



Community Outreach Women's Ministry

PURPOSE:

- Our Women's Ministry is focused on providing one-on-one support for ladies who turn to the Winston-Salem Rescue Mission for help.

DESCRIPTION:

- **CONNECT:** Ladies in this ministry have the power to make our hurting neighbors feel seen, heard and loved. They do this by being available to talk, intentionally asking questions, making them feel welcome, and hearing their story.
- **PRAY:** We believe prayer works, and some of the ladies who come to the Rescue Mission for help do not have one person in this world praying for them. What an amazing opportunity we have to be that one!

TIME COMMITMENT:

- Onboarding Process
 - 30 minutes: You'll meet with our WSRM Volunteer Coordinator and fill out a Background Check.
 - 3 to 4 hours: We'll start you off serving 2 times in either the Food Pantry or Clothing Closet Ministries (each last around 2 hours) under the supervision of our Community Outreach Manager. This will give you insight to why these individuals are coming to the Mission and what we have available for them.
- Monthly
 - We ask that you sign up for 2 or more ministry times each month, at your convenience. Each of these times will be approximately 2 hours with the following availability:
 - TUE 9:00am – 10:30am
 - WED 8:00am – 9:30am
 - FRI 1:00pm – 2:30pm
- Once Every 6 Months
 - 1 evening: Every 6 months we will have an event where everyone involved in our volunteer ministries is invited to attend. We ask for you to come be a part of these events, not only so we can appreciate you, but also to build connections with others around the Mission.

CHARACTER COMMITMENT:

- We want anyone who comes for help at the Mission to know the love of God, and leave encouraged and built up every time they engage with our staff and volunteers. We need all of our volunteers to be actively growing in their love and walk with the Lord by attending a local church regularly. All volunteers in the Ladies Ministry program are required to comply with WSRM policies, statement of beliefs, and core values. All volunteers must be able to pass a background check before being allowed to participate.

ACTION STEPS:

- Fill out the application.
- Meet with our Volunteer Coordinator
 - Email: volunteer@WSrescue.org
 - Or Call: 336.723.1848 ext. 109
- Complete background check and sign agreement with statement of beliefs
- Complete onboarding training
- Begin volunteering

Therefore comfort each other and edify one another.

1 Thessalonians 5:11