How to Help

- Donate - we depend on your donations!
- Encourage your church or organization to donate items or to raise funds for specific programs, such as the food pantry, layette/ baby pantry, or emergency assistance needs.
- Shop in our thrift stores or donate used items in good condition to help us help others.
- Volunteer! Give us a call to find out how you might fit in!

Large Gifts & Endowments

- Gifts "in memory" or "in honor" can be made to recognize a special person. We will make appropriate acknowledgments.
- Special gifts of stocks, bonds, real estate or planned giving through wills, trusts, life insurance or other means may be arranged.

Please direct inquiries of this nature to:

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For more information about any of our programs, for a speaker at an event, or to visit us, please contact:

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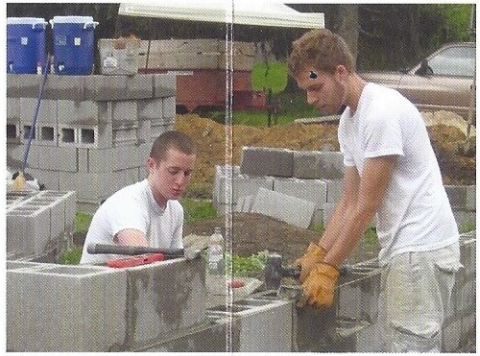
And what does the Lord require of you?
To act justly, and to love mercy
and to walk humbly with your God.
Micah 6:8

HEART AND HAND

Who we are

- We are a non-profit mission project affiliated with the United Methodist Church. Our ecumenical governing board is composed of clergy and leaders from area churches, representatives from social service agencies, businesses, civic groups and recipients of our services.
- Heart and Hand was founded in 1965 by the Women's Division of the Board of Missions of the Evangelical United Brethren Church.
- Our programs are funded by support from churches, foundations, civic groups, individuals and income from our thrift stores.
- Services are provided by an able staff and many dedicated volunteers.
- Heart and Hand serves Barbour County and is located in north-central West Virginia.

helping neighbors in the name of Christ



Emergency Services

•Food Pantry
Every day food boxes are distributed to low-income families experiencing food shortages. As a member of the Mountaineer Food Bank network, Heart and Hand is a designated distributor of USDA food commodities in Barbour County.

•Home Repair & Construction
Each summer volunteers from about 20 churches and college groups work with Heart and Hand to improve housing for low-income homeowners. Projects include bedroom additions, roof repair, insulation, wheelchair ramps, among other needs. We also build one or two new homes each year.

•Layettes/Baby Pantry
Heart and Hand helps low-income parents give their babies the special care they need by providing a bundle of new infant care items for newborns and providing diapers, wipes and other items for older infants.

•Other Assistance
Heart and Hand provides limited financial assistance to low-income families who find themselves in crisis situations and need help paying for necessary expenses such as rent, utility bills, and medical supplies or doctor visits. We also provide clothing and household items to families whose homes are lost due to fire or other disaster.

Holiday Projects

Each December, Heart and Hand provides Christmas Baskets containing food for a special holiday meal, hygiene items, cleaning products, and devotional material to income-eligible families, along with new hats, gloves, underwear. and other available items.

Community Programs

•Backpack & Summer Feeding Programs
During the school year, the Backpack Feeding Program provides a bag of child-friendly food for kids to take home over the weekend or holiday break. Over summer break, a free, nutritious lunch is provided three days a week for children 18 years old and younger.

•Garden Market
The Barbour County Community Garden Market promotes the health and well-being of the community, not only from a nutritional standpoint, but economically, as well as socially. The market accepts WV Farmers' Market Nutrition Program (FMNP) coupons, as well as SNAP EBT (food stamps).

•Thrift Stores
Our thrift stores sell good, used clothing, furniture, appliances and household items. All items are donated and the proceeds help fund Heart and Hand's various ministry programs. The public is welcome to shop in our stores at 38 Walnut Street in Philippi and 206 Bridge Street in Belington, WV.