



Hanover Area Council of
Churches

One Body • One Spirit

Crisis Fund

Your financial assistance is desperately needed. HACCC has lost \$100,000 in funding, 25% of our annual budget.

One of our major donors, under new leadership, will no longer award grants to organizations with budgets of less than \$1 million; HACCC's annual budget is \$400,000.00. This new requirement disqualifies HACCC from eligibility for this significant grant.

Your help is needed to maintain our many ministries. The goal of this 3-year campaign is to raise \$300,000.

How can you help?

Our 3-year goal to raise \$300,000 can be achieved if 50 generous individuals pledge \$2,000 per year for 3 years.

This will provide HACCC time to seek out sources of revenue to fund our ministries.

CAN WE COUNT ON YOU?

HACC MINISTRIES

Where do your donations go?

Clothing Bank

- Free clothing and personal items for certified clients. 2018 stats: 3,861 individuals served.
- Inexpensive clothing for the general public; proceeds support HACC.

Provide a Lunch

- Free lunch provided 7 days a week, 365 days a year. Free breakfast Tuesdays and Thursdays. 2018 stats: 52,000+ meals prepared and served from our kitchen
- Emergency food for families.

Meals on Wheels

- Monday–Friday free kitchen prepared meals delivered for shut-ins, surgical recovery and other health issues. 2018 stats: 6,753 meals delivered.

Health Care Ministry

- Nurse staffed clinic two-times per month. Prescription assistance.

Ruth's Harvest

- Weekend meal program for eligible elementary students. 2018 stats: 6,663 backpacks of food given to an average of 208 students during 9 months of the school year.

Changing Lives Shelter

- A safe and secure 24/7 facility for individuals and families. Life enhancing assistance includes financial counseling, addiction mentoring and life skills. 2018 stats: Housed 132 men, 102 women, 47 children.

Bilingual Case Management

- Spanish and non-Spanish assistance with forms, paperwork, banking, locating available assistance from other agencies, ELS and Spanish classes.
- Assistance with housing, furniture and household goods.

Community Gardens

- Vegetable gardens in coordination with area churches.

Additional Services

Although funds are limited, HACC assists clients where able with: Work boots/shoes; Bus tickets; Gas cards for medical appointments; Toiletries and personal hygiene items; Showers and help with resumes and clothing for interviews; Four different addiction self-help groups meet in our building; Sunday worship service and Wednesday bible study; Provide/distribute holiday food boxes, meals, Christmas and Easter gift bags; JJ Toy Shop provides free Christmas presents for our community's children.

To help us through this financial hardship, we request that your Crisis Fund donation be in addition to any other contribution you make to the HACC.

Tax Deduction: The Hanover Area Council of Churches is a registered 501(c)(3). All gifts are tax deductible to the fullest extent of the law.

Publication: Crisis Fund Donation levels will be publicized, please initial if you would like to keep your donation anonymous. _____

Due Diligence: Our Board is evaluating the budget and reducing expenses where possible; however, losing 25% of our budget would force us to reduce or eliminate services.

Campaign Donation Levels:

- \$10,000+ Faithful Friend
- \$5,000 Loyal Friend
- \$2,500 Devoted Friend
- \$1,000 True Friend
- \$500 Steadfast Friend
- \$1-499 Dedicated Friend

My Commitment Is:

() One-time payment

Date of payment: _____

() Payments to be made over three years

Dates of payments: _____

Method of Payment

Personal Check: make check(s) payable to HACC

Credit Card: on the HACC website go to "donate on line" to donate through PayPal

Required Minimum Distribution: transfer tax-free funds directly out of IRA investments payable to the HACC

Mark all donations: Crisis Fund

Retain one completed form for your records and return a completed form to: HACC, PO Box 1561, Hanover PA 17331

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Date: _____