

Charitable Opportunities for Meetings

There are several Phoenix organizations that have put together an overview of service projects that conferences could help them with, go to:

<https://www.visitphoenix.com/meetings/planning-a-meeting/charitable-opportunities/> for more information and contact details to reach out.

Additional ideas:

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul

PO Box 13600, Phoenix, AZ 85002

www.stvincentdepaul.net

Located at 2021 S 3rd Drive, Phoenix, Az, 85003

- 1. Kitchen Crew** (Maximum group size of 20 people)
6:30-am-6:30 pm (2.5-hour minimum shifts)
Minimum age of 10 with adult and 16 on own
Preparation of over 4,000 meals every day to be served in one of our 5 dining rooms.
- 2. Food and Clothing Bank** (Maximum group size of 20 people)
Tuesday through Friday 7 am – 3 pm (2.5-hour minimum shifts)
The minimum age is 6 with an adult
Help sort donated food and clothing which will be distributed to our community in need via over 80 neighborhood church offices in central Arizona.
- 3. Pizza Making** (Maximum group size of 10 people)
Fridays from 12:30 pm – 3 pm or 3 pm - 5:30 pm
Minimum age of 10 with adult and 16 on own
Preparation of over 4,000 meals every day to be served in one of our 5 dining rooms.
- 4. Meal Service Main Campus & Food Box Distribution** (Max group size of 10 ppl)
Hours: Monday-Friday 3:30 pm to 6:30 pm
Minimum age of 9 with adult and 14 on own
Duties include Volunteer waiters and waitresses, salad bar attendants, set-up of and clean-up of restaurant-style dining environment. Distribute take-home supplies for families in need.
- 5. Rob and Melani Walton Urban Farm** (Maximum group size of 20 people)
Tuesday - Saturday 6 am-9 am
Minimum age is 6 with adult
Help prepare the soil and harvest produce which will add nutritious food to the many meals served to our neighbors in need.
- 6. Bike Shop** (Maximum group size of 5 people)
Monday to Friday 8 am - 2:30 pm (2.5-hour minimum shifts)
The minimum age is 14 with an adult or 16 on own
Help fix up donated bikes for our neighbors in need.

Additional location options:

**1. Meal Service - Human Services Campus (Maximum group size of 10 people)
Seven Days a Week – 9:30 am - 1 pm**

The minimum age is 14 with adult and 16 on own

Help hand out nutritious meals to individuals experiencing homelessness.

Location: 1300 W Harrison Street, Phoenix, AZ 85007

**2. Thrift Store Support – (Maximum group size of 10 people)
Tuesday-Saturday 9 am–6 pm* (3-hour minimum shifts)**

Minimum age is 14 with adult or 16 on own

Help us receive, sort, and display household treasures donated by nearby homes.

Locations: North Phoenix, Mesa, *Sunnyslope (only on Saturdays)*, and Surprise.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is dedicated to feeding, clothing, housing, and healing individuals and families in our community who have nowhere else to turn for help. As important, SVdP provides meaningful opportunities for volunteers to serve their neighbors in need with love and compassion.

SVdP has been serving our community throughout central and northern Arizona since 1946. Programs include:

- Services for the homeless.
- Medical and dental care for the working poor.
- Charity dining rooms that serve thousands each day.
- Food boxes for hungry families.
- Thrift stores throughout the region.
- A bridge housing shelter.
- General assistance for individuals in need.

We provide help for people's physical, mental, and spiritual needs. By doing this with care and respect, we show them that they matter, and they are children of God.

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Volunteer Engagement Office
Office Phone: 602-261-6841
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Phoenix Rescue Mission

Mission Support Center
1540 W. Van Buren Street, Phoenix AZ 85007

Community Service Project Ideas

1. **Hope Tote Packing Party** – street outreach team offers homeless individuals a hope tote with toiletries and water on their daily visits throughout the Valley. Groups can do a drive for the items and / or put together the items that are packed in plastic bags. The Mission will provide the bags, and boxes to pack for the teams. A checklist of requested items is available depending on the time of year. Group size is flexible.
2. **Onsite Spruce Up at the Campus** – groups can help with landscaping, cleaning, and painting projects onsite at the Mission Campus. Estimate two to three hours of work. Group size could be as large as 150 people.

Volunteer age – 12 years and older for on campus projects, drives and packing can be open to all ages.

A leading provider of Christ-centered life transforming solutions to person facing hunger, homelessness, addiction, and trauma,

Contact: Rachel Dallmann
Organizational Partnerships Officer
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Tempe Community Action Agency (TCA)

1208 E. Broadway Road, Ste 111, Tempe AZ 85282
www.tempeaction.org

Tempe Community Action Agency's mission is to foster dignity and self-reliance in the economically vulnerable within the communities we serve. For more than 55 years, TCA has capably addressed the causes and effects of poverty in Tempe and surrounding communities.

Community Service Project Ideas

1. Food Pantry
2. Meal Provider for the I-HELP Shelter Program
3. Neighbors Helping Neighbors
4. Virtual Volunteer Projects
5. Hygiene Kits
6. Survival Bags
7. Pet Drive
8. Food & Fun Drive

TCA can provide the materials to put together bags or boxes, or the groups may use a list and put together kits. TCA will pick up completed kits or boxes.

Contact: Brooke Nelson
Phone: 480-422-8922 or 480-549-0838
Email: brooken@tempeaction.org
Or info@tempeaction.org – Group Volunteers

UMOM New Day Centers

3333 E. Van Buren Street, Phoenix, AZ 85008
www.umom.org

Community Service Project Ideas

1. Welcome Baskets – new residents receive a welcome basket that includes toiletries, laundry soap, paper towels, and more. Groups can do a drive for the items, can put together the baskets, etc. Group size is flexible. A list of items can be given.
2. Read to Me – volunteers 8 years* or older can read to children in the afternoon or on holiday breaks. Group size could be 20 – 25 people.

3. Meal Service – serving meals at either the main campus for families or / and across the street for women so 5 – 10 people can serve a meal.
4. Donation Center / Clothing Closet – organizing and sorting donations into categories. Group size is flexible.

*Volunteer age – 16 years and older for most projects, Read to Me volunteers can be as young as 8 years old with a parent present.

In 1964, members of the Desert Southwest Conference of the United Methodist Church (back then called the Arizona Methodist Church Extension Society) created what would come to be known as United Methodist Outreach Ministries or UMOM. The early work of this faithful group was 'urban-centered ministries' that included relief for transients and backyard playgrounds for impoverished neighborhoods.

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Valley of the Sun United Way

3200 E. Camelback Road, Suite 375, Phoenix, AZ 85018-2328

www.vsuw.org

Valley of the Sun United Way envisions a community where every child, family and individual is healthy, has a safe place to live, and has every opportunity to succeed in school, in life and in work. As we work with our community, corporate and nonprofit partners to implement MC2026, our five-year plan for Mighty Change, we will put all of our efforts toward reaching bold goals for Maricopa County in Health, Housing and Homelessness, Education and Workforce Development.

Community Service Project Ideas

1. Mindfulness Kits
2. Pantry Packs
3. Book-in-a-Bag
4. Encouragement Cards
5. Encouragement Bookmarks
6. Summer Heat Relief and Hygiene Kits
7. Teacher Supply Kits
8. School Supply Drive
9. Paper a School with Positivity
10. Interview Kits
11. STEAM Kits
12. Garden Kits
13. Bright Lights STEAM Kit Assembly
14. College Success Drive

Phone: 602-631-4800
Email: volunteer@vsuw.org

Phoenix Non-profit Community Medical Programs

Phoenix Allies for Community Health – PACH

2902 W. Clarendon Avenue, Phoenix AZ 85017

623-455-6470

www.azpach.org

A nonprofit dedicated to improving health outcomes in marginalized low-income communities of working poor who have minimal access to primary care. We are committed to providing high quality care, with respect and dignity, to medically marginalized people in the Phoenix area.

PACH currently provides healthcare, free of cost, to those who have no ability to obtain insurance or other healthcare assistance. We at PACH also work with, and provide support to, those who provide health education to the underserved, including hosting free cooking and nutrition classes, community gardens and diabetes support groups, community health promoters and yoga instruction.

The Neighborhood Christian Clinic

1929 W Fillmore St Bldg. C

Phoenix, AZ 85009

(602) 258-6008

www.tnccclinic.org

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Help provide Dental & Medical healthcare to the uninsured and underserved while sharing the love and gospel of Jesus Christ. Help equip healthcare professionals to share God's love. Thank you for your interest in the Clinic; there are multiple ways to be involved in the Clinic's ministry.

Wesley Community & Health Center @ Central City

1300 S. 10th Street

Phoenix, AZ 85034

www.wesleychc.org/health-center-services

At Wesley Health Centers, our services are focused on providing high-quality healthcare to everyone who comes to us regardless of financial means. We are an FQHC (Federally Qualified Health Center) where we meet or exceed the highest standards set by the Federal Government. Wesley Health Centers offer an array of primary care services for the whole family. We offer primary care for children and adults.

Mission of Mercy

360 E Coronado Rd, Suite 160, Phoenix, AZ, USA

301-682-5683

<https://www.amissionofmercy.org/>

To ensure that the medically underserved have access to affordable quality health care.
To be a national voice promoting quality health care for all.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul Virginia G. Piper Medical & Dental Clinic

420 W Watkins Rd, Phoenix, AZ, USA

602-254-3338

<https://www.stvincentdepaul.net/>

The Virginia G. Piper Medical Clinic at St. Vincent de Paul is a free clinic that fills a gap in the health care system by serving uninsured and underserved patients. Often, these patients have employment but make the tough choice between putting food on the table, paying for rent, or affording health insurance premium or visit to the doctor at full price. Too often these circumstances result in patients delaying care until a condition reaches crisis level and lands them in the emergency room.

UMOM

3333 E. Van Buren Street

Phoenix, AZ 85008

www.umom.org

Wellness Center. In partnership with Phoenix Children's Hospital, kids receive immunizations, medical care, vision, and hearing screenings and more. Health care services for adults are also available through partnerships with [Health Care for the Homeless](#) and [Circle the City](#).

UMOM New Day Centers strives to meet the highest standards in philanthropy through transparency, clear communication, honoring donation intent, and so much more. That is why we abide by the Donor Bill of Rights advanced by the Association of Fundraising Professionals.

Phoenix Non-profit Community Dental Programs

Arizona Dental Foundation

3193 N. Drinkwater Blvd.

Scottsdale, AZ 85251

www.azdentalfoundation.org

The Arizona Dental Foundation (ADF) keeps Arizona smiling by responding to the oral health needs of vulnerable populations. We do this by mobilizing volunteers; identifying and linking resources; and providing educational opportunities for dental professionals.

AZ Dental Mission of Mercy – AZMOM

Central Arizona Dental Society Foundation

5300 N Central Ave., Suite 200

Phoenix, AZ 85012

Phone: 602-567-3617

<https://www.azmom.org/>

To provide charitable dental care and education to Arizonans, reducing health risks and suffering for those in need. Improve the quality of life for those who suffer from dental disease.

100% of your donation to Central Arizona Dental Society Foundation (CADSF) goes directly to our oral health events and the patients - NOT administrative costs!

Financially Related Non-Profit Organization

Helping Hands for Single Moms

Helping Hands for Single Moms' mission is assisting low-income single mom families as the mother attains a post-secondary, financial independence, and positive family legacy.

Chris Coffman, CEO

P: 602-796-7875

360 E. Coronado Road, Ste 150, Phoenix, AZ 85004

www.helpinghandsforsinglemoms.org

Washington Street Foundation

WSF is a non-profit 501c3 that provides long-term mentoring and financial assistance to students with outstanding potential needing on a foundation of support to reach their potential through education.

Laura Libman, CEO

602-313-5944

1540 E. Maryland Avenue, Ste 200, Phoenix AZ 85014

www.wsfkids.org

New Pathways for Youth

Transforming the lives of youth by providing the support, stability, and skills they need to flourish in the community and in their families. Every young person can live their life with joy and purpose, confident in their ability to decide their own path. Serving youth facing poverty and 3x the adversity of their peers. The youth we serve are ages 13 to 21, 94% BIPOC (Black, Indigenous and People of Color) and have an ACE (Adverse Childhood Experiences) score of 3 or more.

602-560-6373

901 E. Jefferson Street, Phoenix, AZ 85034

www.npfy.org

Local First Arizona

Founded in 2003, Local First Arizona is a nonprofit organization committed to community and economic development throughout Arizona. Our work connects people, locally owned businesses, and communities for meaningful actions that build a diverse, inclusive, and prosperous Arizona economy, including:

- Educating consumers about the **interconnectedness of the economy** -- how and where they spend matters.
- Training small businesses to be **more resilient**, while helping our larger partners **tell their story** as champions of Arizona.
- Creating programs and events that make it **fun and easy** to **discover local businesses** and **buy local**.
- **Targeting systems of inequity** and **building prosperity for all Arizonans** by proactively identifying comprehensive solutions and taking action.

407 E. Roosevelt Street, Phoenix, AZ 85004

602-956-0909 x 1

Arizona Council on Economic Education

The Arizona Council on Economic Education (ACEE) is a 501(C)3 nonprofit organization dedicated to entrepreneurship, economic and financial literacy, and workforce development in Arizona. ACEE is the only statewide organization in Arizona which: has a strong, affiliated academic base with universities and community colleges; partners with the Arizona Department of Education and the Federal Reserve Bank; prepares teachers in teaching and students in learning personal finance, economics, and entrepreneurship; and distributes proven economic education resources to schools free of charge.

16421 N. Tatum Blvd., Ste 123, Phoenix, AZ 85032

480-368-8020

www.azecon.org

Ideas to raise funds for a non-profit onsite at a convention:

- Exhibitors can scan badges at their booth, for each badge scanned they will donor \$
- For non-profits that can offer an activity for attendees, attendees can donate \$ to participate
- Offer the non-profit a booth in the exhibit hall to showcase their organization, attendees can donate when they visit the booth
- Convention or non-profit can sell t-shirts and donate proceeds
- Exhibitors can donate any leftover goods or equipment from their booths instead of shipping it back