



Agency Contacts on Working with the Poor

Following are agencies you can contact for assistance in ministering to the poor.

A.R.T., Anti-Racism Training Project, a program of the Church of the Brethren General Board. To schedule a team visit, contact Duane Grady, 3124 E. 5th St., Anderson, IN 46012. Tel 765-649-4384. E-mail dgrady_gb@brethren.org.

Bread for the World, 50 F St. NW, Suite 500, Washington, DC 20001. Tel 800-822-7323. Web www.bread.org. Mounts annual letter campaign on hunger, offers congregational resources.

Brethren Witness/Washington Office, 337 North Carolina Ave., SE, Washington, DC 20003-2004. Tel 202 546-3202. Fax 220 544-5852. E-mail washington_office_gb@brethren.org

Center on Budget & Policy Priorities, 820 First St. NE., Suite 510, Washington, DC 20002. Tel 202-408-1080. Fax 202-408-1056. E-mail center@cbpp.org. Web www.cbpp.org.

Children's Defense Fund, 25 E St. NW, Washington, DC 20001. Tel 202-628-8787. Web www.childrensdefense.org. Advocates child-focused legislation.

Christian Legal Society (CLS), P. O. Box 1888, Albuquerque, NM. Tel 505-765-5900. Fax 505-768-7395. E-mail jdrobb@rodey.com.

Christian Reformed World Relief Committee (CRWRC), 7667 W. 95th St., #3E, Hickory Hills, IL 60457. Tel 708-599-3607. E-

mail lhowell@crwrc.org. Web www.faithtofinance.org.

Clergy & Laity United for Economic Justice, 548 S. Spring St., Suite 616, Los Angeles, CA 90013. Tel 213-239-6770. Fax 213-486-6572. E-mail clue@Earthlink.net

Coalition on Human Needs, 1120 Connecticut Ave. NW #910, Washington, DC 20026. Tel 202-223-2532. Web www.chn.org. Focuses on poverty, hunger, and children.

Evangelicals for Social Action (ESA), 10 E. Lancaster Ave., Wynnewood, PA 19096-3495. Tel 800-650-6600. E-mail esa@esa-online.org. Web www.esa-online.org.

Food Research and Action Center (FRAC), 1875 Connecticut Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20009. Tel 202-986-2200. Web www.frac.org. Supplies legislative updates by e-mail.

Good News Mountaineer Garage, 1608 Virginia St. East, Charleston, WV 25311. Tel 304-344-3141. Fax 304-342-1506. Web www.wvcc.org.

Grand Rapids Area Center for Ecumenism (GRACE), 38 Fulton West, Grand Rapids, MI 49503. Tel 616-774-2042.

Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.,

121 Habitat St., Americus, GA 31709-3498, Tel 800-HABITAT. Fax 229-931-9629. Web www.habitat.org.

Jobs With Justice, 501 Third St. NW, Washington, DC 20001-2797. Tel 202-434-1106. Web www.jwj.org. Approach is activist and union centered.

Joint Religious Legislative Coalition (JRLC), 122 W. Franklin Ave., Suite 315, Minneapolis, MN 55404. Tel 888-870-1402. Fax 612-870-3671. E-mail JRLC@ecunet.org. Web www.jrlc.org.

Lutheran Office for Governmental Affairs, 122 C St. NW, Suite 125, Washington, DC 20001-2172. Tel 202-783-7507. Fax 202-783-7502. E-mail loga@ecunet.org. Web www.loga.org.

Meeting Ground, P.O. Box 808, Elkton, MD 21922. Tel 410-275-2936. Web www.meeting-ground.org, E-mail info@meetingground.org.

Metropolitan Interfaith Council on Affordable Housing, 122 W. Franklin Ave., Suite 310, Minneapolis, MN 55404.

Ministry of Money, 11315 Neelsville Church Rd., Germantown, MD 20876-4147. Tel 301-428-9560. Fax 301-428-9573. Web www.ministryof-money.org. E-mail office@ministryofmoney.org.

National Council of Churches Poverty Mobilization, www.nccusa.org/poverty/povmarch-2003-intro.html. Resources provided annually for the NCC's Poverty March observance, part of a decade-long mobilization.

National Low Income Housing Coalition, 1012 14th St. NW, Washington, DC 20005. Tel 202-662-1530. Web www.nlihc.org.

NETWORK Education Program, 801 Pennsylvania Ave. SE, suite 460, Washington, DC 20003. Tel 202-547-5556. Fax 202-547-5510. E-mail network@networklobby.org. Web www.networklobby.org.

NOW Legal Defense and Education Fund, 1552 K St. NW #550, Washington, DC 20005. Tel 202-544-4470. Web www.nowldef.org. Works in behalf of women and children in poverty.

Paxton Ministries, 2001 Paxton St., Harrisburg, PA 17111-1093. Tel 717-236-5508. Fax 717-236-3099. E-mail home@paxtonmin.org. Web www.paxtonmin.org.

Poverty and Race Research Action Council, 3000 Connecticut Ave. NW, Suite 200, Washington, DC 20008. Tel 202-387-9887. Fax 202-387-0764. E-mail info@prrac.org. Web www.prrac.org.

Racism Awareness Program of Mennonite Central Committee, 21 South 12th St., P.O. Box 500, Akron, PA 17501-0500. Tel 717-859-3889. Fax 717-859-3875. E-mail JMS@mcc.org.

Sojourners, 2401 15th St. NW, Washington, DC 20009. Tel 202-328-8842. Fax 202-328-8757. Web www.sojo.net.

United States Conference of Mayors, 1620 Eye St. NW, Washington, DC 20006. Tel 202-293-7330. Web www.usmayors.org. Excellent source of statistics.

The Weekly Standard, P. O. Box 9610, Washington, DC 20078-7769. Tel 800-283-2014. Web www.weeklystandard.com

Welfare Reform Liaison Project, Inc., 1324 Alamance Church Rd., Greensboro, NC 27406. Tel 336-691-5780. Fax 336-691-5785. Web www.wrlp.org.