



Pathways of Service

Within the GBF Family:

Existing Ministries

Ministry	Description	Contact
Audio/Visual	Working in audio and/or visual ministries during services.	Ben Anderson
Bereavement/Encouragement	Assist w/ providing flowers for those who have lost loved ones or are in need of encouragement.	Catherine McQuaid
First Impressions	Ushering and greeting. Helping elderly by having valet parking.	Marty Hartman
First Impressions – Parking Lot	Monitoring parking lot during services.	Marty Hartman
First Impressions – Children’s Area	Assisting w/ checking in children, greeting parents.	Catherine McQuaid
Meal Ministry	Assist in coordinating meals for the sick using a web-based sign up.	Stephanie Porter
OneFire Youth Group	Wednesday night group for upper elementary – high school.	Gamets/Meadows
Restroom Cleaning	Cleaning 4 restrooms at Saw Mill 1 – 2 x/month.	Catherine McQuaid
Set Up	Assisting w/ set up for Sunday services 1 – 2 x/month.	Catherine McQuaid
Young Marrieds	A monthly fellowship for the young marrieds in our church.	Jenni Stofer

Ministry Ideas

Ministry	Description
Channels of Grace	Using the lessons the Lord has taught us in difficulty to encourage other believers (2 Cor. 1:3-11).
Flower Ministry	A gentleman in the community buys flowers weekly and small vases -- he will give them to us if we put the flowers in vases and give them out to the elderly or sick or shut ins.
Seniors Ministry	Assist elderly in the church with yard or housework. Monitor for any assistance they may need.
Small Group Bible Studies	Coordinate, host, or lead a small group Bible study.

In the Greenville Community (and beyond):

Existing Ministries

Ministry	Description	Contact
Fostering Great Ideas	Program ministering to children and teens living in foster homes. Includes opportunities for mentorship, transporting siblings between homes, facilitating meetings between parents and their kids, etc.	Dan & Jessica Lindsey (http://fgionline.org/)
Hands for Hope – Feed My Starving Children Mobile Pack Event	March 19-21. Fill Manna Rice Meal packs for distribution through missionary agencies in needy countries. 2 hour shifts to scoop, weigh, seal, and box food packets.	Linda Hanson (www.fmssc.org)
Karate	Will Meadows teaches karate on Tuesday evenings at Hurricane Martial Arts on Wade Hampton.	Will Meadows
Noisy Rabbit Produce Co-Op	A business created for ministry purposes w/ opportunities to donate extra produce to people in need, glean fields at local farms to provide food for local ministries for the needy, and minister to nursing home residents.	Sara Meadows
Ronald McDonald House	Assist in preparing meals for families of hospitalized children who are staying at the Ronald McDonald House.	Vicki Peek
STEM	Teaching middle school students STEM (Science Technology Engineering Mathematics) at an after school program either at the Frazee Center or possibly at Circle of Friends.	Fiona Knoll
Teach Them Diligently	Prepare packets, stuff bags, etc. for family discipleship events.	David & Leslie Nunnery
Therapy Dogs Visits	A well-behaved dog can be tested and certified as a therapy dog. Then can participate in a various opportunities including visiting hospital patients, reading w/ students in schools, visiting nursing homes, etc.	Catherine McQuaid
Trail Life USA	A boys outdoor adventure program similar to the Boy Scouts but with a more Christian focus.	Manny Figueroa
WorldWide Tentmakers	Assist w/ doing mailings and contacting churches to promote the ministry of WorldWide Tentmakers – supporting and placing self-supporting witnesses here and abroad.	David Nunnery

Ministry Ideas

Ministry	Description
Art/Graphic Design Camps	Day camp for young people interested in art or graphic design.
ESL	Teaching English as a second language.
International Students	Hosting or coordinating a meal for international students from local universities.
Literacy	Teaching reading to adults or children who are struggling.
New Mothers	Prepare boxes or bags w/ practical supplies for new moms, through First Steps or Piedmont Women's Center.
Oil Changes	Providing free oil changes for single moms or the elderly.
Resume workshops	Teaching workshops for the unemployed on job searching or resume writing.
Running	A running group combined w/ Bible study.
School Outreach	Providing school supplies or shoes to a local public school.
Soccer	Training workshops or short field tournaments
Small Group Bible Studies	Coordinate, host, or lead a small group Bible study.
Tax Preparation	Providing assistance w/ tax preparation for low-income individuals.
Yard Work	Organizing groups of people to assist elderly in the community with yard work.