contact Information: Sandy Thompson, LPC 404-920-7748

**Agency Phone Information:** 

404-881-6571

Agency Address(es):

Atlanta GA 30308

## CENTER FOR FAMILY RESOURCES

CFR assists clients with rent, utilities, transportation, and food. Holiday assistance available. Offers employment counseling, GED classes, and literacy classes. Referral to transitional shelter & short term housing for homeless. ONE-TIME HELP AGENCY FOR MAJOR ITEMS. Must have Social Security card, birth certificate for all household members and picture ID.

**Services Offered:** Career/Employment Services, Educational and Support Groups, Family Resources, Food, GED Programs, Homeless Services, Housing/Home-ownership, Transportation

Web Site: www.thecfr.org

Email Address: info@thecfr.org

Hours of Operation: Intake Hours - Mon Tues Thurs 9-12 & 1-4 Wed 1-4 Fri 9-12

Contact Information: 770-428-2601

**Agency Phone Information:** 

770-428-2601

#### Agency Address(es):

995 Roswell St, Suite 100 Marietta GA 30060

CENTER FOR PAN ASIAN COMMUNITY SERVICES/IMMIGRATION SERVICES www.cobbk12.org/centraloffice/ESOL - additional information Cobb Satellite located in Emmanuel Church in East Cobb. Has various staff members who speak other languages to assist families when there is a language barrier, including RTI & IEP meetings. Also offer ESL classes,translations,and ASP programs for elementary and middle school ages; Tues, Wed, Thurs 4-6pm. Services free of charge but must provide own transportation. Main office location is on Buford Highway,(770)936-0969. They offer more extensive programs and services than the Cobb satellite.

**Services Offered:** International Services, Bilingual Services, child care/day care, transportation, career/employment services, food

Web Site: www.icpacs.org

Email Address: cpacs@cpacs.org

Hours of Operation: M,T, Thur - 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Contact Information: 770-936-0969

**Agency Phone Information:** 

F 770-458-9377

#### Agency Address(es):

Main Office, 3510 Shallowford Road Atlanta GA 30341

# COBB COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT (FREE/REDUCED LUNCH)

For free and reduced lunch application, visit the Cobb County School District homepage, look under "lunch menus" then click "online meal application" on left hand side. Application also found at website listed on this database.

Services Offered: Food, family resources, financial services

Web Site: www.cobbk12.org/centraloffice/foodservices

**Email Address:** 

Hours of Operation:

Contact Information: Local school cafeteria manager

Agency Phone Information:

Agency Address(es):

# COBB DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY & CHILDREN SERVICES (DFCS) - FOOD STAMPS

Apply on-line at www.compass.ga.gov. Website navigation: go to services tab and click on Foodstamps.

Services Offered: Food

Web Site: www.dfcs.dhr.georgia.gov

**Email Address:** 

Hours of Operation: Delete this info

**Contact Information:** 

**Agency Phone Information:** 

1-877-423-4746

Agency Address(es):

325 Fairground Street SE Marietta GA 30060

#### Encompass Ministry, Inc.

Provides food without income restrictions or proof of any kind for any family. Also has free employment services such as computer classes and interviewing skills. Also provides after school tutoring and goal setting classes.

Services Offered: Food, Career / Employment, tutoring

Web Site: www.encompassministry.org

Email Address: admin@encompassministry

Hours of Operation: Tuesday through Saturday

Contact Information: Lynne Saunders 770-591-4707

Agency Phone Information:

770-591-4730 fax: 770-591-4707

Agency Address(es):

6551 Commerce Pkwy Woodstock GA 30185

#### FAMILY LIFE RESTORATION CENTER

This is a center for homeless & others in need. Services currently provided: food, clothing, showers. Plan to offer in the near future a computer lab with job seeking assistance & a

health clinic. For food/clothing, client must have photo ID, proof of residency, and social security card.

**Services Offered:** Family Resources, Food, Clothes, Homeless Services, Career/Employment Services, Medical Resources

Web Site: www.familyliferestorationcenter.org

Email Address: info@flrconline.org

Hours of Operation: Hours 10:00 - 3:00 pm M-F Tu-F

Contact Information: 770) 944-1066

Agency Phone Information:

770-944-1066

Agency Address(es):

6105 Mableton Parkway Mableton GA 30126

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF MABLETON FOOD PANTRY

For Austell, Mableton and Powder Springs residents only. Food pantry is open every Tuesday from 2-4. New families need to arrive by 3 and bring proof of residence (utility bill, lease, ID with address listed). Families may receive food once a month

Services Offered: Food

Web Site: www.fbcmableton.com

Email Address:

**Hours of Operation:** Tuesday from 2-4. New clients need to arrive by 3 in order to complete paperwork and receive resources

Contact Information: 770-948-2687

**Agency Phone Information:** 

770-948-2687

Agency Address(es):

5385 Church Street Mableton GA 30126

## FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF MARIETTA

Food pantry for Cobb residents on Mondays from 10-2pm. Must provide 2 forms of ID such as social security card or some form of ID for all people in home. May access pantry up to 6 times per year. ID required for food pick- up. Also has Christian 12-step program recovery groups.

Services Offered: Drug Assessment/Treatment, Food

Web Site: www.fccmariettaga.org

Email Address: fccmariettaga@comcast.net

**Hours of Operation:** Food: Monday and Saturday 9-12. AA Wednesday 5-6. Gamblers Anonymous Wednesday 7:45-8:45

Contact Information: 770-428-3125

**Agency Phone Information:** 

Agency Address(es):

569 Frasier Street Marietta GA 30060

## Food Finder GA

FoodFinderGA is a free smartphone app developed by a Georgia Public Schools graduate it's available on the Apple App Store or Google Play right now (search: foodfinder), or online at www.foodfinderga.org. The app creates a 100% anonymous, direct connection between students & families who need food and their closest free food providers.

Services Offered: Food

Web Site: http://www.foodfinderga.org/

Email Address: info@foodfinderga.org

Hours of Operation:

Contact Information: Executive Director: Lynn Griffin 770-527-2181

Agency Phone Information:

Agency Address(es):

# GATEWAY OUTREACH MINISTRIES, INC. (HOMELESS?MENTAL HEALTH)

Gateway Outreach Ministries, Inc. is a faith-based community outreach ministry founded to render assistance to needy families, individuals and homeless people in the Atlanta metro area and beyond. Serves as a resource center during the day and an evening emergency response center.

Services Offered: Clothes, Food, Homeless Services, Mental Health

Web Site: www.gatewayctr.org

**Email Address:** 

Hours of Operation: Mon. - Fri. 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

**Contact Information:** 

**Agency Phone Information:** 

404-215-6600 Administrative Main Desk Client Engagement Center 404-215-6615 Director of Veterans Program - Tonya Boose 404-215-6653

#### Agency Address(es):

Mailing Address: 275 Pryor Street Atlanta GA 30303

#### GraceLife Church

food pantry tuesdays be there by 10 am (client select) and first wed and 3rd sat of the month (drive through)

Services Offered: food pantry

Web Site: http://www.gracelife.faith/

Email Address: secretary@gracelife.faith

Hours of Operation:

Contact Information: Melinda Helms, Secretary 770-971-4232

Agency Phone Information:

Agency Address(es):

1083 Allgood Rd. Marietta GA 30062 Email: info@gracelife.faith

# HERITAGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (FOOD PANTRY AND CLOTHING CLOSET)

Food pantry workers serve to give people an emergency supply of food. Request must be made by phone and NO WALK INs are taken. Appointments only.

Services Offered: food

Web Site: www.heritagepres.com

**Email Address:** 

Hours of Operation:

Contact Information: Beth Cox 770-926-3558

**Agency Phone Information:** 

Agency Address(es):

Heritage Presbyterian Church, 5323 Bells Ferry Road Acworth GA 30102

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Web Site: www.heritagepres.com

Email Address:

Hours of Operation:

Contact Information: Beth Cox 770-926-3558

**Agency Phone Information:** 

Agency Address(es):

5323 Bells Ferry Road Acworth GA 30102

#### In the Meantime Ministries - The Shephard's House

Box/bag of food to anyone who asks, regardless of income. No set limit on how often a person can pick up food, but it is monitored.

Services Offered: Food, Family Resources

Web Site: www.inthemeantime.org/food-pantry

Email Address: doninthemt@aol.com

Hours of Operation: Mon. - Sat. 11AM - 3PM Tues & Thurs 10-12

Contact Information: 770-792-0097

Agency Phone Information:

Agency Address(es):

933 Roswell Street 186 Alexander Street Marietta GA 30060

## Milford Baptist Church

Each Thursday from 4-7 PM, 250 full boxes of food are provided to the people of the Milford community. Other boxes are available on Sunday's immediately after Morning Worship. Over 1/2 million pounds of food is distributed by this ministry this year. At different times during the year, Milford provides "Goodwill Gift Cards" in order for families to purchase back to school clothes and winter items. Twice each year, Milford hosts an extensive health fair in cooperation with Wellstar Health systems and the Kennesaw State University School of Nursing. After an evaluation, guidance and assistance are provided to guide people to the resources for physical and mental health treatment.

#### Services Offered: Food

Web Site: milfordbaptistchurch.com

**Email Address:** 

Hours of Operation:

Contact Information: 770 435-8720

Agency Phone Information:

Agency Address(es):

1030 Milford Church Rd. Marietta GA 30060

# MOUNT ZION AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Food Pantry/Clothing Closet

Services Offered: Food; Clothes

Web Site: http://mtzionamekennesaw.org/food-clothing-pantry/

Email Address:

Hours of Operation: Wednesday 5-7PM

Contact Information: 770-499-8126

**Agency Phone Information:** 

Agency Address(es):

4163 Wade Green Road Kennesaw GA 30144

#### MUST MINISTRIES MARIETTA (CLOTHES & FOOD)

Households may receive food free of charge; anyone can receive bakery items daily donated by local grocery stores. New and used clothing free of charge to Cobb County residents in need. Clients must provide photo I.D. and proof of residency.

Services Offered: Clothes, Food

Web Site: www.mustministries.org

**Email Address:** 

Hours of Operation:

Contact Information: 770-427-9862

Agency Phone Information:

Agency Address(es):

1407 Cobb Parkway Marietta GA 30062

# MUST MINISTRIES SMYRNA (CLOTHES & FOOD)

The MUST Ministries Smyrna Client Services offers food, clothing, workforce development, as well as breads & sweets. Here, clients receive food and clothing assistance, referral assistance and job assistance. Clients participate in a variety of classes in the classroom and in the computer lab, assisted by volunteers and staff.

Services Offered: Clothes, Food, family resources, career/employment services

Web Site: https://www.mustministries.org/smyrna

**Email Address:** 

Hours of Operation:

Contact Information: 770-436-9514

**Agency Phone Information:** 

Agency Address(es):

460 Pat Mell Road Smyrna GA 30080

### RAY THOMAS MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Food pantry open Thurs: 10am-12pm but Recipients must call ahead no later than noon on Tuesday of the week they need food to make an appointment: At times receives furniture and clothing donations. Call first to check availability. Church also offers ESL classes. RTM members teach English to Portuguese-speaking, Korean-speaking and Spanish-speaking individuals through a program that combines conversation and Christian friendship.

Services Offered: Food, clothes, furniture, international services, Bilingual Services

Web Site: www.rtmchurch.org

Email Address:

Hours of Operation: see below

Contact Information: 770-998-9321 x221

**Agency Phone Information:** 

Agency Address(es):

4644 Sandy Plains Road Marietta GA 30066

### SALVATION ARMY

Financial Emergency Services Provides emergency and life-sustaining assistance with food, clothing, rent/mortgage, utilities, school supplies and furniture to individuals and families facing a financial crisis. FES appointments are taken on Monday at 9:00 am. Call 770-724-1652 for more information. Food Pantry Open Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 1 pm – 3 pm. Shower and Laundry Ministry By appointment only. Available Tuesdays 10 am-2 pm, 6 pm-8 pm; Wednesday 10 am-2 pm; Thursday 10 am-2: pm, 6 pm-8 pm. Music Conservatory for Children and Adults one hour, eight week small group piano/keyboard class is offered at \$75 a semester. Contact Erico Bennett, Community Center Director at 770-724-1648.

Services Offered: Family Resources, Food, Clothes, Financial Services

Web Site: www.salvationarmyatlanta.org

**Email Address:** 

Hours of Operation: varies; see below

**Contact Information:** 

**Agency Phone Information:** 

770-724-1640

Agency Address(es):

202 Waterman Street Marietta GA 30060

#### SIMPLE NEEDS

Services Offered: homeless, food

Web Site: simpleneedsga.org

Email Address: info@simpleneedsga.org

Hours of Operation:

Contact Information: can e-mail from website/ Brenda Rhodes

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#### Agency Phone Information:

678-266-3344

#### Agency Address(es):

PO Box 670265 Marietta GA 30066

### St. Joseph's Church Food Bank

"Food pantry open every Monday 10am-3pm (except for holidays). No limits on how often food is received--must have photo ID to pick up. Pantry is located behind Kennestone Hospital. Limited assistance for rent and utilities. Able to provide vouchers to St. Vincent de Paul thrift store (Roswell St.) for clothing and limited furniture. (Family to express needs at food pantry for referral/voucher). "

Services Offered: Clothes, Financial Services, Food, Furniture

Web Site:

**Email Address:** 

Hours of Operation: Mondays 10am-3pm

Contact Information: Hotline 770-425-5158

**Agency Phone Information:** 

Agency Address(es):

87 Lacy Street Marietta GA 30060

# ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (LOCATION INFORMATION BY ZIP CODE)

Financial assistance for those in need. Must call local Catholic Church and ask for the St. Vincent de Paul Society. Or, call (7) 458-9607 to locate the church that serves a particular zip code. Most churches assist with rent, utilities, food, and other expenses. The following is a list of some local Catholic Parishes and zip codes served; St. Joseph: 30060,30064,30008 (770)425-5158; St. Ann: 30062,30068,30075,30076 (770)552-6400 x 6105; St. Thomas/Apostle: 30060,30080,30082,30126 (770)432-8579 x300; Holy Family:

30067 (770)973-7400; Transfiguration: 30066, 30062 (portion),30188(portion) (770) 977-1442 x142; St. Thomas Aquinas: 30076 (770)475-4501 x217; St Peter Chanel: 30075 (678)832-1281 x7016; St Catherine of Siena: 30101,30102,30152,30144 (678)494-2242; St Juan Vianney(no rent or mortgage help): 30106,30122,30126,30127 (770) 941-2807 x4

**Services Offered:** Family Resources, helplines, financial services, clothes, medical resources, food, legal

Web Site: www.svdpatl.org

Email Address: assistance@svdpgeorgia.org

Hours of Operation:

Contact Information: 678-892-6160

Agency Phone Information:

(678) 892-6163 (direct aid) (770) 458-5415 (esol, GED prep)

Agency Address(es):

#### STOREHOUSE MINISTRIES

Individuals/families may receive food box assistance up to 5 times in a calendar year, including Thanksgiving/Christmas box assistance. The requests must be at least one month apart. Limited amount of utility assistance is also available - up to \$100. Families just need to call the number-they will send food and utility assistance to local church for pick up.

Services Offered: Food, Financial Services, Holiday Resources

Web Site: www.noondayba.org/

Email Address:

Hours of Operation:

Contact Information: Karen Stevens, Coordinator 770-422-3347

Agency Phone Information:

(770) 422-3347

Agency Address(es):

1348 Canton RD NE Marietta GA 30066

#### SWEETWATER MISSION - FINANCIAL

Financial help for South Cobb residents only. Also has clothing, food, school supplies and holiday help. Must have photo IDs & Social Security cards on all members of household & proof of income and residency. Only takes calls on Tues. Make appointments from messages based on need. Serves those in Clarkdale, Powder Springs, Austell and Mableton. We provide a one-time lifetime gift of financial assistance for: household utilities, rent, prescription medication. Specific information is required and can be determined at the time of request.

**Services Offered:** Financial Services, clothing, food, holiday resources, medical resources, prescription/pharmacy resources

Web Site: www.sweetwatermission.org

Email Address: darlene@sweetwatermission.org

Hours of Operation: Hours: Mon-Fri 9am-2pm; Takes calls on Tuesdays only

Contact Information: Darlene Duke/Larry Garcia

**Agency Phone Information:** 

770-819-0662

#### Agency Address(es):

6289 Veteran's Memorial Hwy, Bldg. 12 Austell GA 30168

## SWEETWATER MISSION - FOOD

Food pantry for residents of Austell, Clarkdale, Mableton and Powder Springs. We provide food for qualifying families or individuals six times with a minimum of 30 days between visits. As needed clients can re-apply for continued services by re-verifying their household income and residence.

Services Offered: Food

Web Site: www.sweetwatermission.org

Email Address: jay@sweetwatermission.org

Hours of Operation: Open Mon-Fri 9am-2pm

Contact Information: Jay Cantrell 770-819-0662

#### **Agency Phone Information:**

770-819-0662

Agency Address(es):

6289 Veterans Memorial Hwy, Bldg. 12 Austell GA

## SWEETWATER MISSION - GENERAL

"Originally a small clothing distribution center, the organization has grown into a multifaceted agency offering emergency assistance with food, clothing, and financial aid to thousands of our neighbors each year. Clothes closet for residents of Austell, Clarkdale, Mableton, and Powder Springs only. Located in Austell by Wallace BBQ - turn at Joe's Package store, right of Line Street. On corner of Hotel and Line Street."

Services Offered: Clothes, food, family resources, financial services

Web Site: www.sweetwatermission.org

Email Address: darlene@sweetwatermission.org

Hours of Operation: Open 9 am - 2pm Monday through Friday

**Contact Information: Darlene Duke** 

Agency Phone Information:

770-819-0662 770-948-5402

#### Agency Address(es):

6289 Veteran's Memorial Hwy, Bldg. 12 Austell GA 30168 Sweetwater Valley Community Action Mission Program, Inc

### THE SINGLE PARENT NETWORK

Resources and support for single parents, including small groups, single parents web app, finanical training, and divorce education/co-parenting

**Services Offered:** Collaborative Resources/Miscellaneous, Educational and Support Groups, Family Resources, Food, Housing/Home-ownership, Out of District Website resources.

Web Site: http://supportforsingleparents.org

Email Address: info@supportforsingleparents.org

Hours of Operation:

Contact Information: 405-917-1817

Agency Phone Information:

Agency Address(es):

## TRAVELER'S AID (HOPE ATLANTA)

Helps homeless individuals and families return home if have been in GA less than 90 days. Assists stranded people new to Cobb with referrals to temporary shelter. Provides bus tokens for newcomers seeking jobs and referrals for clothing and food. Other Programs and Services: Emergency Shelter/Lodging; Transitional Housing; Reunification; Region wide Outreach; First Month's Rent; Homelessness Prevention; Domestic Violence; HIV/AIDS; Eviction Prevention; The Stepping Ahead! Program; Permanent Supportive Housing for Persons with Disabilities; Housing for Chronically Homeless; and Airport Meet and Greet Services.

**Services Offered:** Financial Services, homeless, clothing, food, HIV/AIDS, family resources, domestic violence, disabled, housing/home ownership

Web Site: www.hopeatlanta.org

Email Address: info@HOPEatlanta.org

Hours of Operation:

Contact Information: 404-817-7070

Agency Phone Information:

404-817-7070 Fax: 404-223-0968

#### Agency Address(es):

34 Peachtree Street NW, Suite 700 Atlanta GA 30303

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#### **UNITED WAY 211**

Gives an extensive list of resources for 13 metro counties for all types of needs including mental health, employment, food, utility assistance and shelter.

**Services Offered:** Career/Employment Services, Financial Services, Family Resources, Financial Services, Helplines, counseling agencies/treatment facilities, domestic violence, food, furniture

Web Site: http://211online.unitedwayatlanta.org/

Email Address: info@unitedwayatlanta.org

Hours of Operation:

**Contact Information:** 

**Agency Phone Information:** 

211; or text your zipcode to 898211 main number 404-527-7200 404-614-1000

Agency Address(es):

40 Courtland St NE Atlanta GA 30303