

## HOT MEAL SITES

Hot meal for anyone who attends-no questions asked.

### **Sunday**

St. Bartholomew Catholic Church 5-5:50pm 1306 27<sup>th</sup> St

Manasseh Ministries 6719 Base Rd

\*1st Sun of the month ONLY: 5-6:30pm

East Columbus United Methodist 2439 Indiana Ave

\*2nd Sun of the month ONLY: 5-5:30pm

### **Monday 5-6pm**

First United Methodist Church 618 Eighth St

Hope Moravian Church 202 Main St, Hope

(Closed July & December and when schools are closed)

### **Tuesday 5-5:45pm**

Memorial Baptist Church 2320 Seventh St

### **Wednesday 5-5:45pm**

Columbus Free Methodist Church 1511 22nd St

### **Thursday 4-4:45pm**

Salvation Army 2525 Illinois St

### **Friday**

First Presbyterian Church 4:30-5:30pm 512 Seventh St

Columbus Baptist Church 4821 North US Hwy 31

\*4th Fri of the month ONLY: 6-7pm

(Closed November & December)

### **Saturday**

First Christian Church 4-5pm 531 Fifth St

\*All Sat's EXCEPT the 3rd Sat of the month

Ogilville Christian Church 7891 W 450 S

\*2nd Sat of the month ONLY: 11:30am-12:30pm

Second Baptist Church 1325 10<sup>th</sup> St

\*3rd Sat of the month ONLY: 4-6pm

## HOUSING

Persons seeking housing should check classified ads and rental signs. The renter should write out a budget to make sure they can afford rent, deposit, utilities, and other expenses. Once the person inspects the property, they should read the lease before signing it. A lease is a legal contract that offers protections to both renter and landlord. Subsidized housing for seniors, disabled, and low-income persons usually have waiting lists. Subsidized housing allows the renter to pay rent based on the household income, usually about 30% of gross income.

**Columbus Housing Authority** 812-378-0005

-Subsidized (Section 8 & Public Housing) in city limits

**Human Services** 812-372-8407

-Subsidized (Section 8) five miles outside of Columbus

**Indiana Housing Now** 877-428-8844

-Housing search [www.indianahousingnow.org](http://www.indianahousingnow.org)

**United Way of Bartholomew County Housing List**

-Pick up at United Way Center front desk 1531 13th St

## MEDICAL

**Access-Ability** 812-314-2899

-Durable medical equipment & medical supplies

**Barth Co Division of Family Resources** 800-403-0864

-Medicaid/HIP/Hoosier Healthwise/CHIP

**Bartholomew County Health Department** 812-379-1555

-Free immunizations, health screenings

**Clarity Pregnancy Services** 812-378-4730

-Pregnancy & Testing

**SingleCare** 844-272-9582

-Prescription discount card; for more information go to [singlecare.com](http://singlecare.com) or pick up at United Way Center front desk

**Nurse-Family Partnership** 812-283-7900

-Support for first time mothers

### **VIMCare**

-Healthcare Clinic 812-375-3660

-Medication Assistance Program 812-375-3662

## MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

**Suicide & Crisis Lifeline** 9-8-8

-Provides 24/7 confidential support

**Centerstone** 800-344-8802

-Comprehensive mental health & substance use disorders

**Centerstone Crisis** 800-832-5442

-24 hour mental health crisis assistance

**Family Service, Inc.** 812-372-3745

-Counseling, parenting, & anger management

**STRIDE Center** 812-669-3100

-24 hour adult crisis diversion center

**Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services** 800-662-4357

-24 hour treatment referral line

## TRANSPORTATION

**Columbus Bike Co-Op** March-Dec Sun 2-5pm; Tues 4-8pm

-Earn-a-bike program, used/kids bike sales 1531 13th St

**Columbus Transit** 812-376-2506

-Provides a FREE city bus system

**Verida** 855-325-7586

-Non-emergency medical transportation to Fee for Service Medicaid members

**Veteran Services Office** 812-379-1540

-Veteran medical transportation

If you or someone you know is having a hard time finding needed services (such as food, housing, clothing, or child care), **SearchUWBC** is here to assist you. Simply go to [www.searchuwbc.org](http://www.searchuwbc.org) to find resources to meet your needs.

**United Way of Bartholomew County**

1304 Hutchins Avenue  
Columbus, IN 47201



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Bartholomew County**

**HELP  
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HERE!**

Linking people to community resources

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

UNITEDWEHELP can help you  
find and connect  
to resources.

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## ABUSE, FAMILY VIOLENCE & RAPE

<b>Adult Protective Services</b>	812-379-1670
-Report abuse/neglect of a senior or disabled adult	
<b>Indiana Child Abuse &amp; Neglect Hotline</b>	800-800-5556
-Report suspicion of abuse/neglect of a minor child	
<b>Firefly Children &amp; Family Alliance</b>	812-314-2213
-Helps at risk families to prevent child abuse & neglect	
<b>Turning Point</b>	800-221-6311
-Domestic violence shelter & support	

## ACCESS - SPECIAL POPULATIONS

<b>Bureau of Developmental Disabilities</b>	812-283-1040
-Assessment for developmental disabilities	
<b>First Steps South East</b>	866-644-2454
-Assessment and early intervention for children with delays birth to 3 years	
<b>Just Friends Adult Day Services</b>	812-372-6415
-Services for seniors and persons with disabilities	
<b>Mill Race Center</b>	812-376-9241
-Community center for citizens age 50+	
<b>Su Casa Indiana</b>	812-375-9370
-Cross cultural bridge connecting Latino Community	
<b>Thrive Alliance</b>	812-372-6918
-Services for seniors and persons with disabilities	
<b>Veteran Services Office</b>	812-379-1540
-Assist and help veterans and/or their family members	

## SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER SUPPORT

<b>SEIG Alcoholics Anonymous</b>	seigaa.org
-12 step recovery program	
<b>Alliance for Substance Abuse Progress</b>	812-418-8705
-Recovery Resource Center	
<b>Centerstone</b>	800-344-8802
-Comprehensive mental health & addictions	
<b>Narcotics Anonymous</b>	southcentralna.org
-12 step recovery program	
<b>STRIDE Center</b>	812-669-3100
-24 hour adult crisis diversion center	
<b>Substance Abuse &amp; Mental Health Services</b>	800-662-4357
-24 hour treatment referral line	
<b>Treatment &amp; Support Center</b>	812-375-3784
-Outpatient based therapeutic community	

## CHILD CARE

<b>Chances and Services for Youth</b>	812-232-3952
-Childcare Resource and Referral	
<b>Firefly Children &amp; Family Alliance</b>	317-545-5281
-Child Care Vouchers	

## CLOTHING & HOUSEHOLD GOODS

<b>Sans Souci Thrift Store</b>	812-372-3419
-Clothing Vouchers: Mon-Fri 10am-5pm	
<b>Goodwill Industries</b>	812-372-3530
-Thrift Store 812-669-1463	
<b>Orphan Grain Train</b>	812-405-2045
-Referral from a social service agency, religious institution, or church required	
<b>Psi Iota Xi Thrift Shop</b>	935 Eighth St
-Fri & Sat 10am-1pm, every other week	

## EMPLOYMENT/JOB TRAINING

<b>Bartholomew County Works</b>	812-379-1630
-Workshop to learn skills needed to secure full-time employment	
<b>Vocational Rehabilitation</b>	812-376-9935
-Retraining & job assistance for injured or disabled persons	
<b>WorkOne-Columbus</b>	812-376-3351
-Skill assessments & search job listings	

## FOOD PANTRIES & ASSISTANCE

<b>Barth Co. Division of Family Resources</b>	800-403-0864
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) 2330 Poshard Dr	
<b>Community Center of Hope</b>	812-546-4499
543 Washington St, Hope Tues 8:30am-12pm	
<b>Love Chapel Pantry</b>	Mon-Sat 9am-12pm
292 Center St 1st Mon of each month 3-6pm	
<b>Love Chapel Outreach Pantries</b>	
-Elizabethtown UMC: 200 Washington St 1st Tues 4:30-6:30pm	
-Taylorsville UMC: 1381 Tannehill Rd 2nd Wed 2-4pm	
-Bethel Baptist Church: 142 Deaver Rd 3rd Tues 4:30-6:30pm	
-Hope Town Square 4th Tues 3-5pm	
<b>Salvation Army Pantry</b>	812-372-7118
2525 Illinois St Mon 10am-12pm; Tues 1-5pm; Wed,Thur 9am-12pm	
<b>WIC (Women, Infants, &amp; Children)</b>	812-379-1557
1531 13th St, Suite G450	

## LEGAL ASSISTANCE

<b>Bartholomew Co. Prosecutor's Office</b>	812-379-1674
-Child Support Division	
<b>Indiana Legal Services</b>	812-314-2727
-Long Term Care Ombudsman provides legal assistance and complaint resolution for nursing home residents and their families	
<b>Legal Aid-District Eleven, Inc.</b>	812-378-0358
-Civil & family matters for low-income; no criminal cases	
<b>Turning Point Legal Advocate</b>	800-221-6311
-Guidance on domestic violence issues	

## FINANCIAL & BASIC NEEDS

When a person needs financial assistance, they should first seek help from family, friends, and their own resources (borrowing, working odd jobs, selling assets, trading, etc). Individuals are strongly discouraged from seeking assistance from churches, as most local churches contribute through the Ecumenical Assembly of Local Churches (Love Chapel). Persons with money management challenges are encouraged to work with a financial counselor or attend budgeting classes. Financial assistance below is intended to offer one-time or limited-time assistance for specific expenses.

<b>Apprises Credit Counseling</b>	800-355-2227
-Budget counseling, low fee debt consolidation	
<b>Flatrock/Hawcreek Ministerial Assoc.</b>	812-371-5189
-Financial assistance for Flatrock & Hawcreek residents	
<b>Human Services, Inc.</b>	812-372-8407
-Energy Assistance Program	
<b>Love Chapel - Ecumenical Assembly</b>	812-372-9421
-Limited financial assistance for rent, utilities, etc.	

### **Township Trustees - Basic Assistance**

The application process requires documentation of income and expenses. **Basic assistance** includes limited emergency shelter, rent (NOT deposits), utilities, limited transportation, funeral/burial expenses, and occasional personal supplies.

Clay Township	812-378-4834
Clifty Township	812-546-5587
Columbus Township	812-372-8249
Flatrock Township	812-344-8896
German Township	812-526-5505
Harrison Township	812-343-0662
Hawcreek Township	812-546-5947
Jackson Township	812-342-3212
Ohio Township	812-603-2993
Rockcreek Township	812-579-5099
Sandcreek Township	812-579-2001
Wayne Township	812-342-5080

## HOMELESS

Homeless persons are encouraged to seek shelter with friends and family first. If faced with living on the street or in a vehicle, persons should contact a shelter. Persons seeking shelter must have a photo ID and complete an intake screening.

<b>Brighter Days Housing</b>	812-344-4512
-Point of entry for all homeless individuals	
<b>Horizon House</b>	812-799-1062
-Point of entry for all homeless families	