# Together We Can Change Lives!



### MISSION AND GOALS

Mission— to help ease the burdens our homeless communities face by providing personal hygiene items, cold/wet weather gear, comfort items and various resources to aid in their successful transition out of homelessness.

Goal— The ultimate goal is to end homelessness. Unfortunately, attainability of that goal is far off. In the meantime our service will improve the conditions in which our fellow man are struggling to overcome on the daily basis by providing resources that will help keep them warm when it's cold, hydrated when it's hot and give them hope out of the love and kindness of others until such time as we are able to provide shelter. We formed our organization out of obedience to Christ. To love and support one another. To help the helpless.

# **GALATIANS** 6:2

"Carry each other's burdens and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ."



### **About Us**

Galatians 6:2 is a Veteran founded
Nonprofit organization that serves the
Midlands of South Carolina
With homeless community
Outreach.



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# helping the homeless

# **Donation Items**

Personal Hygiene
Blankets
Socks
Feminine Hygiene
Gloves
Underwear
Hats
Cases of water
T-shirts
Sleeping bags
Toiletries
Baby wipeS



Utility wagons

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## SNAPSHOT

MACH's one-day 2018 results:

- 3 1,205 people identified as experiencing homelessness across the 14 counties
- >> 200 individuals were unsheltered
- 3 251 adults and children were in families (21% of total count)
- 248 were chronically homeless individuals (21% of total count)
- 3 146 were veterans (12% of adults)

### **South Carolina Midlands**

Monetary donations can be made via paypal to support@galatians62.com thru our website http://galatians62.godaddysites.com

#### **DID YOU KNOW?**

There are roughly 4,000 people homeless in SC (this number only reflects people that agreed to be counted). More than 10% are under the age of 18. Veterans make up 415 of that number and another 255 are mentally ill. The numbers increase dramatically when you look at the US as a whole.

There are not nearly enough shelters to house the homeless. Many homeless people feel safer on the streets than in a shelter.

The number of students in kindergarten through the 12th grade who are homeless has increased by 70 percent over the last decade, according to new federal data that also suggests it shows no signs of slowing.

In a recent survey asking the homeless how they survive on the streets with little to no money. The top answer was by far the\$1 menu at McDonald's.

Domestic violence is the leading cause of homelessness amongst women

Many people are homeless because they don't earn enough money to cover the cost of rent.

On average there is only enough public rental assistance to help about one out of every four extremely low-income households. Those who do not receive help are on multi-year waiting lists.

Yet many cities are increasinglymaking homelessness a crime.

One in five homeless people suffers from untreated severe mental illness.

There are more federal grants available for arts and various beautification projects than there are to feed the hungry or house the homeless



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