



OUR MISSION:

To assist residents throughout southern Burnet County by providing food, prescriptions, shelter, utilities, and medical expenses in Ecumenical Christian Service in the name of Jesus Christ.

NEED HELP? WANT TO HELP?

Hours of Operation

M-F 9:30 am – 1:30 pm (food/assistance)
Tues 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm (food)

Physical Address

1016 Broadway, Marble Falls TX 78654

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Website | helpingcenter.org

Facebook | [Marble Falls Helping Center](https://www.facebook.com/MarbleFallsHelpingCenter)

Instagram | [thehelpingcenter](https://www.instagram.com/thehelpingcenter)

DID YOU KNOW?

- The Helping Center was founded in 1987.
- We are sponsored by 10 local churches.
- Over 55 dedicated volunteers are engaged to serve you.

THE HELPING CENTER

CLIENT NEWSLETTER

APRIL 2021

NOTICES & EVENTS

COMING SOON! 49th HOWDY-ROO CHILI/BBQ COOK OFF | Saturday, May 1 at Johnson Park. The Helping Center is selling raffle tickets for \$1 each or 6 for \$5. Family fun.

PROBLEMS WITH ALCOHOL? COMING IN MAY | Concerned about alcohol use in your life or in the life of a loved one? Join us for a new-comers meeting to learn more about alcohol and substance addiction, its impact on you, and how you can regain a healthy life. Meetings planned for Tuesday nights at this location. Led by recovered alcoholics who know what you are going through.

BEHIND ON RENT? | Emergency funds available to help pay current & past due rent & utility bills. See www.TexasRentRelief.com or call 833-989-7368.

TAX ASSISTANCE | AARP offers tax preparation assistance to seniors. Call 888-687-2277 or email taxaide@aarp.org

WOMEN'S SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM | The Highland Lakes Service League will award scholarships to women living in Burnet or Llano Counties who are pursuing higher education or certification programs. Applications are due on or before April 16. See hisl.org and click on the "What We Do" tab.

JOB SEARCH? | The Community Resource Center offers connections and use of computers and fax machines. Walk-in at 1016 Broadway, Marble Falls, or call 830-693-0700.

CTC CAREER PROGRAMS | Central Texas College offers vocational training to those interested in working as diesel mechanics, medical assistants, and veterinary assistants. For more information, call 254-526-1586. Motivated individuals seeking financial assistance for these programs may be eligible for a Helping Center scholarship. For more information, ask for Sam at the Helping Center desk.

A MOMENT TO REFLECT

"The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters.

- from Psalm 23

This verse from the Old Testament provides beautiful imagery; especially as Spring emerges in the Texas Hill Country. But sometimes the "green pastures" don't look so green, do they? And the water? - not always still or peaceful. At times, the path before us seems uncertain and storm-filled. But, truthfully, even when circumstances are less than we hoped for, our Good Shepherd is near. Because He is enough and is working on our behalf, we can find beauty, growth, and peace in Him in the midst of hard times. Like a shepherd, he provides guidance, security, comfort, and hope to his flock. His love is everlasting.

May the Lord bless you abundantly in this time of new growth and hope.