

## A Brief History:

The Salvation Army was founded in 1865 by a Methodist street preacher named William Booth. He worked with people in the slums of East London. In 1880 The Salvation Army began work in the United States and in a few short years the ministry of The Salvation Army spread across the country. They were known for their loud bands, street meetings, soup kitchens, doughnut girls, and caring service.

"There is no reward equal to that of *doing the most good* to the most people in the most need." -Evangeline Booth, 1919

(The Salvation Army's 4th General)

## **The Salvation Army Needs You! Come Volunteer!**



Help needed: Food Pantry, Thrift Store, Landscaping, Soup Kitchen, Nursery Help, Reception, Musicians, Drivers, Homework Tutors, Audio Visual Aids, & more

Stop in today at one of our Northeast Nebraska locations for an application and additional information.

Visit us online at: [www.SANorfolk.org](http://www.SANorfolk.org)

## Administrative Office – Thrift Store & Food Pantry

112 N. 7th Street  
Norfolk, NE 68701  
402-379-4663 (ph) / 9914 (fax)

Commanding Officer: Captain R.C. Duskin

Corps Officer/Outreach Coordinator:  
Captain Miranda Duskin

Business Administrator: Millie Drey

Social Service Caseworker: Gloria Smith

Thrift Store Manager: Stephen Obershaw

## Columbus Office – Thrift Store & Food Pantry

1711 23rd Street  
Columbus, NE 68601  
402-564-2184 (Pantry) / 6919 (Store)

Store Manager/Caseworker: Charlene Wilson



## **Heart to God, Hand to Man**

The Salvation Army, an international movement, is an evangelical part of the universal Christian Church.

It's **message** is based on the Bible. It's **ministry** is motivated by the love of God. It's **Mission** is to preach the gospel of Jesus Christ & meet human needs in His name without discrimination.

The Salvation Army of Northeast Nebraska fulfills this mission by reaching out to meet the needs of people in three areas.

1. *Spiritually* by providing a place of worship and meaningful service.
2. *Emotionally* by treating people with respect, dignity and genuine compassion.
3. *Physically* by providing sensible material assistance based on individual needs.



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GOOD™**

One Mission Reaching 43 Million

# The Salvation Army and What we do

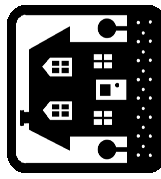
## General Community Assistance & Food Pantry

provides food assistance for households in Norfolk area: Antelope, Boone, Cedar, Cuming, Dixon, Holt, Knox, Madison, Pierce, Stanton, Thurston & Wayne counties, and in



Columbus area: Platte, Butler, Colfax & Polk counties. Other categories of help given in emergency situations include: diapers, clothing vouchers, limited transportation, hygiene items, house-wares, furniture, laundry detergent, & more. Our goal is to meet the diverse needs of the community.

Approximately 80% of the households we serve are at or below the federal poverty level or in real crisis. In Norfolk on an average day we serve 20 families (60 people) and in Columbus anywhere from 5 to 10 families daily.



## Housing Help & Energy Assistance

can pay a portion of a person's current energy bill, an emergency hotel stay, help with fuel oil or LP gas, help pay for a month's rent or mortgage for those with an emergency need.

**Disaster Services** provide local support when disasters strike such as fire, tornado, or flood, etc. Regular trainings are done regionally to prepare and equip people interested in volunteering for disaster service.



**Thrift Stores** offering secondhand merchandise at affordable prices are located in both Norfolk & Columbus. We aim to provide quality items at affordable prices & to generate funds for programs & services of The Salvation Army. Volunteer opportunities are available! Donations are gladly accepted.

## The Soup Kitchen Feeding Program

in our Norfolk Salvation Army dining hall provides free lunches for the community. Meals are available to all who enter regardless of income or circumstances. The schedule is: M-F 11:30-12:30 Sundays 12:00-1:00.

## Summer Camps & Retreat

opportunities are provided for all ages including Sports Camp, Kids Camp,



Teen Camp, Family Camp, Outdoors Camp, Music Camp, Women's Camp, Older Adult Camp & more. The Salvation Army Camp is regionally located in Bellvue. Full & partial scholarships are available to those who qualify.

## Seasonal Programs

offer a variety of services and activities throughout the year ranging from Easter Breakfast/meals, Back-to-School help, Thanksgiving food baskets & dinner, Christmas kettles & caroling, Christmas Food baskets and Toy give-aways, nursing home visitations & gift distribution, VBS (Vacation Bible School), and the Angel Tree program to all benefit households and individuals in need. During the summer we have also provided meals to children through the Kids Cruisin' Kitchen.



## WE ESPECIALLY THANK YOU!!

Because of your faith in our work - your support of our mission - we have touched the lives of millions of needy people not only here in our community but across the country and around the world. **Thank you** for partnering with us in caring for others.

*May God Bless You!*

## The Worship Center

includes all of the religious activities of The Salvation Army. In Norfolk, Church is held on Sundays beginning with Worship service at 10am & Sunday

School at 11am followed by a Fellowship luncheon. Our other weekly activities include: Character building pro-

grams for Youth & Teens,



Praise Team, Older Adult ministry, Women's group & Bible Study, Men's fellowship, Discipleship, and Bible Study. All are open to the public & supported internally.

## Other Organizational Operations

not falling into the above categories include program services such as: participation in community & advocacy groups, visits to care centers, correctional services, building use by outside groups, Advisory Board and Council activities, employee services, special events & programs (Annual Civic Dinner, Fundraising Campaigns, Family nights, Carnivals) & much more.

## World Missions

programs include Child Sponsorship, World Service Giving, Mission Trips & International Projects such as Feeding programs, Aids Clinics, Children's Homes, etc..



## Outreach Service

programs include the Volunteer Department & "follow up care" for clients & participants in Salvation Army programs. This area is responsible for recruitment, orientation, support and recognition of volunteers involved in Salvation Army programs and services. We identify unmet needs & measure effectiveness of our services to provide quality experiences.