

NON-PROFIT SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

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Organizations listed serve Gilbert residents in need

This is provided as an overview, however, please check directly with the organization for updates.

Aster Aging

Empowering and supporting older adults and their families to remain independent.

[Aster Aging, Inc. : Help Us : Volunteer \(asteraz.org\)](http://asteraz.org)

Phone: (480) 964-9014

Ages: Adult for individual volunteer opportunities; Family Friendly project opportunities

Needs: **Neighbors Program** to provide companionship, rides to the doctor, grocery shopping, and pet support for homebound seniors

Aid to Adoption of Special Kids (AASK)

Focuses on finding relationships for children in the AZ foster care system to ensure every child has someone who cares.

<http://www.aask-az.org/mentoring>

Phone: (602) 254-2275

Email: info@aask-az.org

Ages: Must be 19 and out of high school for at least one year to volunteer

Need: Mentoring program. Volunteers with the AASK mentoring program are matched with children and youth from two age groups, based on their personal interests and mentoring skills.

AZCEND

Offers services such as food boxes, senior nutrition & activities, rent & utility assistance, homeless services, case management, and family programming.

[Volunteer – AZCEND](#)

Phone: (480) 963-1423 X102 or volunteer@azcend.org

Ages: Adult and youth volunteers (at least 5 years of age or above). Volunteers 5 to 14 years old must be accompanied by an adult; court-ordered community service volunteers are accepted on a case-by-case basis.

Needs: Home Delivered Meal Drivers, Food Bank support, Data Entry positions, Kitchen Assistant, or I-HELP Shuttle Drivers – Bilingual abilities are a bonus

Big Brothers Big Sisters

Provides mentoring opportunities to youth ages 6-18.

[Volunteer - Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Arizona - Youth Mentoring \(bbbsaz.org\)](http://bbbsaz.org)

Phone: (602) 393-1347

Email: ebrown@bbbsaz.org

Ages: 18 years or older

Needs: Become A Big (Mentor) – Meet up with your Little (youth mentee) at least two times per month for one year to do things you enjoy when you both have the time.

Boys & Girls Club-Gilbert Branch

After school and summer programs for youth in grades K-12

[Volunteer Boys & Girls Clubs of the Valley](http://bgcaz.org)

Gilbert Branch Phone: (480)813-2020 or (602) 954-8182

Email: info@bgcaz.org

Ages: 18 years and up

Needs: Program support (homework hero, sports coach) and Event Volunteers

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CeCe's Hope Center

Improve the lives and future of 18–34-year-old female survivors of sex trafficking by bridging the gap in available services and support.

[GET INVOLVED | CeCe's Hope Center \(cecescenter.org\)](https://www.cecescenter.org)

Phone: (480) 625-7044

Email: info@cecescenter.org

Ages:

Needs: Mentorship and donations

Clothes Cabin-One Small Step

Provides free clothing, household linens, shoes, work boots and additional necessities to people in need.

<https://www.onesmallstepaz.org/pages/volunteer>

Phone: (480) 285-4111

Email: info@onesmallstepaz.org

Ages: 16 years or older

Needs: Processing Clothes, Client Services, Boutique Sales, Computer and Office Support and Special Projects

City Hope

Offering food, clothing and hygiene items, free of charge, to all our guests.

<https://www.cityhopeaz.org/get-involved>

Phone: 480-900-5422

Email: info@christaz.org

Ages: Volunteers must be 15 years of age or older to serve without a parent present. Children as young as 10 can serve in the center when accompanied by a parent.

Needs: Sort donations, stock shelves, or shop with guests

Cultivate Goodness

Cultivate Goodness bridges the gap between those that want to volunteer and those in need by providing a variety of service opportunities, big and small.

<https://www.cultivate-goodness.org>

Phone: (480)277-3827

Email: info@cultivate-goodness.org

Ages: Most volunteer opportunities are to be done at your own location. Great for large groups, team building, families, or individuals.

Needs: Service opportunities, shop for others, donate, Kids & Kindness activities

Gilbert Parks and Recreation Foundation

Bridging the financial gap

<https://www.gilbertparksandrecreationfoundation.org/>

Email: gilbertprfoundation@gmail.com

Ages: Teens and Adult

Needs: Event support and Board members

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HD South

Celebrates the past, inspires unity of all people, and cultivates life-enriching collaboration.

[Volunteer Opportunities in Gilbert | HD SOUTH](#)

Phone: (480) 926-1577

Email: info@hdsouth.org

Ages: 16 or older

Needs: Front Desk Volunteers, Collections Volunteers, Program Volunteers and Event Volunteers

Hope for Addiction

Short- and long-term transition homes for at-risk single moms and kids at Liberty and Freedom Houses.

<https://www.hopeforaddiction.com/volunteer>

Phone: (480) 782-0403

Email: connect@hopeforaddiction.com

Ages: Varies per activity

Needs: Landscaping and Yard Maintenance, House Maintenance, Teach life skills

House of Refuge

Transitional Housing Program with supportive services for families experiencing homelessness

[Volunteer – House of Refuge](#)

Phone: (480) 698-8673

Email: volunteer@houseofrefuge.org

Ages: Must be at least 15 years old. Must be 18 if volunteering in the Community Center.

Requirements: Must complete an ADES Affidavit

Needs: Individual and Group Volunteer opportunities at House of Refuge are of a wide variety & draw from a great range of skill sets & experiences. Can include program assistance, home beautifications, donation center sorting, event support, and more. Projects can be recurring or one-time events.

Jewish Family & Children's Service

Strengthens the community by providing behavioral health, healthcare and social services to all ages, faiths, and backgrounds. We offer a safe space to be attentive, compassionate, and provide confidential care.

[JFCS Volunteering | Greater Phoenix Volunteer Opportunities \(jfcsaz.org\)](#)

Phone: (602) 567-8383

Email: volunteercoordinator@jfcsaz.org

Ages: Adult, Teen and Group volunteers are welcome to help serve at JFCS though

Needs: Ambassadors, Organizational Support, Special Events and Food Pantry

Matthew's Crossing Food Bank

Provides food assistance including backpacks for youth and food closets at public schools

[Volunteer – Matthew's Crossing Food Bank \(matthewscrossing.org\)](#)

Phone: (480)857-2296

Email: info@matthewscrossing.org

Ages: Age requirement for independent activities is 15. Children 10-15 years old can volunteer with an adult. Spanish speaking volunteers needed for all shifts. Must be able to lift 25lbs regularly throughout the shift and stand for three (3) hours.

Needs: Sorting and packing for Emergency Food Box Distribution Program, Meals to Grow Weekend Backpack Program

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Midwest Food Bank

Gathers and distributes food donations to non-profits and disaster sites without cost to recipients

[Arizona - Midwest Food Bank](#)

Phone: 480-892-0134

Email: dbess@midwestfoodbank.org

Ages: Family friendly for all ages

Needs: Repackaging bulk foods into manageable quantities for distribution, Labeling bags or cans, Preparing disaster relief boxes and/or 'snack pack' kits and Supporting local distribution to pantries

St. Anne Friends of the Needy Food Bank

Providing food and assistance to families and individuals in crisis in our community.

[Friends of the Needy Ministry | St. Anne \(stanneaz.org\)](#)

Phone: (480) 507-4466 or (480) 507-4400

Email: Johnc@stanneaz.org

Needs: Stocking and organizing canned goods, sorting through grocery rescue, prepping boxes of food for clients, sorting through donations of children's clothing, organizing baby items (diapers, wipes, food).

United Food Bank

Provides supplemental and emergency food to those in need.

[Volunteer – United Food Bank](#)

Ages: Children ages 5 to 15 can volunteer to build food bags/sort food when accompanied by an adult. Ages 16-17 can volunteer independently with a signed waiver by a parent or guardian.

Needs: Host a food drive, build emergency food bags

Weekly Collective Volunteers

We collaborate with Gilbert residents, faith-based groups, schools, and local businesses looking to make a difference in Gilbert.

<https://weeklycollective.org>

Phone: (480) 223-7863

Ages: Family Friendly, Groups and Individuals

Need: Day of service for Seniors –Organizes volunteer opportunities to assist qualifying seniors in Gilbert who may need help with yard work and or house maintenance services.

OTHER VOLUNTEER RESOURCES:

Gilbert's Community Resource Guide

- Brief listing of organizations and providers that are available to residents. This guide is intended to connect residents in need of services with resources near Gilbert. This guide can also be used to research organizations that may be in need of volunteers.

<https://www.gilbertaz.gov/residents/community-resources>

Other Community Volunteer Opportunities

- Just Serve: www.justserve.org
- Volunteer Match: www.volunteermatch.org