to our homeless neighbors

The New London Homeless Hospitality Center serves as a place of refuge and support for many people without a home and our successes are a direct result of generous people like you, who are willing to serve and support those in need through your time, talents, and effort.

We have three subsidiaries: The day time drop in center is open Monday through Saturday from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm; the Night time shelter at St. James Church is open daily from 7 pm to until 7 am; Homeward Bound Treasures Thrift Store is open Monday through Saturday, 11 am until 5 pm.

Volunteer Opportunities

We are seeking weekly commitments for most of our opportunities so that we are not constantly training new volunteers. Please feel free to try a day or two before committing to coming on a regular basis. If you cannot commit to weekly volunteering, we encourage you to team up with friends in order to cover a volunteer position on a weekly basis.

Homeward Bound Sales Volunteer: 1 to 3 hours, anytime

We are in need of sales volunteer who will support the staff at our thrift store, market the inventory at our store, and help customers as they shop in our store. Hours can vary from 11 am to 5 pm Monday through Saturday.

Facilities Staff Support - 10 am to 2:00 pm

We need one person daily from Monday through Friday to support the staff as they serve the guests at the day time shelter. This is a part time position for 4 hours a week.

St. James Shelter Morning Volunteer - 6:15 to 7:15 am

We need one person daily to support the morning staff at the overnight shelter as they close the shelter and prepare the guests for their day. This is a part time position for 1 hour a week.

St. James Shelter Evenings Volunteer - 6:30 to 9:30 pm

We need one person daily to help set up and to interact with the guests as they spend their evenings at the shelter. This is a part time position from 1 to 3 hours daily, 3 hours per week.

Skills or Talents

If you have any skills or talents that are not met by these positions (i.e. accounting, computer/technical skills, trade skills, etc.), please let us know. We always have need and would be happy to work around your schedule. We have our "to-do" list ready!

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Special Projects

If you belong to an organization (such as Girl/Boy Scouts, a confirmation class, the Lions club, or a VFW post), and would like to do a special project, please let us know. We always have need.

Collect Items

If you or your organization would like to help with a collection, please let us know. We have a thrift store at Homeward Bound Treasures that accepts all types of household goods in saleable condition. In addition, the day and nighttime shelters always need help in stocking:

Kitchen/Food Needs:

- disposable plates
- disposable Cups
- disposable utensil
- napkins
- Coffee/tea
- Powdered Drink Mix
- Instant oatmeal
- Individual cereals
- Soup mix
- Hot chocolate

Clothing Needs:

- Adult undergarments
- Socks
- Adult outerwear

Toiletries Needs:

- Shampoo
- Soap
- Conditioner
- Toothbrush/toothpaste
- Razors
- Shaving Cream
- Lotions

Miscellaneous Needs:

- Canvas bags
- Pillows
- Blankets
- Paper Towels
- Individual Laundry Detergent

Monthly Donations

Do you belong to a church, club, or other organization that could run a monthly collection? Please call as to find out how you can help!

Any time or talent you can give is deeply appreciated. Please join our effort to alleviate homelessness in our community.

Contact our volunteer coordinators, Bob Middeke-Conlin or Alyssa Languth, via **email** at hhc.volunter@gmail.com or by **phone** at: (860) 391-5457
Visit our **website** at www.nlhhc.org to learn more about what we do.

Visit our new **Facebook** page, just look up **New London Homeless Hospitality Center**

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