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2019



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CARTERET COUNTY



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OUR MISSION

The Salvation Army, an international movement, is an evangelical part of the universal Christian Church. Its message is based on the Bible. Its ministry is motivated by the love of God. Its mission is to preach the gospel of Jesus Christ and to meet human needs in His name without discrimination.

Dear Friends,

For 155 years, The Salvation Army has been engaged in battles to alleviate human need in communities around the world. The Army's founder, William Booth started out with a burning desire to bring men and women to Christ. Booth soon realized that survival was the first priority of people struggling to meet their basic needs, and to reach their souls he had to first ensure they had food, shelter, and clothing.

Those needs, among others, still exist today. The fight is ongoing, and thanks to your support in 2019, The Salvation Army in the Carolinas continues to provide comfort, care and compassion wherever and whenever they are needed.

In the pages of this annual report, you will read about people who were overwhelmed by their circumstances. But you'll also read how your support has helped them overcome.

Thank you for joining us in this fight.

God Bless,

Major Aaron and Captain Jamie Goldfarb



MARVIN

Marvin knows that he was not the sort of person that could be trusted. He had an incredibly dark past. For 30 years he was a drug dealer, an addict and worse. He would stay high for days at a time and was often in trouble with the law. Still, during a time of incarceration, he knew that something had to change.

He could never have anticipated the way that it would happen.

“I walked outside ready to make a drug deal and the sun hit me and I just heard a voice and it said ‘It’s time.’ I went into the house and came back out, and I heard it again. I knew it was God. I called my niece and she brought me to The Salvation Army.”

After completing a drug rehabilitation program, The Salvation Army helped him to get his life back on track. He was given an opportunity to serve others who were struggling with

their own issues. The Salvation Army gave him a job helping with other programs that ministered to those who found themselves in situations much like his own. The Salvation Army saw the change in Marvin’s life and trusted him to help others. That’s when he knew that his life had been changed.

“After four months working the night shift they gave me the keys to the doors. They respected me, and for them to give me the opportunity to do things and not judge me because of my past and what I used to do, they became my family. It’s very rare for someone who doesn’t know you, to trust you like that.”

Incredibly, as a new man, Marvin discovered a passion for mentoring young people. He teaches lessons on teamwork, attentiveness and good values. He makes himself available to listen to stories about their home and school lives, and he encourages the young people to hold each other accountable and reach for a higher standard.

Marvin credits The Salvation Army with teaching him about Jesus Christ, about forgiveness and how to be a man of integrity. He discovered that his life was not defined by his past. Thanks to the love of God and The Salvation Army, Marvin has experienced a complete and total transformation.

“On my 47th birthday I played basketball by myself in the rain, and just cried. For the first time in 30 years I was celebrating my birthday clean. If it weren’t for The Salvation Army, I wouldn’t have known my purpose. I have found my passion.”

EXPENSES

\$807,172



CORPS COMMUNITY CENTER
\$249,413



MANAGEMENT & GENERAL
\$18,443



SOCIAL SERVICES
\$464,117



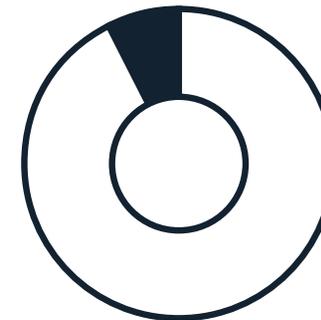
FUNDRAISING
\$75,199



FAMILY STORE
\$164,733

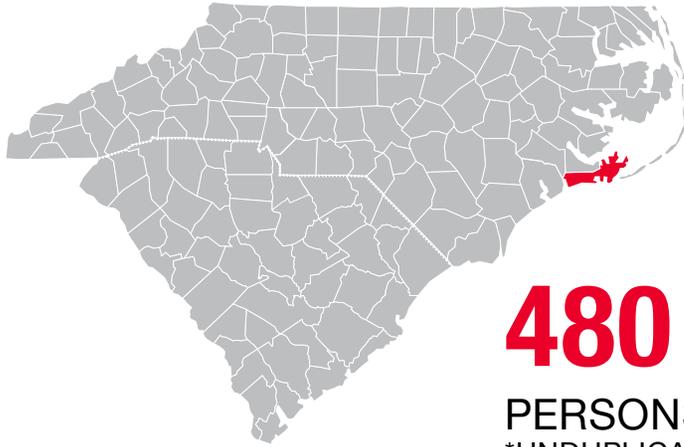


DONATIONS
\$559,042



**SPECIAL EVENTS &
OTHER REVENUE**
\$57,826

REVENUE
\$781,601



480

PERSONS SERVED
*UNDUPLICATED

SERVING CARTERET COUNTY



114

HOUSING ASSISTANCE

46

NIGHTS OF SHELTER

694

MEALS PROVIDED

187

CLOTHING ITEMS

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Morehead City, NC 28557

FAMILY STORE
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FOOD ASSISTANCE

The Salvation Army of Carteret County provides emergency food assistance for individuals and families in the community.



353

The number of individuals and families that received food assistance from The Salvation Army of Carteret County in 2019.

To find out how you can support your community, please visit:

salvationarmycarolinas.org/support

