

# VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES | Western Region

Catholic Charities serves people in need of our services regardless of their race, ethnicity, religious affiliation, or economic/social background. Through our services, we seek to strengthen families, build communities, and reduce poverty. You don't have to be Catholic to volunteer at Catholic Charities. We invite all people of goodwill to participate in our work of charity.

## Office-based opportunities

50 Orange Street  
Asheville, NC 28801

*Monday - Friday*

9:30 am - 1:00 & 1:00 pm - 4:15 pm

- Greet visitors
- Answer phones
- Accept donations
- Schedule food pantry appointments
- Bag bulk items into smaller bags
- General office tasks (filing, shredding, data-entry, etc.)

*We ♥ our  
Volunteers*

## Food pantry & distribution opportunities

*Tuesdays*

- Pickup at MANNA FoodBank (need a truck or vehicle with large trunk)
- Pack non-perishable food boxes
- Pack toiletries and special requests

*Wednesdays from 10:30 am - 2:00 pm*

- Pack perishable food boxes
- Distribute food boxes
- Greet participants and direct traffic

*Thursdays*

- Restock food pantry

*Various Days*

- Smaller pickups using personal vehicles
- Outdoor food pantry cleaning/stocking
- Herb garden upkeep

## External Engagement Events

Set-up/clean up, sort and display product, greet and assist people, and load vehicles.

## Host a Donation Drive

Consider hosting a donation drive in your neighborhood, workplace, church, book club, school or social group. Current needs vary but include canned foods, toiletries and diapers.

**Interested in Volunteering?**

Contact Us Today

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## The Fine Print

Volunteers under 16 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian | Some tasks require the ability to lift 30-40 lbs. | Time commitment is flexible; no minimum volunteer requirement | All adult volunteers must complete the Diocesan SAFE Environment Training