

## The Salvation Army Center of Hope

### Our Mission:

The mission of The Salvation Army of Greater Charlotte is to meet human needs by offering hope, promoting dignity, and providing opportunity – all in the name of Christ

The Salvation Army has been a part of the community since 1904 and serving homeless women and families since 1934. Today, The Center of Hope is providing shelter and housing to nearly 500 women and children.



### COVID 19:

The pandemic has caused us to change our approach to serving families who are experiencing homelessness. We are serving more families than ever before through creative collaborations with the City of Charlotte, Mecklenburg County, various non-profit agencies, i.e. Roof Above, Safe Alliance, etc. . . . and the COVID 19 Response Fund.

There is no single portrait of homelessness. Sometimes families lose their homes because of money; women grab their children and run from abusive husbands; an illness strips a person of work; a layoff comes unannounced. In addition to basic needs, clients receive case management, intervention programs, health care, childcare for young children, and guidance for school-age children and teens. Shelters are only a temporary solution. Homeless families need help getting back on their feet.

Your donation will provide the safety and security of the shelter, bus passes for transportation needs, meals, access to healthcare, and services to transition into housing.