

CHESAPEAKE CITY ECUMENICAL ASSOCIATION (CCEA)



Our Mission: *To serve as a bridge in the service gaps of our community, as they relate to financial emergencies, hunger, education, clothing and medical care.*

Our Vision: *To connect the churches and organizations of Chesapeake City through our Christian responsibility of "caring for our neighbor". This is to be done through a range of services including but not limited to financial aid, a food pantry and youth related programs. To continually seek to improve those services we currently provide and to grow both as an organization and in the ministry field as community needs are identified.*

CCEA at work in
your community.



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<https://www.facebook.com/CCEA4U>

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WHAT IS HAPPENING

JANUARY 2019

How do we fulfilled our Mission and Vision: *Through your generosity.*

- ✚ Donations from you in the form of:
 - Clothing (clean and in good condition)
 - Financial assistance, the following ministries are in need of assistance:
 - Emergency Fund
 - Founders' Scholarship
 - Vacation Bible School (VBS)
 - Food
 - Household goods - Household area is in need of bath, hand, & dish towel, sheets, pots & pans, and blankets. We are accepting donations of winter clothing at this time. Please donate only winter clothing that is clean and in good condition.
 - Volunteer hours

Thank You to:

✚ All who contribute to the Food and
Clothing/Household Pantry and Emergency Fund.

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We



Our Volunteers

Did you know?

Thank you to the following for their support for the CCEA clients during the Holiday Season:

The CCEA collected unwrapped new toys in hopes of providing needy children with toys for Christmas.

We provided sixty-one families with toys, Christmas decorations, and 95 coats were also given away.

May the donors and volunteers know that through your efforts they touches children's lives.

We received \$2010 in donations from various church members and private donors in support of providing

Thanksgiving and Christmas food for our clients. CCEA provided holiday food to 223 families.

St. Rose provided Christmas gifts for 12 families.

Old Bohemia Columbiettes provided \$500 in gift cards.

Trinity Church (CCUMC) Angel Tree provided \$820 in gift cards and cash donations.

Our Pantry Volunteers donated many labor hours throughout the Holiday Season. God Bless them, we couldn't accomplish our mission without their support.

Please know that no matter how you assisted the CCEA this Holiday Season, you brought joy to many homes in our community.

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What is Happening?

- Redner's receipts need to be turned in as soon as possible. They expire after 1 year. We trashes \$11,000 in expired receipts last month.
- Your support of time, talent and treasure is sincerely appreciated. We could not accomplish all we do without you. Wishing you many Blessings in the New Year.

Mark Your Calendars:

- Spaghetti Dinner January 19, 4 pm at CCVFW
- National Day of Prayer, May 2, 2019, Location: TBD, 6:30 pm
Watch for details



- VBS, July 28 – August 1, 2019, 5-8 pm at Town Point UMC

**Our needs are growing.
Your donations of time, talent and treasures are most appreciated!!!**

How Can I Help?



Help us spread the word about our charitable works:

- ✚ Ask a friend to check out our website and/or like and share our Facebook page
- ✚ Invite our president or a ministry director to speak at your next event
- ✚ **Donations - Note: may be tax deductible***

- *Make an on-line donation through our website or mail a check to our PO Box
- *Donate food, clothing or household goods
- Shop at Amazon Smile and select the CCEA as your charity. We receive .5% quarterly.
- Shop at Redner's Market and send the CCEA your unaltered receipt.
- Dine with Pat's Pizza and send the CCEA your store receipt (not credit card)

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+ Volunteers Needed

- We can use more volunteers.
- We need youthful volunteers. The future of this association is with the youth.
- Volunteer application is available on-line under the About tab.

+ Support:

- Stop by the CCEA Complex on Tuesday or Wednesday between 9-noon and let the volunteers know you appreciate all that they do to support our community.

CCEA Future is endless, it all depends on you and our volunteers.

Thank you for considering those less fortunate in our community.