

## SWK 319 - DYNAMICS OF POVERTY:

### Service Learning/Volunteer Work Options

Information on many of these social welfare agencies can be found online at: [centralreferral.org](http://centralreferral.org)

#### DINING ROOMS and FOOD RELATED PROGRAMS

<p><b>Concerned Ecumenical Ministry - Loaves and Fishes Dining Room</b> 875 Elmwood Ave. at Lafayette Ave. (14222) Contact: Ann Harrington - 882-1861 Open: Monday-Friday 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM <a href="mailto:annesharrington@yahoo.com">annesharrington@yahoo.com</a></p>	<p><b>St. Vincent de Paul Dining Room/Our Lady of Lourdes</b> 1298 Main St. (14209) Contact: Ed "Mac" McPherson - 882-3360 Open: Friday-Tuesday 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM Thrift Store Hours Monday-Friday 9:30-4:30 for Saturday 9:30-3:30 call John no e-mail</p>
<p><b>Community Missions</b> 1570 Buffalo Avenue, Niagara Falls, NY 14303 Contact: Joanne Lorenzo - 285-3403x2250 No e-mail</p>	<p><b>Food Bank of WNY</b> 91 Holt Street (14206) Contact: Madeline Daynes - 852-1305 <a href="mailto:hrcv@foodbankwny.org">hrcv@foodbankwny.org</a></p>
<p><b>The Salvation Army Soup Kitchen</b> 50 Cottage St., Lockport, NY (14094) Contact: Robert Drinkwater- 434-1276 No e-mail</p>	<p><b>Heart and Soul Dining Room</b> 939 Ontario Avenue, Niagara Falls 14305 Contact: Sr. Barbara Pfohl- 282-5681 <a href="mailto:Heart.soul1@juno.com">Heart.soul1@juno.com</a></p>
<p><b>Response To Love Center</b> 130 Kosciuszko St., Buffalo, NY 14212 Contact: Kathleen Majchrzak - 894-7030 <a href="mailto:Kathleen@responsetolovecenter.org">Kathleen@responsetolovecenter.org</a></p>	<p><b>The Community Kitchen St. Peter's Church</b> 12 Elm Street, Westfield, NY (14787) Contact: Beth Powers- 326-2055 No e-mail</p>
<p><b>The Salvation Army Soup Kitchen</b> 46 Broad Street, Tonawanda, NY 14150 Contact: Joanne Guercio - 693-3110 No e-mail</p>	<p><b>West Side Community Services- Meals on Wheels</b> 161 Vermont Street, Buffalo NY 14213 Contact: Curly- 882-0063 No e-mail</p>
<p><b>Meals on Wheels- Blackrock</b> 435 Amherst Street, Buffalo, NY 14207 Contact: Roslyn Graap No e-mail</p>	<p><b>Our Savior Lutheran Church Meals on Wheels</b> 26 Brunswick Blvd., Buffalo, NY 14208 Contact: Lynette Mack - 886-5436 No e-mail</p>
<p><b>Meals on Wheels (Presbyterian Church)</b> 425 Maryvale Drive, Cheektowaga, NY 14225 Contact: Joanne Lahr - 892-1711 No e-mail</p>	

#### SHELTERS AND DROP-IN CENTERS

<p><b>Cornerstone Manor</b> (women and children's shelter) 150 East North Street, Buffalo, NY 14203 Contact: Peggy - 852-0761x121 <a href="mailto:pjohnson@buffalocitymission.org">pjohnson@buffalocitymission.org</a></p>	<p><b>NYPIRG</b> 419 Campbell Student Union, Buffalo State College Contact: Corey Tarreto - 882-1549 <a href="mailto:buffalo@nypirg.org">buffalo@nypirg.org</a></p>
<p><b>Salvation Army Golden Age Center</b> 960 Main Street, Buffalo, NY 14202 Wreatha Siebert Harvey- 883-9800x261 <a href="mailto:Wreatha_ssiebert_harvey@use.salvationarmy.org">Wreatha_ssiebert_harvey@use.salvationarmy.org</a></p>	<p><b>City Mission</b> (men's shelter) 100 East Tupper St., Buffalo, NY 14203 Contact: Peggy Johnson - 854-8181x 408 <a href="mailto:Pjohnson@buffalocitymission.org">Pjohnson@buffalocitymission.org</a></p>
<p><b>The Salvation Army Emergency Shelter</b> 960 Main Street, Buffalo, NY 14202 Contact: Carolyn Hillman, Director-884-4798/888-6294 FAX <a href="mailto:Carolyn_hillman@use.salvationarmy.org">Carolyn_hillman@use.salvationarmy.org</a></p>	<p><b>Gerard Place</b> 2515 Bailey Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14215 Contact: Karen Kasaperek - 897-9948 X112 No e-mail</p>
<p><b>Hearts for The Homeless</b> P.O. Box 437 Buffalo, NY 14223 Contact: Ron Calandra - 877-3536 No e-mail</p>	<p><b>Compass House</b> 370 Linwood Ave., Buffalo, NY 14209 Contact: Michelle Moore- 884-3066 <a href="mailto:michelle-moore@raodrunner.com">michelle-moore@raodrunner.com</a></p>

SPECIAL SERVICES

<p><b>We Care/ None Like You Community Outreach Program</b>  595 Sycamore Street, Buffalo, NY 14205  Contact: Mrs. Elizabeth Triggs- 444-5108  Send mail to P.O. Box 813, Buffalo, NY 14205</p>	<p><b>Bob Lanier Center</b>  157 Hempstead, Buffalo, NY 14215  Contact: Elaine Blyben - 834-2052  thebob2@roadrunner.com</p>
<p><b>Women's and Children's Hospital</b>  219 Bryant Street, Buffalo, NY 14222  Contact: Jennifer Flood- 878-7221  jflood@kaleidahealth.org</p>	<p><b>Erie County Home and Infirmary</b>  11580 Walden Avenue, Alden, NY 14001  Contact: Lauren Kennuth - 937-5640  lkennuth@ecmc.edu</p>
<p><b>Habitat for Humanity ReStore</b>  501 Amherst Street, Buffalo, NY 14207  Contact: Patrick Beecher- 852-6607  No e-mail</p>	<p><b>West Side Neighborhood Housing Services</b>  359 Connecticut Street, Buffalo, NY 14213  Contact: Linda Chiarenza- 885-2344  lchiaarenza@wsnhs.org</p>
<p><b>The Ashbury Shalom Zone</b>  520 Seventh Street, Buffalo, NY 14201  Contact: Sheila Greggor - 549-4454x4024  No e-mail</p>	<p><b>Neighborhood Information Center</b>  1170 Broadway, Buffalo, NY 14212  Contact: Dennis Mitchell - 897-4100  No e-mail</p>
<p><b>Habitat for Humanity Buffalo</b>  Various locations  Contact: Virginia Leigh- 832-2534  No e-mail</p>	<p><b>Niagara Falls Family YMCA</b>  1317 Portage Rd., Niagara Falls, NY 14301  Contact: Greg Larsen - 285-8491  glarson@ymcabuffaloniagara.org</p>
<p><b>Urban Christian Ministries</b> (food pantry, youth programs)  967 Jefferson Avenue  Contact: 882-9472  No e-mail</p>	<p><b>Hispanics United of Buffalo</b>  254 Virginia Street, Buffalo, NY 14201  Contact: Lourdes T. Iglesias- 856-7110x2201  liglesias@hispanicsunitedofbuffalo.net</p>
<p><b>Harvest House - Baby Ministry</b>  1782 Seneca Street, Buffalo, NY 14210  Contact: Linda Tatu - 825-0929  No e-mail</p>	<p><b>Journey's End Refugee Services</b>  184 Barton St.(14213)  Contact: Elaine Smyth- Bogumil - 882-4963x15  volunteers@jerswny.org</p>
<p><b>Bissonette House</b> (ex-offenders)  335 Grider St., Buffalo, NY 4215  Contact: Tom Pininpwski - 892-8224  senguil@yahoo.com</p>	<p><b>Literacy Volunteers</b>  1313 Main Street, Buffalo, NY 14209  Contact: Tracy Diina - 876-8991  tracy@literacybuffalo.org</p>
<p><b>Lifeline Project of the American Red Cross</b>  786 Delaware Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14209  Contact: Louisa Perez - 878-2376  perezl@usa.redcross.org</p>	<p><b>Gloria Parks Community Center</b>  3242 Main Street, Buffalo, NY 14214  Contact: Andrew J. Bird - 832-1010x228  No e-mail</p>
<p><b>Town Boys &amp; Girls Club</b>  54 Riverdale Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14207  Contact: Christine Hochulski - 873-3244x202  chochulski@bgnt.net</p>	<p><b>Delavan/Grider Community Center</b>  877 East Delavan Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14215  Contact: Nyeema Quinniey - 896-7021  quinnh58@buffalostate.edu</p>
<p><b>Prayer &amp; Praise Christian Academy</b>  1107 Main Street, Buffalo, NY 14209  Contact: Todd Moser - 882-3058  No e-mail</p>	<p><b>Niagara Community Center (afterschool tutoring)</b>  15<sup>th</sup> at Center Avenue, Niagara Falls (14305)  Contact: Glenda - 285-2920</p>
<p><b>Crucial Human Services</b>  230 Moselle Street, Buffalo, NY 14211  Contact: Staci Turner- 895-8891  staciaturner@hotmail.com</p>	<p><b>Newman Center</b>  1219 Elmwood Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14222  Contact: Rev. Patrick Zewgierski - 882-1080  bscnewmancenter@yahoo.com</p>
<p><b>Buffalo Psychiatric Center</b>  400 Forest Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14213  Contact: Susan Joffee - 816-2014  bupasmj@omh.state.ny.us</p>	<p><b>CEPHAS Prison Ministries</b>  102 Seymore Street, Buffalo, NY 14210  Contact: Micheal Oberst- 856-6131  mgoberst@raodrunner.com</p>

## AT RISK YOUTH AND AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS

<p><b>CAO Classroom Head Start Centers</b>  Contact: Susan Sharpe - 881-5150 for all locations  No e-mail</p>	<p><b>Bethel Head Start Centers</b>  Contact: Berna Nye 878-0220 for all locations  No e-mail</p>
<p><b>Holy Cross Head Start</b>  Various locations  Contact: Sharon Schultz-education- 877-5022x306  sshultz@holycrossheadstart.org</p>	<p><b>Helping Hands Learning Center</b>  3136 Walden Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14043  Contact: Gwen Hinsken- 682-3894</p>
<p><b>Holy Cross Head Start Centers</b>  Various locations  Contact: Charla Smith- 852-8373x31  csmityh@holycrossheadstart.org</p>	<p><b>Herman Badillo Bilingual Academy</b>  370 Normal Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14213  Contact: Mary Hayes- 816-3848</p>
<p><b>Holy Cross Head Start Centers</b>  Various locations  Contact: Cindy Schoenrack- long term internships-  877-5022x310</p>	<p><b>Salvation Army Youth Services</b>  960 Main Street, Buffalo, NY 14202  Contact: Carelita Gary- 883-980  no e-mail</p>
<p><b>West Side Community Services -Youth</b>  161 Vermont Street, Buffalo, NY 14213  Contact: Darryl Barber- 884-6616  Darryl_brbr@yahoo.com</p>	<p><b>Northwest Buffalo Community Center Youth Services</b>  155 Lawn Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14207  Contact: Frank Cunningham- 876-8108  Cunn1000@hotmail.com</p>
<p><b>Compass House Resource Center</b>  1451 Main Street, Buffalo, NY 14209  Contact: Michelle Moore- 884-3066  No e-mail</p>	<p><b>Cattaraugus and Wyoming Co. Project Head Start</b>  32 N. Main Street (14737)  Contact: Charity Farrington - 676-8020 x-2115  No e-mail</p>
<p><b>Compeer Volunteer Program</b>  135 Delaware Avenue, Suite 210, Buffalo, NY 14202  Contact: Karen Bartkowiak- 883-3331  Karen@compeerbuffalo.org</p>	<p><b>First Presbyterian Church</b>  Box 55, Gowanda, NY 14070  Contact: Melissa Fulk - 856-8866  No e-mail</p>
<p><b>Concerned Ecumenical Ministry STAR Afterschool Program</b>  286 Lafayette Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14213  Contact: Cynthia Lehman - 882-2442  clehman@cembuffalo.org</p>	

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