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Pathway to Serving

OPPORTUNITIES, CONTACTS AND RESOURCES



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A Community and a World in Need. A Church Who Loves.

**Discover your
Community Impact or Global Outreach Ministry Passion!**
A next step on your journey of knowing and becoming more like Christ.

What an exciting new path you're traveling as you seek new ways to integrate community impact and global outreach into your own life (or the life of your family or small group). This directory is designed to help you move forward toward "Giving yourselves away for the least and the lost." As Dunwoody Baptist Church follows our mission to impact our community and reach our world, it is our desire to help you find a place to serve that best fits your specific passions, gifts and calling.

As you set out on this Pathway to Serving, you need to **make some decisions**. As you begin this journey we encourage you to make prayer your primary focus.

Decision #1- Will you **answer God's call** to serve others?

We live in a consumer driven society. The latest products and gadgets promise "more ways to keep in touch", "fuss free", "do more at once", more safe, more comfortable, more beautiful, more confident...God intends for us to live effective and productive lives...but are we honestly pursuing the abundant life that He has planned for us?

For those who intentionally take the next step in this journey of knowing and becoming more like Christ, God promises peace that passes understanding! He promises joy unspeakable! These are lasting benefits you can count on! But, you must be intentional as you seek God. One important "next step" is to answer God's call in your life to extend mercy to those who are less fortunate.

God intends to do His work through each believer, who then impacts others, spreading the Good News to all they come in contact with. Each person shares their very life for Christ, beginning with their closest personal relationships and then reaching out to the needy in the community and the world.

God makes his instructions very clear. "If you see some brother or sister in need and have the means to do something about it but turn a cold shoulder and do nothing, what happens to God's love? It disappears. And you made it disappear. My dear children, let's not just talk about love; let's practice real love." 1 John 3:17-18 (The Message)

When God's Concerns Become Your Own

By Jeff Reams, Minister with Missions

"Dear friends, now we are children of God, and what we will be has not yet been made known. But, we know that when He appears, we will be like Him..." 1 John 3:2

How can you tell you are growing as a follower of Jesus? Should you measure church attendance, number of Bible studies, small group participation, Bible verse memorization, leadership in church activities? Sometimes, unintentionally, these become the ways we measure our growth.

A good way to tell if you are growing as a follower is to look at what concerns you. Are the concerns of Christ becoming your concerns? As followers of Jesus, we are called to look more like our Lord, to become more like Christ in heart and action.

So, as we grow, our concerns become more like the concerns of Christ. If someone were to ask you, "what concerns God? What does God care about?" How would you answer them?

If Christ were to walk around in your world, what would he care about? The Bible helps us understand the concerns of Christ for this world. To name a few, we can read that God is concerned about His glory, His worship. He is concerned about people, their needs, and the situations in which they live. He is concerned about justice and mercy. He is concerned about truth.

He is concerned about children, reminding us that we must become like them in order to enter the kingdom. He is concerned about the poor materially and the poor in spirit. He is concerned about His people, that they be one in spirit and purpose. He is concerned that all nations come to know Him.

As people who can claim to know God, we should know first hand what concerns Him. And as growing followers of Jesus, it is our hope to become more like Him. Rather than concerns for comfort, safety, power, prestige and material things, we want our concerns to be what concerns Christ.

Throughout this booklet are opportunities for you to explore the concerns of God in this community, city and around the world. As a unique follower of Jesus, your concerns will not necessarily be the concerns of someone else. You might be drawn to a local ministry to women and families, or the business community. You might be drawn to a ministry to immigrants or even a global ministry in some other country.

The important thing is to get involved. Experiment. Try something new. Go someplace to serve someone else. As you go, pray that the Spirit makes the concerns of Christ your own. Pray that you become more like Christ as a result of serving.

Doing good things in this community and around the world is not an end in itself. Serving is not the primary goal. We want to be more like Christ. We want the concerns of Christ to be our own. When this happens, the world will be drawn to Christ because of the love they see between us and for others.

So, pray and ask yourself, are the concerns of Christ becoming my own?

Summer Mission Trips

Ukraine

A trip designed to encourage Ukrainian congregations and ministry leaders by praying with and worshipping with them.

- Up to four people

DBC Liaison: Hank Brink, HBrinkdrug@aol.com, 770.396.6421

Ottawa

Partner with a local church as they seek to establish a presence in their community.

- Family-friendly mission trip
- Backyard Bible Club opportunities
- Community activities planned to help the congregation build relationships with locals

DBC Liaison: Beth Chaney, kenbethchaney@aol.com, 404.428.5919

Costa Rica

Work with a Pastor and congregation near San Jose to establish ministries in the community.

- Family-friendly mission opportunity
- Distribution of Scripture and outreach events in public settings
- Backyard Bible Club

DBC Liaison: Sebastian Suma, sebastiansuma@yahoo.com, 770.645.1574

North Georgia

Assist at a week long camp for inner city kids run by Vision Atlanta.

- Awesome family mission trip. Bond with inner city campers. Great kids who live in very tough places who need the hope of Christ!
- Sunday - Friday camp - July 2008

DBC Liaison: John Delk, jdelk@bellsouth.net, 404-697-6909

NOTE 1: All mission trips include an application and approval process. Obtain the necessary forms through the Missions Office.

NOTE 2: Additional trips are in various planning stages. Contact the Missions Office for the latest details.

Decision #2 - Which **group of people** do you feel most passionate about serving?

- Women and Families in crisis who have basic, urgent needs: housing, food, clothes, job skills, health care, encouragement.
- Immigrants and US Visitors who need to learn to use the English language to safely provide for their families in uncertain surroundings/culture.
- Elderly and Disabled who need companionship.
- At Risk Youth and Kids who need positive role models who show unconditional love.

Decision # 3 - Does God desire that you go beyond financial giving as **your primary vehicle for mercy ministry**? Can you trust God with your most precious possession: **Time**? Do you believe that God has a faith building, life transforming personal encounter waiting for you?

Decision # 4 - Which **ministry will you try** for the first time?

- In the following pages of this directory, find the Area of People you feel most passionate to serve. The Community Impact section includes: 1) Women and Families 2) Immigrants and US Visitors 3) Elderly and Disabled 4) At Risk Youth and Kids. Additionally, in the back of this directory, the Global Outreach section lists the 2008 international mission trips that DBC has planned for several different countries.
- For your preferred Area of People, read the ministry descriptions in *italics*. Does any particular ministry stir your heart?
- Read the types of volunteer tasks listed next to the black dot. Has God gifted you to do this kind of work? Is this something you can physically do?
- Note the coding system M=Men friendly, W=Women friendly, T=Teen friendly, S=Senior friendly, C=Child friendly, P=Preschooler friendly in order to tailor your ministry goals to your unique family circumstances.
- Note which days and hours are available for volunteer shifts. Does this fit your schedule?
- Call or email the DBC Liaison listed for each ministry. This liaison is a member or regular attender at DBC and has personally volunteered in this ministry. They have a special passion for this ministry, they can answer any questions, and they can help you schedule your first volunteer assignment by putting you in contact with the ministry partner's volunteer coordinator.

Decision # 5 - If you have discovered your passion for a new mercy ministry, what will be **your ministry goal for 2008**?

- Can you volunteer quarterly?
- Can you volunteer monthly or weekly?
- Can you participate in an international mission trip?

May God be glorified in all our efforts to serve Him.

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Vision Atlanta	John Delk	404.697.6909	jdelk@bellsouth.net
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Global Outreach Mission Trips and DBC Liaisons



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Dunwoody Baptist Church Minister of Missions: Jeff Reams
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2008 National Short Term Mission Conference—January 17 - 20, 2008

All team leaders who plan to participate in 2008 DBC mission trips, should attend this workshop.

DBC Liaison: Jeff Reams, jreams@dbc.org, 770.280.1200, www.nstmc.org

Spring Mission Trips

Honduras

A continuation of our nine-year partnership with church leaders in Morolica.

- Limited to a team of eight people
- Light construction, work with children and women
- Accommodations are adequate but sparse

DBC Liaison: Spencer Cornett, spencer@royaloakllc.com, 404-538-4758

Jamaica

A multi-purpose mission trip that combines a camp experience for young boys while training their teachers and other staff in counseling and educational practices. A continuation of more than eleven years of experience in this location.

- Camp Team needs a number of male team members who will serve as mentors and camp counselors for the boys
- Team members are on-call 24-hours a day during camp
- Camp accommodations are above average
- Workshop Team needs persons skilled in education and counseling

DBC Liaison: Kay Hornsby (Workshop), kay_hornsby@bellsouth.net, 770.454.6196

DBC Liaison: Andrea Ethridge (Camp), aethridge@vhageorgia.com, 770.396.3469

France

DBC sent its first team to France in 2006 to renovate a worship center. We partner with a small growing congregation to achieve mutual goals.

- The 2008 trip goals are currently being determined jointly with our French partners

DBC Liaison: Carol Carman, editor5415@bellsouth.net, 770.667.9676

Venezuela

This will be our third mission trip to Venezuela. We will work with a local Pastor and congregation in discipleship, evangelism and vision-casting

- 10 to 12 men are needed to complete this team
- Experience in sharing one's faith and a commitment to discipling new believers is expected of team members

DBC Liaison: Tom Frost, tefrost@bellsouth.net, 770.551.9692

DBC Liaison: Dayton Hedges, dshedges@comcast.net, 770.396.6133

Vision Atlanta M W T

A summer camp for inner city kids in the Suwanee –Gainesville area.

- Awesome family mission trip. Bond with inner city campers. Great kids who live in very tough places who need the hope of Christ!
- Summer camp counselors, bus drivers from downtown Atlanta to Suwanee area camp location.

DBC Liaison: John Delk, jdelk@bellsouth.net, 404-697-6909

Wilderness Works Youth Ministry M W

A non-profit organization serving economically at risk children from the Reynoldstown area

- Take a group of kids on field trip excursions or outings near Atlanta where they can experience the outdoors.

DBC Liaison: Brian Evans, brianevans99@gmail.com, 678-357-7254

Ministry Descriptions and DBC Liaisons

Area #1 Women and Families

Area Leader: Robin Dye, robindye@aol.com, 678.461.8400

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Atlanta Day Shelter M W S T

A Christian organization serving 150 homeless women & children every day. Provides food, shelter, clothing, life skills training.

- Sort donated clothes and children's supplies, teach basic computer, resume writing

DBC Liaison: Tiffany Thomas, tiffanyann28@yahoo.com, 678.772.3709

Apartment Life Ministries. CARES Team Support M W

A Christian ministry to the 95% un-churched residents in Ashford Dunwoody apartment communities.

- Investigate CARES Team ministry: assist apartment management in building community and serving residents. Free apartment. 10 hours/week commitment. www.apartmentlife.org
- Volunteer at events with CARES team at "the Point" apartments.

DBC Liaison: Stephen Bandela, Stephen_bandela@yahoo.com, 770.934.4772

Benevolence M W S

DBC ministry providing financial assistance, food and transportation for needy families and the working poor in our community. Located on DBC campus.

- Conduct personal interviews for financial assistance and distribute DBC missions funds, food and referral information. Volunteer shifts available: Mon., Wed., Fri. mornings. Basic training provided. Qualifications: A heart of mercy.

DBC Liaison: Dick Raebel, rfrbsr56@bellsouth.net, 770.457.0758

Community Action Center M W S T

A non-profit organization that provides clothing, food and financial assistance to the needy and working poor in Sandy Springs and Dunwoody. Located at Roswell Road near the Northridge Road Exit off 400.

- Organize donations, Attendant/cashier at thrift shop, data entry, pick up/delivery of donations, conduct personal interviews for financial assistance.

DBC Liaison: Dee Hedges, dshedges@comcast.net, 770.396.6133

Crossroads Career Network M W S

DBC ministry to assist the misemployed, unemployed and underemployed to find a spot in the workplace that God has prepared for them. Eph 2:10. Format is monthly meetings providing job search training, informational speakers and networking opportunities. Located on DBC campus.

- Be a meeting greeter, publicity helper or presenter of a 30 min. power point on job search basics.

DBC Liaison: Patricia Wright, wright1215@yahoo.com, 404.213.5512

Dunwoody Business Network M W S

DBC ministry to the Dunwoody-Perimeter business marketplace. Monthly lunch meetings offer a unique networking/relationship building opportunity by featuring top Christian business men and women from around the U.S. as keynote speakers.

- Join planning team to manage monthly events.

DBC Liaison: Carol Carman, editor5415@bellsouth.net, 770.667.9676

Feed the Hungry M W T C P S

A non-profit organization that provides a box full of 1 week's worth of meals to underprivileged. Perfect for families seeking service opportunity that can be done together.

- Deliver meals to underprivileged families and pray during home visit
- DBC Liaison:** Ernestine McCaskill, eamccaskill@comcast.net, 770.730.8832 or 770.652.3951

First Fruits M W T C P S

DBC ministry of coordinators for the DBC monthly food drive. Purpose: To re-stock the food pantries of our Ministry Partners (such as Community Action Center) who care for the needy and hungry in our immediate community.

- Collect, sort and distribute food to nearby Ministry Centers.
- DBC Liaison:** Chester Johnson, chester.johnson@comcast.net, 770.451.4748

Good Samaritan Health Clinic M W T C S

A non-profit health clinic for the underprivileged serving the downtown area.

- Volunteer doctors, nurses, dentists, receptionist and filers are needed.
- Purchase and assemble hygiene kits for clients.

DBC Liaison: Byers Rogan, byersrogan@earthlink.net, 770.650.0609

Grant Park Clinic M W S

A non-profit health clinic for the underprivileged. Serves the Grant Park and downtown Atlanta areas.

- Volunteer doctors, nurses, dentists, receptionist, filing.
- DBC Liaison:** Terry Wood, terry.wood@mindspring.com, 770.394.2915

Intercessory Prayer M W T S

DBC ministry of people committed to pray for other's needs. Prayer requests are generated from DBC members and attendees. Those who pray have said, "You will meet the Holy Spirit here." "You will see God work." "This is a holy place." "I have to go every week to find out how blessed I am."

- Sign up for a weekly one hour shift in DBC's Prayer room. Open 24 hours/7 days.
- DBC Liaison:** Marcia Cotton, lydcot@yahoo.com, 770.393.3686

Jars of Clay M W T C S

A non-profit outreach and Christian church dedicated to helping the inner-city poor. They provide hope, shelter, food, clothing, life rehabilitation, education, job training, and biblical training to thousands of children, families and adults each month. They strive to help solve moral decay, crime, drug, gang, homelessness and poverty epidemics that exist in Atlanta's inner-city. Located on the west side of 75/85 at the University Blvd exit, near the Braves stadium.

- Painting and grounds clean-up projects
- Provide funds for collapsible beds for their homeless shelter
- Assist with client check in, help cook meals, pass out Christmas gifts
- Repair donated personal computers

DBC Liaison: Sabrina McDonald, slmcdonald@hotmail.com, 770.393.4117

Jerusalem House M W T C S

A non-profit organization providing permanent housing for women with AIDS and their children. Located near Emory.

- Quarterly birthday party for residents, yard work, tutoring, sort donations, mentoring, receptionist and activity coordination for families

DBC Liaison: Janet Newman, janetsnewman@yahoo.com, 678.427.2014

Area #4 At Risk Youth and Kids

Area Leader: Susan Still spstill1@bellsouth.net 770.393.1307

Key: M=Men Friendly W=Women Friendly T=Teen Friendly
C=Children Friendly P=Preschooler Friendly S=Senior Friendly

Assistance League of Atlanta M W T S

A non-profit organization that uses thrift shop proceeds to fund support programs for needy children. Located just south of I-285 in the 30341-Peachtree Industrial area.

- Sort and organize clothes/donations, assemble bags of new clothing according to size for needy school kids. Great project for teens, too.

DBC Liaison: Bev Wilkinson, bev.wilkinson@comcast.net, 678.612.9020

Bethany Christian Services-Adoption and Foster Care M W T C S

A foster care and adoption agency. Located in Sandy Springs.

- Purchase and assemble overnight emergency bags for foster children
- Host a party for foster children
- Host a fundraising "baby shower"

DBC Liaison: Cindy Credille, pepperpa@comcast.net, 770.451.2937

Christmas Store M W T C S

Provide Moncrief, Stewart Center and Community Action Center client families with Christmas gifts.

- Collect donated toys from DBC, set up "mock" toy stores at ministry centers, help moms shop, wrap gifts

DBC Liaison: Debbie Shade, debshade@bellsouth.net, 770.394.1966

Foster Care Support M W T S

A non-profit community resource dedicated to helping provide clothing, toys and equipment to foster families and foster children in Georgia.

- Organize storage facility for free distribution of goods (sorting clothes, organizing supplies, etc.)

DBC Liaison: Susan Still, spstill1@bellsouth.net, 770.393.1307

Moncrief Ministry in Eastpoint M W T

A ministry to Eastpoint's underprivileged. Located at Eastpointe Baptist Church

- Assist with Monday night "Family Night" for children and families
- Kids all day VBS summer Bible activities, youth Bible study weekday evenings

DBC Liaison: Ashlie Duncan, ashlieduncan@gmail.com, 678-907-1007

Stewart Center M W T S

Minister and care for school age children and their parents in Reynoldstown. Off I-20, North of Zoo Atlanta.

- After school tutoring, evening basketball mentoring for youth, help with summer VBS style camps, driver needed every Thurs. am to pick up Bible students, provide 30 lunches once a month

DBC Liaison: Diane Kennedy, dianetk@bellsouth.net, 770.394.4132

Area #3 Elderly and Disabled

Area Leader: Varion Spear snooks17@bellsouth.net 770.396.5442

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Brighton Gardens M W T C P S

Assisted Living Community of Seniors just down the road from DBC.

- Visit, assist with craft project, host Bible study, take walks with residents, lead songs, etc.

DBC Liaison: Pamela Erdman, perdman@cisco.com, 404.386.1072

Developmental Disabilities Ministries-Briarlake & Chatam Homes M W S

Non-profit ministry that sponsors group homes for adults with developmental disabilities. Briarlake is a woman's group home in the Briarlake area. Chatam is a men's group home in Alpharetta.

- Fellowship with 5 residents, sing songs, do craft projects

DBC Liaison: Varion Spear, snooks17@bellsouth.net, 770.396.5442

Dogwood Forest M W T C P S

Assisted Living Community of Seniors near DBC.

- Visit, assist with craft project, join Guy's Bible study, take walks with residents, lead songs, etc.

DBC Liaison: Guy Berger, jberger@bellsouth.net, 770.671.1977

Gardens of Sandy Springs M W T C P S

Assisted Living Community of Seniors near GA 400 and Northridge Exit

- Visit, assist with craft project, join with the Bible study, take a walk with residents, lead songs, etc.

DBC Liaison: Becky Babbitt, bob.babbitt@cingular.com, 770.393.3498

Project Open Hand M W T C P S

A non-profit meals on wheels organization that provides meals to Seniors and the terminally ill throughout Atlanta. Perfect for families to serve together. Very good maps provided. You can call at the last minute with the desired length of the route you wish to drive (ex. 2-3 hours). The hot food will be waiting for you to pick up at their mid-town location off the Connector.

- Deliver meals to underprivileged families in the Atlanta metro area and pray during home visit

DBC Liaison: Ron/Val Dickerson, dickerson_ronald@hotmail.com, 770.518.4466

Senior Connections M W T C P S

An agency that helps frail and homebound Seniors maintain independence and quality of life. Serves DeKalb County.

- Yard work or Meals on Wheels for seniors

DBC Liaison: Gerald McCarley, gmccarley@bellsouth.net, 770.394.0731

Kairos Prison Ministry M W S

A men and women's prison ministry to pray, share Christ's love and forgiveness, share meals and fellowship with prisoners. Teams of 30+ volunteers conduct a 3 day event, followed by half day monthly reunions. Women serve in women's prisons. Men serve in men's prisons. One day training and background checks are required of volunteers.

- Sit with residents for table discussions, prepare or serve food, prepare prayer chains.

DBC Liaison: Linda Miness, lminess@abf.com, 770.516.4633

Mary Hall Freedom House M W T C S

A non-profit provider of residential substance abuse care, moving women and children to sobriety and independent living. Located in Sandy Springs at Roswell Road and Dunwoody Place Rd.

- Assist with career training seminars, GED preparation and substance abuse recovery. Also help needed with daycare Mon. and Wed., 10 - 4, Tues. and Thurs., 2 - 8 and after school tutoring with children.

DBC Liaison: Robin Dye, robindye@aol.com, 678.461.8400

New Resident Hospitality M W T S C P

DBC ministry to deliver "welcome" bags to new residents

- Become "Neighborhood Hospitality Captain" of your Dunwoody, NE Sandy Springs neighborhood. We need captains for 49 targeted neighborhoods. Deliver approximately 3 bags per quarter to new residents. Start today by emailing Kim to tell her the name of your neighborhood. Perfect for families.

DBC Liaison: Kim Dickie, kimdeandickie@bellsouth.net, 770.663.0355

Pregnancy Resources of Doraville W S

A non-profit ministry center providing support to women, mostly immigrants and refugees in the Chamblee Doraville area.

- Abortion counselors/pregnancy advisors needed weekly or monthly. Training provided.

DBC Liaison: Robin Whitesides, r_whitesides@bellsouth.net, 770.447.9008

Union Mission Women's Shelter M W T S

A Christian organization that provides homeless and low income women and children with life skills and basic needs. Located near Georgia Tech and Northside Dr.

- Sort clothes at clothes closet, facilitate class on job readiness skills.

DBC Liaison: Ashley Swanson, rodenaa@hotmail.com, 404.234.5441

Area #2 Immigrants and U.S. Visitors

Area Leader: Jan Parker janpark@bellsouth.net 770.458.8763

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Ambassadors—Int'l Graduate Student Hospitality M W T C P S

DBC ministry to Georgia State graduate students who may spend 2+ years in the U.S. and may not have met an American family or seen an American home. Spend 2 hours of your day, just one time and give a memory these students will never forget. Students referred by Georgia State Baptist Student Union. Great project for families.

- Invite students home for lunch, to a sports activity, to a cultural event, to run errands.

DBC Liaison: Carol Carman, editor5415@bellsouth.net, 770.667.9676

Apartment – After School Tutoring M W T S

Provides support to immigrants and refugees.

- Homework help and Bible stories to Hispanic kids in apartments off Peachtree Industrial Blvd. or Buford Hwy, 2:30 - 4:00pm, Northchase and Pearl Lane: Mon.- Fri., Shallowford Gardens: Thurs only

DBC Liaison: Jan Parker, janpark@bellsouth.net, 770.458.8763

Atlanta Intercultural Ministries - M W S T

A non-profit ministry center providing support to immigrants and refugees in the Chamblee Doraville area.

- Help with Health Fairs
- Work in Food Pantry, Mon, Wed, Fri., 10 - 12

DBC Liaison: Walter Weeks, erawalt@bellsouth.net, 770.220.2489

ESOL School (English for Speakers of Other Languages) –Thursday Morning and Night School M W S

DBC ministry to international residents, teaching English, establishing friendships. Take an incredible "mission trip" every week while paying no airfare. Thursdays only: 9:30 – 12:00 am and 7:00 – 9:00 pm.

- Teach ESOL class or assist a teacher on DBC campus. No foreign language is needed in class.

DBC Liaison: Ednaearle Noe, ednaearl@bellsouth.net, 770.394.3008

Hightower Elementary M W S T C P

DBC's adopted elementary school where 90% of students are primarily immigrants and U S visitors. These students feed into Peachtree Middle School and Dunwoody High School.

- Participate in occasional school wide projects to show our love and interest
- Be a visiting reader to a classroom
- Teacher appreciation activities

DBC Liaison: open

MedShare M W S

A non-profit organization that provides medical supplies to clinics in third world countries. Located off I-20 just East of Zoo Atlanta.

- Sort and package medical supplies

DBC Liaison: Phyllis Wilson, pwilso1@sph.emory.edu, 770.667.9676

Salvation Army Doraville Hispanic Church M W T

A church outreach center that serves Hispanic Doraville community.

- Tell Bible stories to 600 soccer kids at their Saturday games at Dresden and Pleasantdale Parks.
- Ring bells outside retail stores at Christmas
- Teach computer classes to immigrants

DBC Liaison: Laura Fedrigo, laura.fedrigo@atlantasilverbacks.com, 734.634.8832

World Relief: Refugee Resettlement M W T C P S

A Christian organization that helps newly arrived immigrants to acclimate to Atlanta. Discover needs and help fulfill them.

- "Adopt" refugee family: attend to basic needs, driving, finding resources etc Basic household item set-up. Families are located near I-285 on east side of Atlanta. Great 3 month project for small groups.

DBC Liaison: Brian Burt, bburt@wr.org, 404.843.1718