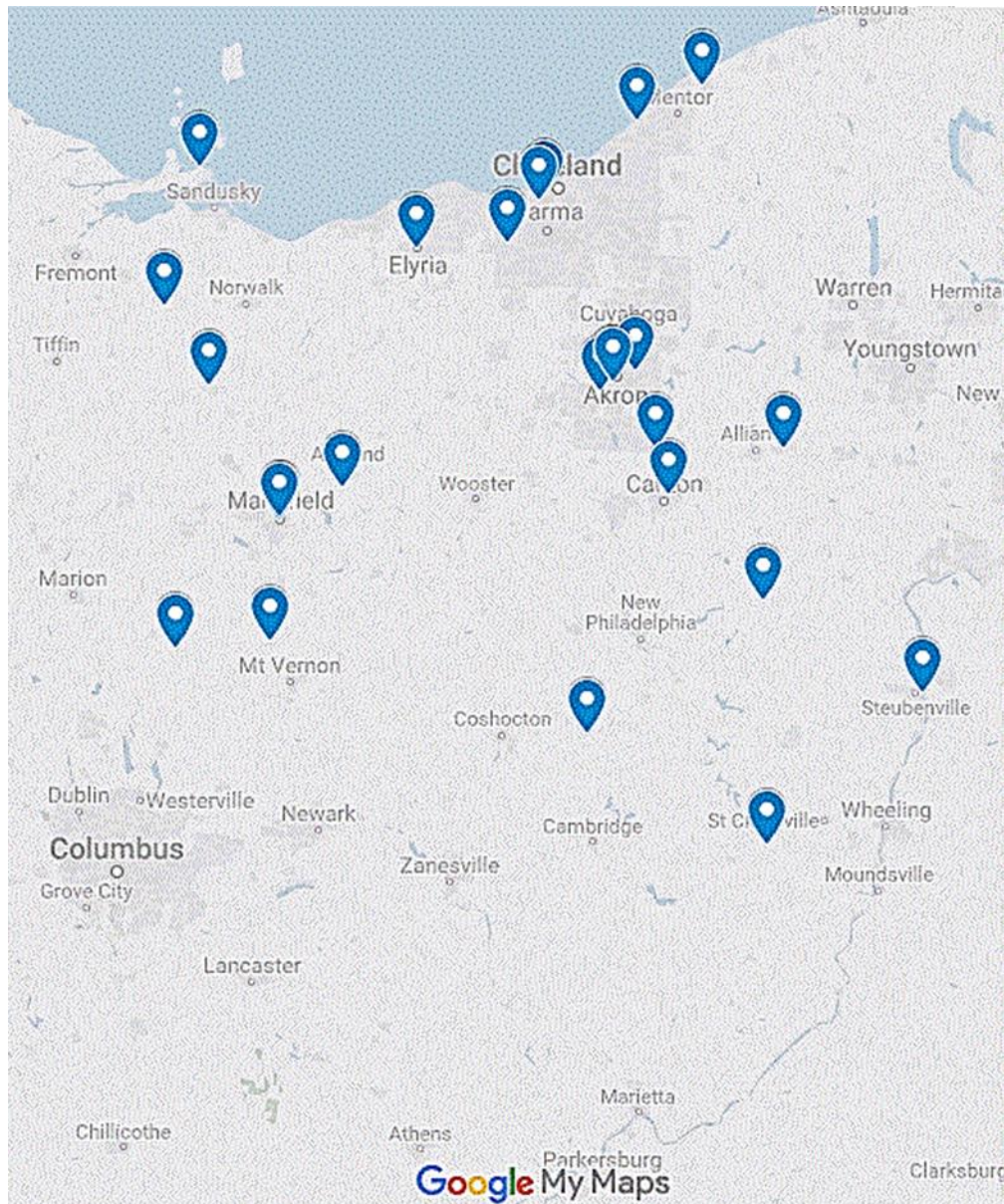


Bearing Fruit that Lasts

Will you be God's agents of transformation by serving with these Local Mission Partners in the East Ohio Conference as Players, Payers and Prayers?



[Google MyMaps East Ohio Mission Partners](#)

Local Mission Partners are “Advance Special Projects” or “Health & Welfare Ministries” that have been reviewed and recommended by the East Ohio Conference Board of Missions as ministries which

- Live into the mission and vision of the East Ohio Conference in local settings
- Serve in extension ministries that are broader in scope than can be fulfilled by the local church
 - Maintain covenant & fiscal accountability with conference leadership
- Provide opportunities for persons to grow in their faith through Christian service

We invite you to be:

Players - people who participate as volunteers or serve on boards

Payers - people who support the missions through generous giving

Prayers - people who surround these missions and their communities in prayer

For other mission opportunities, visit [EOC UM Volunteers In Mission](#)

If you know of a mission site that would like to become a Partner in Mission, please contact

Rev. Kathy Dickriede, kdickriede@gmail.com

Canal District

Mission Contact: Pastor David McGrath

Email: pastordave@yorkumc.org

-Heart for the City (Summit County): We are an Outreach Center located in the Goodyear Heights neighborhood of Akron, Ohio. Our mission is to be an inclusive community where all people are accepted. We strive to create a hospitable environment where people are respected, find hope, feel encouraged and can, therefore experience the transforming, unconditional love of Jesus Christ.

Contact: (330)-784-1350 heart4thecity.org Give to: EOC FUND 9941

-O.P.E.N M (Summit County): The mission of OPEN M, a Christian ministry, is to provide pathways out of poverty for all by feeding the hungry, caring for the sick, and strengthening the community.

Contact: (330)-434-0110 openm.org Give to: EOC FUND 9102

-Park UMC Discipleship Pathway & Outreach Ministry (Summit County): To assist people who are followers of Christ to experience transformation in their lives through the Discipleship Training program AND participate in ministry with those living in poverty, with people experiencing life changing tragedies and people who are classified as working poor.

Contact: (330)-745-3714 akronparkumc.org Give to: EOC FUND 9550

-South Street Ministries (Summit County): South Street Ministries looks to bring together people of different backgrounds to work in the community for a common good. South Street desires to see South Akron and Summit Lake as good places to live for all people, with safe streets, viable jobs, close grocery stores, and good friends.

Contact: (330)-761-1992 southstreetministries.org Give to: EOC FUND 9195

Firelands District

Mission Contact: Roger Skelley-Watts

Email: revroger@frontier.com

-Starting Point Outreach Center Willard (Huron County): Starting Point Outreach helps individuals with finding resources and getting help they need, whether it be financial, social or spiritual.

Contact: (419)-933-4100 startingpointoc.org/ Give to: EOC FUND 9939

-Flat Rock Homes: Provides outstanding services which transform lives of persons with intellectual and developmental disabilities, their families and persons with critical needs through a dedication to caring and excellence that demonstrates Christian values.

Contact: (419)-483-7330 flatrockhomes.org/ Give to: EOC FUND 9174

-Otterbein North Shore: Is a vibrant caring community on Lake Erie's shore offering comfort, wellness and freedom of choice.

Contact: (419)-798-4662 otterbein.org/find-a-location/Marblehead/ Give to: EOC FUND 9175

Mahoning Valley District

Mission Contact: Kathy Kramer

Email: office@mvdistumc.org

-Copeland Oaks: Provides flexible choices to meet the physical, recreational, emotional, cognitive, and spiritual needs of individuals in a safe family environment.

Contact: (330)-938-6126 copelandoaks.com/ Give to: EOC FUND 9172

Mid-Ohio District

Mission Contact: Allen Bevere

Email: arbevere@yahoo.com

-Access Ashland Emergency Shelter (Ashland County): Access is a coalition of Christian congregations that provide safe, temporary shelter, meals and compassionate assistance for homeless Ashland county women and families.

Contact: (419)-685-1232 ashlandaccess.com/contact.html Give to: EOC FUND 9953

-All God's Children (Richland County): All God's Children is an inner city mission church that meets every Tuesday night at six for worship. Following worship they provide a free meal to people in need. Clothing items and perishable food is also given out. A safe sanctuary and spiritual haven for all regardless of color, gender, age, or where you are on your path to God's glory.

Contact: (419)-522-3301 umc.org/find-a-church/church/131668 Give to: EOC FUND 9163

-Blue Rose Mission (Richland County): Blue Rose Mission helps homeowners in the Greater Mansfield area with home repairs while sharing the good news of Jesus Christ. This mission is focused on giving homeowners a safe living situation.

Contact: (419)-522-1431 bluerosemission.org/ Give to: EOC FUND 9940

-Disciple Shop (Morrow County): Disciple shop is a thrift shop that provides affordable clothing for families in need.

Contact: (419)-864-1866 Give to: EOC FUND 9119

-Harmony House (Richland County): Provides clients with emergency shelter, services and case management to help support them in being self-reliant.

Contact: (419)-522-2283 harmonyhousehomeless.org/ Give to: EOC FUND 9134

North Coast District

Mission Contact: Rev. David Whitt

Email: revdwhitt@yahoo.com

-Nehemiah Mission of Cleveland (Cuyahoga County): Nehemiah's mission helps to rebuild homes and communities while spreading the good news.

Contact: (216)961-6968 nehemiahmission.org/ Give to: EOC FUND 9136

-OhioGuidestone: Is a community solutions organization offering a unique blend of behavioral health treatment services, skill building programs and prevention opportunities for children and families. Free tutoring is held inside their lab, along with professional development programs.

Contact: (440)-234-2006 ohioguidestone.org/ Give to: EOC FUND 9173

-West side Community House (Cuyahoga County): West side Community House works to meet the needs of the community residents by providing an array of model programs and services for children, families, and older adults. Services are open to all social, racial, ethnic and income groups but are targeted to those who are most vulnerable and at-risk.

Contact: (216)-771-7297 wschouse.org/ Give to: EOC FUND 9933

-Wesleyan Senior Living: Provides an environmental for older adults to experience the fullness of life, encouraging them to age successfully by growing socially, intellectually, physically, and spiritually with the care and support of a Christian community.

Contact: (440)-284-9000 villageliving.org/ Give to: EOC FUND 9171

Ohio Valley District

Mission Contact: Rev. Ashley Steele

Email: asteel@urbanmission.org

-Neighborhood Community Development Center (Jefferson County): This mission is looking to help improve specific areas of the community.

Contact: (800)-831-3972 ndsohio.org/ Give to: EOC FUND 9112

-Urban Mission Ministries (Jefferson County): Urban Missions provide hot meals and emergency shelter for families in need. They also hold worship services and provide medical services.

Contact: (740)-282-8010 urbanmission.org/ Give to: EOC FUND 9107

-One Way Youth Ministry (Carroll County): Helping 6th-12th graders find and develop skills while helping them to pursue a lie following Christ.

Contact: (330)-627-7751 Give to: EOC FUND 9145

CADIZ – Cadiz Food Pantry runs out of Scott Memorial – but serves regionally. Pastor Tim. The building is apart from the church.

House of the Carpenter – supports ministry in East Ohio – Are they a general church advance special?

Southern Hills District

Mission Contact: Ted Buehl

Email: TedBuehl@gmail.com

-Epworth Mission Center (Belmont County): The Epworth center seeks to extend love and grace of Jesus Christ- in meeting physical, emotional, and spiritual needs no matter what the season of life.

Contact: (740)-484-4705 theepworthcenter.org/ Give to: EOC FUND 9140

Three Rivers District

Mission Contact: Rev. Keith Peachy

Email: Keithpeachy@gmail.com

-Interchurch Social Services of Knox County (Knox County): This is a Christian faith-based ministry, uniting community resources to meet the needs of those in crisis.

Contact: (740)-694-8110 interchurchknox.org/ Give to: EOC FUND 9196

-Journey's End Ministries (Tuscarawas County): This ministry is a free food and clothing pantry that lets families come and shop for items they may need.

Contact: (740)-498-5772 nonprofitfacts.com/OH/Journeys-End-Ministries-Inc.html

Give to: EOC FUND 9931

-Martha's Cupboard (Coshocton County): Martha's Cupboard is an emergency food pantry, solely ran by volunteers, established to provide people with a supply of nutritious and balanced meals for no cost.

Contact: (740)-545-6422 eocumc.com/three_rivers/marthas-cupboard.html

Give to: EOC FUND 9964

Tuscarawas District:

Mission Contact: Doris Brown

Email: doribrn@aol.com

-Canton Calvary Mission (Stark County): Serving Christ in the heart of the community by creating a safe haven and center for learning as well as providing for the spiritual and physical needs of the community.

Contact: (330)-456-4044 cantoncalvarymission.net/ Give to: EOC FUND 9151

Western Reserve District

Mission Contact: Nancy Dickerson

Email: ndickerson@mayfieldchurch.org

-McKinley Community Outreach Center (Lake County): To love our neighbors by assisting with basic needs, and creating a community of hope that supports personal and family stability as well as fostering positive change.

Contact: (440)-269-8008 mckinleycenter.org/ Give to: EOC FUND 9966

-Project hope for the homeless: To respond to the human hurts and hopes of persons in Lake County who are homeless by providing emergency shelter, care, and guidance in the name and sake for Jesus Christ.

Contact: (440)-354-6417 <https://projecthopeonline.org/> Give to EOC FUND 9143