

VIP Host Program

VIP HOST families act as a resource for children who could benefit from additional family interaction apart from their Christian City home. Prerequisites for family involvement in this program include attendance and commitment to a local church body, personal and church-related references, personal interviews and successful criminal records background check for all adult members of a VIP Host family.

Volunteering/Other Ways To Help

We care for children every day of the year. Many volunteer opportunities are available:

- Academic Tutoring
- Child Mentoring through the VIP Host Family program
- Office/Clerical work in the Administration building
- Recreational activities with the children
- Repair/Handiwork (plumbing, electrical, building, yard & garden work, etc.)
- Group service projects at The Children's Village provided by: Church youth/Adult groups; Civic clubs, and business organizations (for service hours/team building opportunities, etc.).
- Fund raising projects to benefit The Children's Village
- Other opportunities and/or seasonally appropriate activities as identified by Volunteers/Group members

There are also ongoing opportunities for both Bachelor and Master's level student internships at The Children's Village throughout the year.

Loving people...
loving people

Please sponsor a child today!

Child Sponsorship donations help us provide a safe haven, food, clothes, education, emotional support and the daily loving guidance of Christian house parents. Your help is appreciated! We will mail you a sponsorship Welcome Kit with more information.

Yes! I want to sponsor a child!

Sign up faster online at www.christiancity.org

Sponsorship Options (you may sponsor monthly or annually)

Monthly Amount: _____ (\$30 minimum) Annual Amount: _____ (\$365 minimum)

Boy Girl Any child Don't assign me a child

Payment Options

Check/money order enclosed Visa MC AMEX ▶ Card #

Please call me for my credit card info

Please debit this card monthly for amount indicated

Name: _____ Exp. Date: _____ Amount: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip _____

Tel/Email: _____ Signature: _____

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About Christian City

Christian City is a nonprofit, non-denominational organization providing for the needs of children and senior citizens. The 500 acre campus located in Union City, GA, helps to meet the needs of more than 1,100 people in The Children's Village At Christian City, Nursing & Rehabilitation Center, Alzheimer's Care, Sparks Inn Assisted Living and Personal Care Facility, and Independent Retirement Homes and Apartments.

Child/Family Counseling
770-964-3309

Graceland Thrift Store
770-969-9957

Financial Sponsorship
770-703-2636

Call for information regarding purchasing or donating items

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A Long History Of Caring For Children

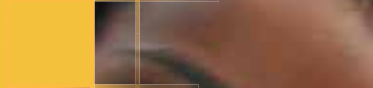
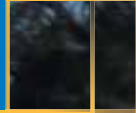
For a half century, the Christian City "Home for Children" has provided a quality Christ-centered, family-focused, community-based program of care for the many "children of need" coming to us. There have been program enhancements and additional ministry opportunities added over the years, and we changed our name to The Children's Village at Christian City in 2008, but the commitment to the children and dedication to the purpose, goal and vision of the original "Home for Children" has not changed. The Children's Village at Christian City ministry provides children a stable environment where they learn structure, responsibilities, and live in a productive, affirming, and safe home.

The Children's Village at Christian City offers life services and a safe haven for children in crisis. Our commitment is to minister to the needs of the children and their families by bringing about a healthy reunification process. In circumstances where reunification of the family is not possible, our goal is to provide a safe and loving home environment where they can feel nurtured.

"Providing hope, restoring trust, mending hearts,—serving Jesus Christ."

We want to break the negative cycles our children have experienced in their very short lifetimes, and help them learn the life skills they need to lead full and productive lives.

The Children's Village is built on the **Biblical foundation of family**. Christian City supports this model of care with children and house parents living together as a family unit. Each child is given unique opportunities to develop as an individual and as an interdependent family member. The child's biological family is vital to our family model of care. Both the child's biological family and our staff work together as a team for the best interest of every child in our care. To help preserve the family unit, counseling for family, individuals, and the child is offered. Team meetings for the child's care planning involve staff members, biological family members, the child, the house parents, mental health professionals, educators, and others.



Children come to the Children's Village at Christian City struggling to make sense of a childhood gone terribly wrong. Abused, abandoned, & crushed in spirit, they long for a reason to smile again. **Our purpose & vision** is to maintain and support the integrity and sanctity of each child's family, while we minister the love of Christ, restoring hope...and smiles.

A Warm & Loving Home Environment

From the moment children arrive at **The Children's Village at Christian City** they are surrounded by a loving home setting where they can bond together with other children of similar backgrounds and

situations. Children learn to interact both spiritually and socially with peers and loving house parents. They attend the same schools, participate in extra-curricular activities, go to church together-

er, do homework together, and learn to make unique contributions to their family.

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A "family visitation center" is available on site for families to spend quality time alone with their children, which may include an overnight visit.

Transitional Living Program

The TRANSITIONAL LIVING PROGRAM for post high school residents features a program for young adults who reside on our campus and who have completed their high school education. This program encompasses an outreach effort for these young adults and includes financial investment into their post high school education, possible residence in a separate campus apartment for specified periods of time, and applied supervision to assist these young adults in making quality career and life decisions. Young adults in this program may choose college attendance, trade school, and career preparation, or enter the world of work. Every Transitional Living Program candidate must have a plan for personal development which includes one of the above options.