

Your donation to United Way of Southeast Mississippi funds 21 local partner agencies and United Way's own programs in Forrest, Lamar and Perry counties. With your help, United Way is working to make a difference in the areas of education, financial stability, health and support services. By supporting these efforts, through volunteering or donating, you can **LIVE UNITED** and not just wear the shirt, but **LIVE** it!

EDUCATION

United Way wants children and youth to learn, grow and reach their full potential.



FINANCIAL STABILITY

We want individuals to live self sufficiently and feel confident about managing their income.

HEALTH

We want to improve and promote the physical and mental health of our community.



SUPPORT SERVICES

United Way wants to support emergency services for our friends and neighbors in times of need.

Our mission is to improve lives by leading and mobilizing the caring power of Southeast Mississippi.



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American Red Cross
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ARC (Association for the Rights of Citizens with Developmental Challenges)
601-583-4251 • www.hattiesburgarc.com

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Mississippi
601-596-3499 • www.bbbsms.org

Boy Scouts (Pine Burr Area Council)
601-582-2326 • www.pineburrsouting.org

The Carpenter's Helper
601-582-3330 • www.carpentershelper.net

Child Abuse Prevention Center
601-545-6680 • www.msapc.com

Children's Center for Communication and Development
601-266-5222 • www.usm.edu/childrenscenter

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601-582-5683 • www.christianserve.org

Domestic Abuse Family Shelter
1-800-649-1092 • www.domesticabusefamilyshelter.org

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601-545-2102 • www.dreamofhattiesburg.org

DuBard School for Language Disorders
601-266-5223 • www.usm.edu/dubard

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601-582-1455 • www.gsgms.org

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601-582-0909 • www.paffpetal.org

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601-544-5115 • www.r3sm.org

The Salvation Army
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For the past several years, Ray has worked with R³SM, a United Way agency, to help hundreds of people recover from Hurricane Katrina.

Providing emergency **SUPPORT SERVICES**

is important for our community and is one of United Way's main impact areas.

Martha, usually known as Southern Miss President Dr. Saunders, is proud to LIVE UNITED. She **GIVES** to United Way because she can see the positive results of where her money goes.

Drug-free teenagers Katie, Keyland and Ryan are members of a DREAM youth group. In addition to their everyday activities, they teach leadership skills and healthy lifestyles to other teens. Promoting good **HEALTH** is another one of United Way's core impact areas of funding.

A long-time supporter of United Way, Sue is a realtor who also serves as United Way's funds distribution chair. Sue helps guide other **VOLUNTEERS** as they determine how United Way's funding should be invested in the community.

Grandparents who are raising their grandchildren face many challenges. That's why Sharon is thankful for the help she receives from the Pinebelt Association for Families as she raises her granddaughter Alexis. This United Way agency helps families receive emotional support and **FINANCIAL STABILITY** through counseling and other assistance.



Marley is a spunky, adorable toddler, who also happens to have Down syndrome. As a client of the Children's Center for Communication and Development, Marley will receive the **EDUCATION** and therapy she needs to continue to thrive and love life!