

**United  
Way**



United Way of  
Delaware County



**ADVANCING THE  
COMMON GOOD IN  
DELAWARE COUNTY  
LIVE HERE? GIVE HERE!**



LIBERTY COMMUNITY CENTER

## ADVANCING THE COMMON GOOD IN DELAWARE COUNTY

United Way of Delaware County knows that when we reach out a hand to one, we can influence the condition of all. Working together, through United Way, we can advance the common good, creating opportunities for a better life for everyone throughout our community.

Our goal is to create long lasting changes that prevent problems from happening in the first place.



Our vision for Delaware County is bold. We invite you to be a part of the change. Together, united, we can **inspire hope and create opportunities for a better tomorrow.**

**BILL COOPER, WESTERVILLE, OH. I LIVE UNITED BY: CHAIRING THE COMMUNITY IMPACT COUNCIL; DOING MARATHONS AND TRIATHLONS FOR THE LEUKEMIA AND LYMPHOMA SOCIETY AND DONATING BLOOD.**

### EDUCATION | INCOME | HEALTH | ESSENTIAL SERVICES

There are basic things that we all need for a good life: a quality education that leads to a stable job, income that can support a family through retirement, good health, and basic needs. **UNITED WAY OF DELAWARE COUNTY IS FOCUSED ON THE BUILDING BLOCKS FOR A BETTER LIFE.**

- Education** Helping children and youth achieve their potential
- Income** Helping families become financially stable and independent
- Health** Increasing access to physical and mental health services
- Essential Services** Responding to basic or critical needs and providing Information & Referral

# JUST HOW MUCH CAN YOU DO WITH YOUR UNITED WAY GIFT?

<p><b>What if you give \$2 a week?</b> What could you provide for our community?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶▶ 15 meals for a disabled home bound adult who cannot prepare their own meals.</li> <li>▶▶ 3 months of weekly mentoring for an at-risk youth in a single parent home.</li> </ul>	<b>\$2</b>
<p><b>What about if you give \$5 a week?</b> How would that gift make an impact?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶▶ 26 people could be trained in CPR to assist someone in cardiac arrest.</li> <li>▶▶ 10 hours of a variety of neighborhood based support services for an at-risk family with children.</li> </ul>	<b>\$5</b>
<p><b>What if you give \$10 a week?</b> How many lives could you help?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶▶ 14 people can receive Information &amp; Referral on available services in Delaware County.</li> <li>▶▶ 16 older adults can receive assistance from a home health aide to maintain their independence.</li> </ul>	<b>\$10</b>
<p><b>How could your gift of \$15 a week change lives?</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶▶ 10 pre-school children can spend a day in a safe educational setting to prepare them for school.</li> <li>▶▶ 19 individuals/families can receive emergency assistance of food, rent/mortgage, medicine or utilities.</li> </ul>	<b>\$15</b>
<p><b>How would \$20 a week make a difference?</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▶▶ 20 hours of substance abuse counseling.</li> <li>▶▶ 1 week of safe shelter for a woman &amp; her children who are victims of domestic violence.</li> </ul>	<b>\$20</b>

## MAKING A DIFFERENCE



**RENEE** Cancer. It can strike anyone—and without warning. Renee is a single woman, who had a good, but modest income job. And like so many, Renee was living paycheck to paycheck. Then she felt the lump in her breast. It all happened so quickly—the cancer diagnosis, the mastectomy, multiple rounds of chemotherapy. Her physical ability to work became limited. She had to give up her job. It became very scary, not only medically but financially as well. All the medicine, the high co-payments, even the gasoline needed to drive to Columbus for her treatment. There were times that she needed financial help. So, she turned to People In Need, a United Way funded partner agency that provides short term emergency financial assistance. Renee was able to receive assistance for her medicines, gasoline, and other bills. **She is still fighting her battle with cancer, but with agencies like People In Need and the generosity of United Way donors, she is not alone in the fight.**

**At-risk situations such as basic needs, mental health, health and domestic violence made up 85% of calls to information and referral services within this year.**



**ROBERT** When Robert moved to Delaware County he found a good job with a local manufacturing company. This company has always been a strong supporter of United Way. Robert gladly contributed to the campaign. **As a result of the economy, the company was forced to lay off a portion of its workforce, including Robert.** He eagerly wanted to look for another job. But with a competitive job market and without a computer at home or easy access to job resources that task was going to be difficult. Then Robert remembered a flyer his daughter had brought home from her school. It described a program that was providing families in his neighborhood with educational, financial and supportive services including those that could help him find a job. He made an appointment at the Family Resource Center, a service of Action for Children. The program coordinator assisted Robert with filing for his unemployment benefits, creating a resume and writing job applications. Robert has now found another job in Delaware. This year, along with his co-workers, Robert will once again sign a pledge card at his new company that also runs a United Way campaign. **He knows how important his contribution is and will share that with his fellow employees—and that you never know when you will be in need of one or more of those services.**



## FUNDING PARTNERS

COMMUNITY CARE DAY

### **ACTION FOR CHILDREN**

39 W. WINTER STREET, DELAWARE, OH 43015  
(740) 369-0649 [WWW.ACTIONFORCHILDREN.ORG](http://WWW.ACTIONFORCHILDREN.ORG)

### **AMERICAN RED CROSS, DELAWARE COUNTY CHAPTER**

380 HILLS-MILLER ROAD, DELAWARE, OH 43015  
(740) 362-2021 [WWW.DELCO-REDCROSS.ORG](http://WWW.DELCO-REDCROSS.ORG)

### **BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS OF CENTRAL OHIO**

39 W. WINTER STREET, DELAWARE, OH 43015  
(740) 369-2447 [WWW.BBBSCENTRALOHIO.ORG](http://WWW.BBBSCENTRALOHIO.ORG)

### **BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA, SIMON KENTON COUNCIL**

P.O. BOX 29207, COLUMBUS, OH 43229  
(614) 436-7200 [WWW.SKCBSA.ORG](http://WWW.SKCBSA.ORG)

### **CENTRAL OHIO MENTAL HEALTH CENTER**

824 BOWTOWN ROAD, DELAWARE, OH 43015  
(740) 369-4482 [WWW.CENTRALOHIOMENTALHEALTH.COM](http://WWW.CENTRALOHIOMENTALHEALTH.COM)

### **COMMUNITY ACTION ORGANIZATION OF DELAWARE, MADISON & UNION COUNTIES, INC.**

149 N. SANDUSKY STREET, DELAWARE OH 43015  
(740) 369-3184 [WWW.CAODMU.ORG](http://WWW.CAODMU.ORG)

### **CONCORD COUNSELING SERVICES**

774 PARK MEADOW ROAD, WESTERVILLE, OH 43081  
(614) 882-9338 [WWW.CONCORDCOUNSELING.ORG](http://WWW.CONCORDCOUNSELING.ORG)

### **COUNCIL FOR OLDER ADULTS**

800 CHESHIRE ROAD, DELAWARE, OH 43015  
(740) 363-6677 [WWW.GROWINGOLDER.ORG](http://WWW.GROWINGOLDER.ORG)

### **DELAWARE SPEECH & HEARING CENTER**

494 W. CENTRAL AVENUE, DELAWARE, OH 43015  
(740) 369-3650 [WWW.DELAWARESHC.ORG](http://WWW.DELAWARESHC.ORG)

### **GIRL SCOUTS OF OHIO'S HEARTLAND COUNCIL, INC.**

1700 WATERMARK DRIVE, COLUMBUS, OH 43215  
(800) 621-7042 [WWW.GSOHIOHEARTLAND.ORG](http://WWW.GSOHIOHEARTLAND.ORG)

### **HELPLINE OF DELAWARE AND MORROW COUNTIES, INC.**

11 N. FRANKLIN STREET, DELAWARE, OH 43015  
24-HOUR CRISIS AND SUPPORT HOTLINE: 211 OR (800) 684-2324  
[WWW.HELPLINEDELMOR.ORG](http://WWW.HELPLINEDELMOR.ORG)

### **HERITAGE DAY HEALTH CENTERS**

100 WILLOW BROOK WAY, DELAWARE, OH 43015  
(740) 369-5447 [WWW.HERITAGEDAYHEALTH.ORG](http://WWW.HERITAGEDAYHEALTH.ORG)

### **LEGAL AID SOCIETY**

142 W. CENTER STREET, P.O. BOX 6029, MARION, OH 43301  
(888) 301-2411 [WWW.COLUMBUSLEGALAID.ORG](http://WWW.COLUMBUSLEGALAID.ORG)

### **LIBERTY COMMUNITY CENTER**

207 LONDON ROAD, DELAWARE, OH 43015  
(740) 369-3876

### **MARION SHELTER**

326 W. FAIRGROUND STREET, MARION OH 43302  
(740) 387-4550 [WWW.THEMARIONSHELTER.COM](http://WWW.THEMARIONSHELTER.COM)

### **MARYHAVEN**

614 SUNBURY ROAD, DELAWARE, OH 43015  
(740) 203-3800 [WWW.MARYHAVEN.COM](http://WWW.MARYHAVEN.COM)

### **PEOPLE IN NEED, INC.**

138 JOHNSON DRIVE, DELAWARE, OH 43015  
(740) 363-6284 [WWW.DELAWAREPEOPLEINNEED.ORG](http://WWW.DELAWAREPEOPLEINNEED.ORG)

### **SENIOR SERVICES FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING**

293 S. SANDUSKY STREET, SUITES A & B, DELAWARE, OH 43015  
(740) 369-9628

### **THE SALVATION ARMY**

340 LAKE STREET, DELAWARE, OH 43015  
(740) 369-9487 [WWW.SALVATIONARMYCOLUMBUS.ORG](http://WWW.SALVATIONARMYCOLUMBUS.ORG)

### **TURNING POINT**

P.O. BOX 875, MARION, OH 43302  
(800) 232-6505 [WWW.TURNINGPOINT6.ORG](http://WWW.TURNINGPOINT6.ORG)

## GIVE.

United Way is an easy and powerful way to invest in your local community. Remember, your investment stays right here in Delaware County. Give through payroll deduction or give online at [www.liveuniteddelawarecounty.org](http://www.liveuniteddelawarecounty.org).

**Give today.**

## ADVOCATE.

Make a change happen. Get informed and tell your friends. Write a letter to the editor. United Way needs your passion. Sign up at [www.liveuniteddelawarecounty.org](http://www.liveuniteddelawarecounty.org) for our newsletter so you can stay informed about advocacy opportunities. **We need your voice!**

## VOLUNTEER.

Give an hour. Give a Saturday. Give your best. We all have special abilities, things we can do for our community, like reading to children or delivering meals. We invite you to give the gift of you. Visit [www.liveuniteddelawarecounty.org](http://www.liveuniteddelawarecounty.org) to learn about volunteer opportunities to match your interests with our local community needs. **Volunteer today!**

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**LIVEUNITEDDELAWARECOUNTY.ORG.**  
**P.O. BOX 319 DELAWARE, OH 43015**  
**PHONE: (740) 369-9618**

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STACIE HINES, WALDO, OH. I LIVE UNITED BY: JOINING THE EMPLOYEE CAMPAIGN TEAM. THEN BECAME CHAIR OF THE COUNTY EMPLOYEES UNITED WAY DRIVE NOW I HAVE ALSO JOINED UNITED WAY IMPACT TEAM, I TRULY FEEL ONE PERSON CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE.

