

SENIOR PHARMASSIST

seniorpharmassist.org

In 1992, a task force of the Durham County Hospital Corporation conducted a needs assessment and feasibility study for a pharmaceutical assistance program for senior adults and concluded that two public health issues needed to be addressed: financial access to medications for seniors with limited incomes and polypharmacy – the use of multiple, sometimes unnecessary medications. Senior PharmAssist was created to address those needs in Durham. We work to ensure that our participants are receiving the medicines they need, avoiding those they don't need. We also furnish individuals with tailored referrals to other community resources and help Medicare beneficiaries in Durham County understand and make informed decisions about plans and coverage.

STEPUP DURHAM

www.stepupdurham.org

StepUp is a faith-based nonprofit that believes that a key to economic stability is the ability to generate income and budget it well. Over the past 25 years, StepUp has walked alongside North Carolina families as they improve their lives through employment and life skills training. StepUp Durham, opened its doors in October 2015 and placed over 50 people in employment in year one. This fiscal year, July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018, over 70% of our graduates went from no income to paid income and approximately 39% of our graduates have retained employment for six or more months. We celebrate these individuals and their accomplishments, and we are grateful to partner with them in their employment seeking process. Mission: Adults and children transforming their lives through employment and life skills training. Vision: To be the premier resource in Durham County for people seeking to improve their lives and develop stable careers.

THE SOCIETY OF ST. ANDREW

The Society of St. Andrew brings people together to harvest and share healthy food, reduce food waste, and build caring communities by offering nourishment to hungry neighbors. While best known for gleaning events, SoSA also provides educational materials and hosts programming aimed at informing volunteers about food insecurity and food waste. These programs encourage participants to take action, working against these challenges in their home communities.

URBAN MINISTRIES OF DURHAM

www.umdurham.org

Mission: To meet emergency needs for food, clothing, and shelter; and to help those who are homeless secure a home and the resources to stay there.

Core values: Urban Ministries of Durham is committed to offering a service environment that is based on:

- Respect: We value individual diversity and foster dignity through the belief in each person's abilities.
- Support: We value supportive programs to advance education, establish more stable living situations, prepare for job-readiness, and strengthen recovery.
- Collaboration: We build community partnerships to find long-term solutions toward the goal of eradicating extreme poverty.

We are committed to living out our core values in all our interactions with our clients, each other, and the community.

WELCOME BABY

www.welcomebaby.org

Welcome Baby provides parenting education and support to families with young children. We provide a range of services from car seats and free clothing, workshops for parents, lending library, volunteers who call parents of newborns, and discussion groups. Our services are available for free to all Durham County, NC residents with newborns and children to age 5. Welcome Baby is a program of Durham County Cooperative Extension.



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CAFÉ JUSTO

www.justcoffee.org

Mission: To deliver the highest quality, organic, environmentally conscious, fresh roasted coffee to our customers at a price that is fair and just. We work to create a bond between the members of the coffee growing community in Salvador Urbina and our customers throughout the world. Café Justo began as a means to provide living opportunities to the coffee growers of Salvador Urbina. Our mission is to provide the training and resources necessary for farmers to create and maintain a sustainable, small-scale, international coffee company, thereby shifting the profits from large, international companies to the members of the Salvador Urbina cooperative. The corporate goal is to create a sustainable, local business, which employs members of the community in the agricultural, production and management/administrative roles.

FAMILIES MOVING FORWARD

fmfnc.org

Families Moving Forward offers a temporary home to families with children in the crisis of homelessness. The 2016 merger of Genesis Home and Durham Interfaith Hospitality Network and the expansion of our facilities increased their capacity to serve more families – 75-85 families annually including 140-180 children - making Families Moving Forward the largest housing and services provider for homeless families in Durham. Working together – as staff, board, volunteers, and guests – they are creating a path to stability and self-sufficiency for families through personalized services and ongoing community support. Their "Branching Out" aftercare program pairs a newly housed family with one year of case management, referrals, support, and emergency assistance, ensuring that none of the families in the program have reentered the homeless shelter within one year of exiting. Additionally, they can always use help with their "Study Buddies" program (Objective: Provide academic support to school-aged youth residing at Families Moving forward to maintain or improve grades. Duties: focus on homework help, practicing reading, and math games.) and Children's Evening Enrichment (Objective: Offer life-skills lessons and support to school-aged youth residing in shelter. Duties: assist with structured activities and workshops covering various topics.) For more information, visit their website.

FARM CHURCH

www.farmchurch.org

Farm Church is a worshipping community of the PC(USA) in Durham, NC that gathers with SEEDS and lives out the Gospel by leveraging all the resources of the farm to address food insecurity. Our prayers are with them and their founder/pastor **Reverend Ben Johnston-Krase** as he undergoes cancer treatments.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN HISTORY BOOK

Downtown by History and Choice: First Presbyterian Church of Durham, North Carolina, 1871–2013, by Peter Graham Fish, published 2017 by Carolina Academic Press, 638 pages, jacketed hardback, \$25 each. You are invited to purchase a copy of this beautifully written history of the church. It includes photos and illustrations. Peter Fish will be on hand to personally inscribe the book during this event.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

www.durhamhabitat.org

Mission: To bring people together to eradicate poverty housing by building homes, communities and hope. We envision a world where **everyone** has a decent place to live. **History:** Habitat for Humanity of Durham grew from Durham's faith community, commitment to service, and belief in true partnership. From 1982 to 1984, a group of youth and adults at Watts Street Baptist Church led mission trips to build with Habitat for Humanity. **Rev. Joseph Harvard**, retired pastor emeritus of First Presbyterian Church, told the founding leaders of Habitat, "The Habitat train is leaving the station. You better get on board." In 1985, Durham Congregations in Action (DCIA) officially founded Habitat for Humanity of Durham. In 1989, Trinity United Methodist Church offered free office space to the new organization, and our offices are still located there today. The Habitat train has made a tangible difference in Durham since 1985. We have helped more than 600 families achieve their homeownership goals - more than 400 in Durham and more than 200 internationally. We strive to be bold and innovative in our work to end substandard housing.

OUR CHILDREN'S PLACE

www.ourchildrensplace.com

Our Children's Place of Coastal Horizons Center is a statewide program, based in the Triangle, that serves as North Carolina's leading advocate and educational resource focused on children of incarcerated and returning parents. The work of Our Children's Place centers on: 1) educating professionals, especially those working with children, about the impacts of parental incarceration, resources that are available, how to create a more supportive environment, and more, 2) supporting the relationship between children and their incarcerated parents, and 3) identifying and promoting policies, programs, and practices which improve the outcomes for these children. Thank you for helping to create a community where children of incarcerated and returning parents are recognized, supported rather than shamed and stigmatized, and encouraged to share their stories!

PREVENT CHILD ABUSE NC

www.preventchildabusenc.org

Prevent Child Abuse North Carolina (PCANC) is the only state-wide organization dedicated to the prevention of child abuse and neglect. Through investment in innovative programs proven to prevent child maltreatment before it occurs, PCANC helps North Carolina's communities decrease factors that put children at risk for abuse and increase factors that encourage children to thrive. Through our offices in Raleigh, we serve every community in North Carolina. **Vision:** All North Carolina's children will lead purposeful lives through growing up in nurturing families and supportive communities. **Mission:** Prevent Child Abuse North Carolina supports the development of safe, stable, nurturing relationships for children in their families and communities to prevent child abuse and neglect.

PRESBYTERIAN GIVING CATALOG: Small gifts, big impact

www.presbyteriangifts.org

Can you imagine how a gift as small as a chicken or a bag of school supplies can change lives? By joining our gifts together, however small or large, we expand our witness to God's gracious and abundant work in the world. Your generous gifts through the Presbyterian Giving Catalog are signs of our gratitude: feeding the hungry, comforting the broken-hearted, and sharing our resources and our faith with young and old. Each gift pictured in the Presbyterian Giving Catalog exemplifies the work prayerfully carried out by ministries supported by the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) through the Presbyterian Mission Agency.

SAF UNITE (Student Action with Farmworkers)

www.saf-unite.org

Mission: To bring students and farmworkers together to learn about each other's lives, share resources and skills, improve conditions for farmworkers, and build diverse coalitions working for social change. SAF works with farmworkers, students, and advocates in the Southeast and nationwide to create a more just agricultural system. **Vision:** We envision a world where students and community members actively work together with farm-workers for justice in the agricultural system. We envision communities where there is greater interaction, communication, and understanding among people of different backgrounds. We envision a world in which farmworkers are empowered to take leadership in the farmworker justice movement and their local communities. We envision a world where consumers will be more aware of where their food comes from, who grows, harvests, and packages it, and the conditions of its production. One day, all farmworkers will have dignity in their work and livelihood. People United Will Never Be Defeated!

SEEDS

seedsnc.org

Founded in 1994, SEEDS is a two-acre urban garden and kitchen classroom in the heart of Durham at 706 Gilbert Street. As a non-profit, SEEDS develops the capacity of young people to respect life, the earth, and each other through growing, cooking, and sharing food. SEEDS focuses on food security, organic gardening, sustainable agriculture and environmental stewardship. SEEDS youth experience growing vegetables from seed to harvest. They learn to cook and prepare meals from fresh ingredients. Your donations purchase seeds and gardening supplies. In the spring and summer, adult volunteers are needed to help plant, weed and harvest the vegetables. Farm Church meets and lives out the gospel on Sunday mornings at the SEEDS garden.

More organizations are listed on the back!