

LET NO ONE SEEK  
HIS OWN GOOD,  
BUT THE GOOD  
OF HIS NEIGHBOR.  
Paul, 1st Century Church Leader



**CITYSERVE**

**OF THE TRI-VALLEY | DUBLIN, LIVERMORE, PLEASANTON, SAN RAMON, & BEYOND**

## NETWORK FOR COMMUNITY COLLABORATION

Please visit [CITYSERVETRIVALLEY.ORG](http://CITYSERVETRIVALLEY.ORG) often to see regularly updated news on Tri-Valley volunteer needs and the many resources available through our Tri-Valley churches, non-profits and agencies to equip us to serve and to help others. We are a 501c3 designated non-profit (ID #37-1735822).

### ON-GOING TRI-VALLEY VOLUNTEER NEEDS AND OPPORTUNITIES

**Agape Villages Foster Family Agency** | Serves some of California's most troubled young people. Children without safe homes are depending on Agape Villages to help them reshape their futures.

Website: [www.agapevillages.org](http://www.agapevillages.org)  
Where: 3160 Crow Canyon Place, Suite 120, San Ramon  
Contact: [www.agapevillages.org](http://www.agapevillages.org) | (925) 866-3020

**Alameda County Foster Parent Association** | Supports caregivers by providing continuing education, coordinating access to community services, providing scholarships to foster youth, and organizing social events for children in care.

Contact: Community Relations Manager | (510) 667-7606

**Axis Community Health** | Provides full-service primary and preventative medical care to low income and uninsured Tri-Valley residents as well as providing mental health counseling, teen & adult substance abuse recovery, DUI classes, drug testing and WIC nutrition services at five locations in the Tri-Valley Area.

Contact: Community Relations Manager | (925) 201-6018

**Blankets for Kids** | Seeks individuals to assist with time to create soft, cuddly blankets that are distributed to local police departments and social service agencies for neglected, abused and at-risk children.

Where: Ridge View Commons, 5200 Case Ave., Pleasanton  
Contact: email [blanketsforkids@sbcglobal.net](mailto:blanketsforkids@sbcglobal.net) | (925) 846 6155

**Child Care Links** | Free resources and referral for child care in the Tri-Valley area as well as a Diaper Pantry. The Diaper Pantry is open Tuesdays & Thursdays 7:00 AM to 4:00 PM.

Website: [www.childcarelinks.org](http://www.childcarelinks.org)  
Where: 6601 Owens Drive, Suite 100, Pleasanton, CA  
Contact: [mail@childcarelinks.org](mailto:mail@childcarelinks.org) | (925) 417- 8733

**CityServe of the Tri-Valley** | Due to the expanding needs of the Tri-Valley area, CityServe is always in need of committed volunteers to help with office administration, event planning, answering phones, website maintenance and posting, grant writing and case management.

Website: [www.cityservetrivalley.org](http://www.cityservetrivalley.org)  
Mailing: P.O. Box 1613, Pleasanton, CA 94566  
Contact: [info@cityservetrivalley.org](mailto:info@cityservetrivalley.org) | (925) 223-6947

**Court Appointed Special Advocates Program (CASA)** | Serves abused, abandoned and neglected children, ages 8-19, who are dependents of the juvenile court system. Volunteers establish stable relationships with foster children and make informed recommendations to the courts.

Website: [www.casaofalamedacounty.org](http://www.casaofalamedacounty.org)  
Contact: Volunteer Recruiter | (510) 618-1964

**Dublin Senior Center** | Offering a variety of classes, activities, and programs that engage the mind, body, and spirit, the Senior Center is in need of caring, giving people with various skills.

Website: [www.ci.dublin.ca.us](http://www.ci.dublin.ca.us)  
Where: 7600 Amador Valley Blvd., Dublin  
Contact: [seniorctr@dublin.ca.gov](mailto:seniorctr@dublin.ca.gov) | (925) 556-4511



**FCI Dublin** | The women's prison is in need of GED tutors to meet once or twice a week to help with Language, Reading, Social Studies, Math and Science. Other volunteer opportunities are available.

Website: [www.bop.gov/locations/institutions/dub](http://www.bop.gov/locations/institutions/dub)  
Where: 5701 8th St - Camp Parks  
Contact: Tess Korth | [tkorth@bop.gov](mailto:tkorth@bop.gov) | (925) 833-7500 x372

**Fertile Groundworks** | Located at Asbury United Methodist Church, this non-profit grows fresh organic produce of those in need and delivers it to local food programs. Volunteers ages 10 & over are invited (if under 15 years of age must be accompanied by an adult).

Website: [www.fertilegroundworks.org](http://www.fertilegroundworks.org)  
Where: 4743 East Avenue, Livermore  
Contact: Dave David | [ldavid92@comcast.net](mailto:ldavid92@comcast.net) | (925) 640-4496.

**Hope Hospice** | This organization provides quality, compassionate care at the end of life. See the website for a variety of ways you can volunteer.

Website: [www.hopehospice.com](http://www.hopehospice.com)  
Where: 6377 Clark Avenue, Suite 100, Dublin  
Contact: Coordinator of Volunteers | [info@hopehospice.com](mailto:info@hopehospice.com) | (925) 829-8770

**Joni and Friends Disability Ministry** | This non-profit trains, disciples and mentors people affected by disability to exercise their gifts of leadership and service in their churches and communities.

Website: [www.joniandfriends.org](http://www.joniandfriends.org)  
Where: 6400 Village Parkway, Suite 112, Dublin  
Contact: (925) 361-8672

**Lincoln Families** | Lincoln connects with schools and families to provide help for relative caregivers (grandparents, siblings, etc.) raising a child not their own. Services include resource assistance, support groups and youth activities and are designed to reduce the need for children to enter the child welfare system.

Website: [www.lincolnfamilies.org](http://www.lincolnfamilies.org)  
Where: A Lincoln Families Tri-Valley office is located at the Pleasanton Unified School District offices.  
Contact: [info@lincolnfamilies.org](mailto:info@lincolnfamilies.org) | (510) 273-4700

**Literacy Programs** | Both Pleasanton and Livermore libraries need volunteers to tutor in their adult literacy programs. Help an adult learn to complete job applications, read to their children or become a citizen.

Where: Pleasanton Reads Program, 400 Old Bernal Ave. (925) 931-3405  
Livermore Read Project, 1188 S. Livermore Ave. (925) 373-5507  
Contact: [literacy@cityofpleasantonca.gov](mailto:literacy@cityofpleasantonca.gov) and [literacy@livermore.lib.ca.us](mailto:literacy@livermore.lib.ca.us)

**Livermore Homeless Refuge** | From November 1st to April 30th, if the weather forecast is greater than a 20% chance of rain or temperature is 45 degrees or less, the Refuge will be open for homeless guests to spend the night. Volunteers needed for varying shifts, 6:00 PM - 7:30 AM and must be over 18 years of age.

Website: [www.livermorehomelessrefuge.org](http://www.livermorehomelessrefuge.org)  
Where: Rotates among 4 Livermore churches  
Contact: (925) 895-4167

**Livermore Pregnancy Resource Center** | LPRC is committed to assisting couples facing needs due to unplanned pregnancy. All services are free and confidential.

Website: [www.livermoreprc.org](http://www.livermoreprc.org)  
Where: 4200 East Avenue, Suite 104, Livermore  
Contact: Tina Harrell | Director | [hiscenter@yahoo.com](mailto:hiscenter@yahoo.com) | (925) 447-1111

**Livermore Senior Center** | Helping Seniors and their families navigate through the continuum of services available through the District and other agencies, staff members (available by appointment) work in private consultation on age-related issues such as caregiving, housing and more.

Website: <http://www.larpd.org/seniors/rfcc.html>  
Where: Robert Livermore Community Center, 4444 East Ave., Livermore  
Contact: (925) 373-5760



**Meals on Wheels** | This home meal delivery program provides daily nutritious meals to homebound seniors which helps improve the quality of lives and allows seniors to remain independent in their homes. Volunteers are always invited to join the teams that delivers meals, Monday - Friday, 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM.

Website: <http://www.spectrumcs.org/senior-services/meals-on-wheels>

Where: Tri-Valley cities

Contact: For Pleasanton, Dublin & Sunol: (925) 931-5385 | For Livermore area: (925) 421-4657.

**Open Arms Transitional Care** | This faith-based group is developing a resource network to enable jail and prison inmates to successfully transition from incarceration back to their families and communities. Meetings are scheduled for the second Saturday morning of each month in Dublin.

Website: [www.openarmstc.org](http://www.openarmstc.org)

Where: 2333 Nissen Dr., Livermore 94551

Contact: Leslie Arroyo | Ministry Leader | (925) 548-8420

**Open Heart Kitchen** | Each weekday this non-profit provides the only hot meal program in the Tri-Valley. Be part of the team by helping cook or serve at a location in Dublin, Pleasanton, or Livermore.

Website: [www.openheartkitchen.org](http://www.openheartkitchen.org)

Where: Various Tri-Valley locations

Contact: [volunteercoordinator@openheartkitchen.org](mailto:volunteercoordinator@openheartkitchen.org) | (925) 580-1619

**Partners for Change Tri-Valley** | Community-based program assisting Tri-Valley families to achieve financial self-sufficiency. Weekly meetings provide life skills, training and mentors to help individuals or families set goals for economic improvement and achieve them.

Website: [www.circlesforchangetrivalley.org](http://www.circlesforchangetrivalley.org)

Where: 4743 East Ave., Livermore

Contact: [director@circlesforchangetrivalley.org](mailto:director@circlesforchangetrivalley.org) | (925) 583-1635

**Pleasanton Military Families** | Founded in 2003, this support group for family and friends of our local military men and women. New members join us all the time.

Website: <http://www.pleasantonmilitaryfamilies.org>

Where: 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm at the home of one of our members

Contact: [pmfsg.ca@gmail.com](mailto:pmfsg.ca@gmail.com)

**Pleasanton Senior Center** | Provides activities and services to meet the diverse needs of mature adults in the community and seeks to assist them in maintaining healthy, independent lives through enrichment programs.

Website: [www.pleasantonseniorcenter.org](http://www.pleasantonseniorcenter.org)

Where: 5353 Sunol Boulevard, Pleasanton, CA 94566

Contact: Recreation Coordinator | (925) 931-5366

**Quilts of Valor** | This group makes quilts for vets and even offers a free session of instruction and materials. Mondays, 10:30 AM - 3:30 PM.

Website: [www.amadorvalleyquilters.org/quilts-of-valor](http://www.amadorvalleyquilters.org/quilts-of-valor)

Where: Veterans Memorial Building, 522 So. L St, Livermore

Contact: [bschwegerl@sbcglobal.net](mailto:bschwegerl@sbcglobal.net) | (510) 793-7583

**Safe Families for Children (SFFC)** | This partnership between Olive Crest, a faith-based child welfare agency and local churches provides a way other than the foster care system for families to have time to heal and reunite in a more stable and healthy home.

Website: [www.pleasantonseniorcenter.org](http://www.pleasantonseniorcenter.org)

Where: 1251 Monument Blvd., #220, Concord, CA 94520 | (925) 566-8050

Contact: Shelly Wells | [wells@safefamiliesnorcal.org](mailto:wells@safefamiliesnorcal.org)

**Santa Rita Jail** | Volunteer opportunities include sports activities, leading spiritual small groups, and more.

Where: 5325 Broder Blvd., Dublin

Contact: [Volunteerop@jail](mailto:Volunteerop@jail) | (925) 551-6500

**Senior Support Program of the Tri-Valley** | This non-profit's mission is to provide service and assistance to seniors that will: foster independence, promote safety and well-being, preserve dignity, and improve quality of life.

Website: [www.ssptv.org](http://www.ssptv.org)

Where: 5353 Sunol Blvd., Pleasanton

Contact: Lorie Rohloff | Volunteer Coordinator | [lrohloff@ssptv.org](mailto:lrohloff@ssptv.org) | (925) 931-5388 or (925) 931-5379



**Shepherd's Gate** | Since 1984 this shelter for women and children has provided Christ-centered services to over 10,000 battered and homeless women and children. Many volunteer opportunities are available.

Website: [www.shepherdsgate.org](http://www.shepherdsgate.org)

Where: 1660 Freisman Rd, Livermore | (925) 443-4283

Contact: Jill Gandara | Community Outreach Officer | [jgandara@shepherdsgate.org](mailto:jgandara@shepherdsgate.org) | (925) 583-8115

**Sleep in Heavenly Peace: Alameda County** | SHP is an organization that builds and delivers beds to children who do not have a bed. Our motto: "No kid sleeps on the floor in our town!"

Website: [www.shpbeds.org/volunteer](http://www.shpbeds.org/volunteer)

Where: 1660 Portola Avenue, Livermore | (844) 432-2337 x5103

Contact: Rob Normann | Chapter President | [rob.normann@shpbeds.org](mailto:rob.normann@shpbeds.org)

**Stanford Health Care-Valley Care** | Serve others by assisting at our primary health care providers in locations in Livermore and Pleasanton. Volunteer orientation meetings are held the first Monday of each month at 10:00 AM.

Website: [www.Stanfordhealthcare.org/ValleyCare](http://www.Stanfordhealthcare.org/ValleyCare)

Where: 197 South "S" Street in Livermore

Contact: (925) 734-3368

**Sunflower Hill Gardens** | Creating a sustainable special needs community in the Tri-Valley is our goal with produce available for purchase Tuesday, Friday & Saturday from 10-11:30 am. Volunteers are needed to work in the garden (children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by a parent or adult).

Website: [www.sunflowerhill.org](http://www.sunflowerhill.org)

Where: 455 Olivina Ave., Livermore

Contact: [info@sunflowerhill.org](mailto:info@sunflowerhill.org) | (925) 601-2003.

**Teen Esteem** | Striving to equip, educate and empower teens, parents, educators and the community on issues related to teens and adolescent health, self-respect and respect for others, Teen Esteem speakers give presentations in high schools and middle schools nearly every week.

Website: [www.teenesteem.com](http://www.teenesteem.com)

Contact: Linda Turnbull | Executive Director | [info@teenesteem.com](mailto:info@teenesteem.com) | (925) 855-9941

**Tri-Valley Haven** | Offering services to adults (women & men) and children experiencing domestic violence, sexual assault, or homelessness, TVH provides shelter, legal aid, various counseling programs and maintains a food pantry that distributes food to low-income families on a weekly basis.

Website: [www.trivalleyhaven.org](http://www.trivalleyhaven.org)

Where: 3663 Pacific Avenue, Livermore, CA 94551

Contact: Volunteer Coordinator | (925) 449-5845

**Tri-Valley One Stop Career Center** | Connecting job seekers with employment and career development opportunities, the center offers workshops on interview skills, resume writing, basic computer classes and more.

Website: [www.trivalleyonestop.org](http://www.trivalleyonestop.org)

Where: 6300 Village Parkway, Suite 100, Dublin

Contact: Sarah Holtzclaw | [sholtzclaw@tlpccd.org](mailto:sholtzclaw@tlpccd.org) | (925) 560-9439

**Valley Pregnancy Center** | Helping those involved in an unplanned pregnancy to meet their spiritual, emotional and physical needs, all pregnancy services are free to men, women, and families of the Tri-Valley.

Website: [www.valleypregnancycenter.org](http://www.valleypregnancycenter.org)

Where: 5776 Stoneridge Mall Rd., Suite 200, Pleasanton, CA 94588

Contact: (925) 425-0414

**Veterans Administration Hospital** | Volunteers' talents are closely matched with one of the many services performed. Volunteer applications (age 14 or older) can be found on the website.

Website: <https://www.paloalto.va.gov/locations/livermore.asp>

Where: 4951 Arroyo Road, Livermore, CA 94550

Contact: Jammu Owens | (925) 373-4700

