

St. James' Outreach Activities

We welcome you to participate in doing God's work in the world.



Carol's Closet helpers



hawkwing donations



Lunch in the Park



Carol's Closet check in

Food Ministries are a large part of the Outreach work. *Glastonbury Links Together, Town of Glastonbury Food Bank, Manna Food Pantry, Panera Bread Ministry and Lunch in the Park (for those attending Church by the Pond in Bushnell Park)* all receive food and monetary donations and volunteers. Other ministries include:

<p>Carol's Closet - Paper products, personal care items not covered by SNAP and pet food and clothing are given to Glastonbury residents.</p>	<p>Blood Drive - Several times a year, St. James' provides hospitality for the American Red Cross Blood Drive..</p>
<p>River East Resettlement Alliance - (RERA) is made up of faith communities and individuals in Glastonbury Manchester area working to plan for, welcome, & resettle refugee families.</p>	<p>hawkwing - Carrying out the mission of "Changing Lives, Healing Hearts", hawkwing is based in Glastonbury and serves the Cheyenne River Sioux/Lakota Tribe in South Dakota.</p>
<p>Shawl Ministry - The Shawl Ministry is a thriving ministry whose volunteers create beautifully hand-knit items symbolizing the warmth and support of Christ.</p>	<p>Olive Branch - The Olive Branch is a new initiative gathering clothing & gifts for children working with Dept. of Children and Families.</p>

For more information visit www.stjamesglastonbury.org

St. James' Outreach Financial Investments

January - June 2023

Backpack Food Program	Weekend food provided to children by Glastonbury Links Together	\$500
Covenant Soup Kitchen	Serving meals and distributing food to the Willimantic community.	\$1,000
Crisis Support	Funds on hold for emergency needs.	\$1,000
Glastonbury Food Bank	Support includes dollars raised by the Afternoon Tea and funding by the Outreach Committee. The Food Bank is operated by the Town of Glastonbury	\$2,400
hawkwing	Serving people of the Cheyenne River Sioux/Lakota tribe in South Dakota	\$500
Heads Up Hartford	Teens from a variety of backgrounds serve the community and engage in leisure activities.	\$500
Lunch in the Park	Provides lunch for people at service in Bushnell Park	\$500
Open Hearth	A men's shelter in Hartford that seeks to help homeless men enhance their capacity for self respect.	\$500
River East Resettlement Alliance	Funds on hold for new refugee family	\$1,000
Trinity Academy	An independent privately funded tuition free extended day elementary school.	\$500
Episcopal Relief Fund and Maui Human Society *	In response to the recent Maui fires, part of the emergency fund has been given to assist the people and pets of Maui. * Made in August 2023	\$500

What else is God calling us to fund? Email Debbie Hamer with more ideas or for more information. debhamer2001@yahoo.org