

# CLAY CHURCH

## GET INVOLVED IN MISSIONS.

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At Clay Church, our mission is to walk with more people toward a transforming relationship with Jesus Christ. Through local, regional, and international missions, you have an opportunity to join us in changing the world.



# FIND A WAY TO GET PLUGGED IN!

There's always a way to help change the world.

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## BRIDGES WORSHIP

A monthly worship time and community gathering for individuals with special needs and their families/friends/caregivers. The love of God is experienced through freedom of expression and movement in a supportive and caring environment designed to celebrate everyone's unique abilities.

***Email [bridges@claychurch.com](mailto:bridges@claychurch.com) to learn more.***

## BACKPACK AND BEYOND

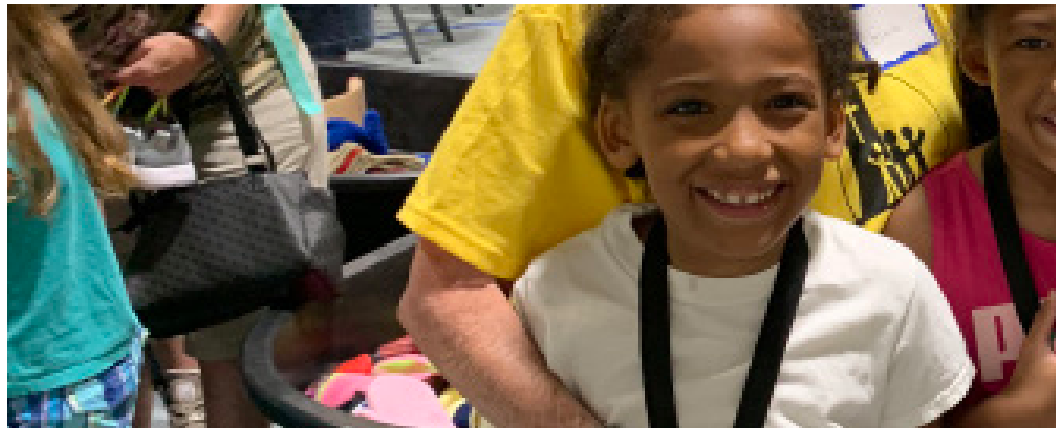
A program designed to provide students in need with a backpack, school supplies, winter coat, shoes, underwear, socks, hats, and mittens. Additional community resources are available to help each family approach the new school year with excitement.

***Email [backpack@claychurch.com](mailto:backpack@claychurch.com) to learn more.***

## BURKINA FASO, AFRICA

A partnership with *Clean Water for Africa* to provide fresh water to people in remote villages in Burkina Faso, West Africa - one of the poorest nations on earth. We also support trained local pastors with food, venomous bite treatments, and education.

***Email [burkinafaso@claychurch.com](mailto:burkinafaso@claychurch.com) to learn more.***



## MISSION ON THE MOVE IN TAPACHULA, MEXICO

Change the lives of children whose parents are in prison or are unable to provide for them. Diverse opportunities for adults and youth. Provide support for the living, education, and spiritual needs of children or join a mission team to provide relief.

***Email [tapachula@claychurch.com](mailto:tapachula@claychurch.com) to learn more.***

## PACK AWAY HUNGER

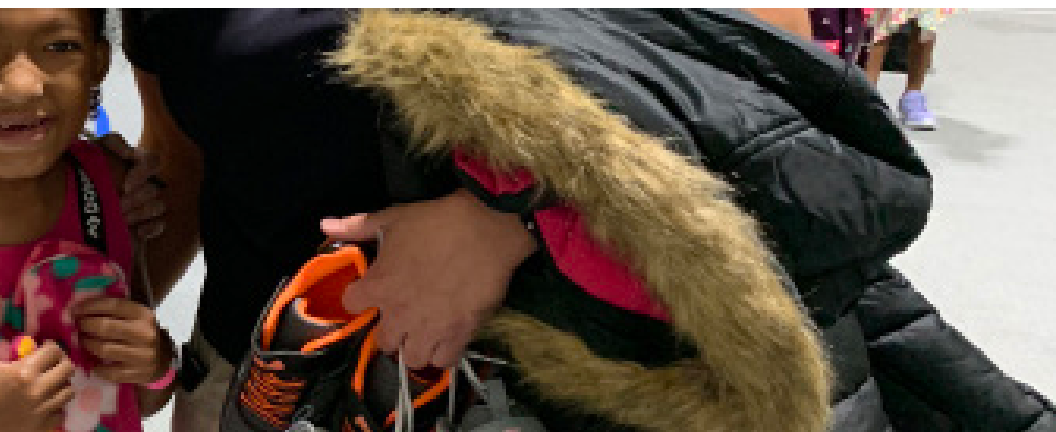
Every day, more than 8,000 children die of hunger-related causes worldwide. In the battle against malnutrition and hunger, our sole focus is to provide the most nutritious meals possible. Our community comes together to package tens of thousands of meals to be distributed locally and globally.

***Email [packaway@claychurch.com](mailto:packaway@claychurch.com) to learn more.***

## PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

A knitting and crocheting community open to all skill levels. Dedicated to creating beautiful prayer shawls that are freely given as a comfort during times of need - wrapping all who wear them with spiritual warmth, love, and hope.

***Email [prayershawl@claychurch.com](mailto:prayershawl@claychurch.com) to learn more.***



## QUILTERS MINISTRY

This ministry brings together those who have a passion for sewing. Items are created to spread love to those in our local nursing homes.

***Email [quilters@claychurch.com](mailto:quilters@claychurch.com) to learn more.***

## SALVATION ARMY BELL RINGERS

Public contributions in the Red Kettles enable the Salvation Army to continue its year-round efforts at helping those who would otherwise be forgotten. Clay Church helps provide volunteers to ring bells at the Red Kettles.

***Email [ringers@claychurch.com](mailto:ringers@claychurch.com) to learn more.***

## SECOND HALF ADVENTURERS

A community event to bring individuals together with a focus on reaching the lonely and isolated for a meal, learning, and entertainment. A wonderful time of fellowship.

***Email [adventurers@claychurch.com](mailto:adventurers@claychurch.com) to learn more.***



## TREE OF LOVE

Christmas presents are lovingly shared with families of children in need through local schools.

***Email [treeoflove@claychurch.com](mailto:treeoflove@claychurch.com) to learn more.***

## TRUNK OR TREAT

A partnership to provide treats, family fun, and a delicious meal. Come and decorate your trunk and join in the fun.

***Email [trunkortreat@claychurch.com](mailto:trunkortreat@claychurch.com) to learn more.***

## DO YOU HAVE A MISSION PASSION NOT LISTED?

If you feel like God's igniting a passion in you to step and lead a new ministry, let's see if working with Clay Church would be a good fit.

***Email [szumbrun@claychurch.com](mailto:szumbrun@claychurch.com) to get started.***



# **FOOD PANTRY MINISTRIES**

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Preventing food insecurities in our community is a core value of our program. Continually striving to expand operations and reach guests, with unconditional love, support, and prayer.

***Email [foodpantry@claychurch.com](mailto:foodpantry@claychurch.com) to learn more.***

## **FOOD PANTRY CAFE**

The cafe is open for our food pantry guests. Relationships are developed while providing snacks, lunch, or breakfast while guests wait their turn to shop in the pantry.

***Email [foodpantrycafe@claychurch.com](mailto:foodpantrycafe@claychurch.com) to learn more.***

## **GOD'S CLOTHES PANTRY**

Gently used clothing is available for our food pantry guests.

***Email [clothingministry@claychurch.com](mailto:clothingministry@claychurch.com) to learn more.***

## **MISFIT TOYS**

This program collects gently used toys and gift items for children of all ages. During the holidays, food pantry guests will have the opportunity to select gifts for their family members.

***Email [misfittoys@claychurch.com](mailto:misfittoys@claychurch.com) to learn more.***



## MOBILE FOOD PANTRY

Our mobile food pantry travels to areas around Michiana to serve those who might have a difficult time finding transportation to the Clay Church Food Pantry.

***Email [foodpantry@claychurch.com](mailto:foodpantry@claychurch.com) to learn more.***

## SPRING BREAK OUTREACH

Designed to provide meals to students who normally receive food assistance at school, during Spring Break.

***Email [springbreak@claychurch.com](mailto:springbreak@claychurch.com) to learn more.***

## THANKSGIVING BAGS

Food items are collected to provide Thanksgiving meals to students, Food Pantry guests, and others in our community.

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## UNITY GARDEN

One of 55 gardens throughout the county, our garden was created to provide fresh vegetables to the community. Anyone is welcome to plant and care for the gardens as well as enjoy the produce.

***Email [unitygarden@claychurch.com](mailto:unitygarden@claychurch.com) to learn more.***



