

## 2019 Alternative Giving Order Form

*"Arise, shine out, for your light has come, and the glory of Yahweh has risen on you." Isaiah 60:1*

This Light & Love came for us all. Please consider honoring those you love this Christmas with a gift to assist our neighbors in need. **This is our 11<sup>th</sup> year of offering Alternative Giving. Thank you for giving generously among the 10 recipient organizations.**

**Your Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone No.:** \_\_\_\_\_

| ORGANIZATION  | # Cards: | Donation (\$): | ORGANIZATION  | # Cards: | Donation (\$): |
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| Cooperative Community Ministry (CCM)                        | _____    | _____          | Meals on Wheels Thomasville                         | _____    | _____          |
| Crossnore School and Children's Home Winston-Salem Campus   | _____    | _____          | PDI or Project Divine Interruption Scholarship Fund | _____    | _____          |
| Davidson Medical Ministries                                 | _____    | _____          | Rise Against Hunger - Meal Packing Event            | _____    | _____          |
| Dragonfly House   | _____    | _____          | Salvation Army Davidson County "Pathway of Hope"    | _____    | _____          |
| Lexington Housing Community Development Corporation (LHCDC) | _____    | _____          | UMCOR   | _____    | _____          |

**TOTAL # OF CARDS REQUESTED:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL DONATION: \$** \_\_\_\_\_

All order forms must be turned in to the church finance office by **Wednesday December 18**. Please pick up acknowledgment cards at the Reception Desk 3-5 days after placing your order.

The Missions Committee thanks you for **BEING** the Good News in this world. As you read the descriptions of these outreach ministries, know that every dollar impacts the physical, educational, and spiritual lives of our friends in need.

### About the 2019 Recipient Organizations

**Cooperative Community Ministry.** CCM provides emergency needs relating to health, food, housing, transportation & clothing with the goal of moving individuals in need toward self-sufficiency.

**Crossnore School & Children's Home Winston-Salem Campus.** Funds will support the "Thrive Scholarship" program which provides outpatient counseling to teens who are underinsured/uninsured. Licensed therapists help these clients learn new strategies to address challenges, break ineffective patterns, evaluate difficult decisions, and overcome obstacles.

**Davidson Medical Ministries.** Exists in order to improve access to healthcare for eligible residents of Davidson County who are uninsured/underinsured. Medical, Dental, Behavioral Health, and Pharmacy services are available.

**Dragonfly House.** The Dragonfly House Children's Advocacy Center exists to reduce the devastating long-term effects that all forms of abuse have on children, families and society through immediate, coordinated, child-focused services, education and advocacy.

**Lexington Housing Community Development Corporation (LHCDC).** Works throughout Davidson County to make a positive impact on affordable housing, provides urgent home repairs, leads financial literacy courses, partners with agencies to prevent foreclosures, and engages the entire community to work for the good of all.

**Meals on Wheels Thomasville.** Provides meals for homebound seniors Monday - Friday.

**PDI or Project Divine Interruption Scholarship Fund.** Established by Barbara Greeson in memory of her parents, the purpose is to reward leadership, integrity & drive for students who experienced an interruption in following dreams of a high school diploma, but did not give up. Each spring, a graduating PDI student will benefit from this gift toward a college education.

**Rise Against Hunger - Meal Packing Event.** ALL donations will help MUMC host a meal-packing event in April 2020.

**Salvation Army Davidson County "Pathway of Hope."** Provides enhanced services to families that are ready to take action to break the cycles of poverty for their children and generations to come.

**UMCOR.** The United Methodist Committee on Relief is the humanitarian aid organization for the UMC. They are the first on the scene of a disaster & the last ones out.