

SERVICE IDEAS

Use this list to help you decide which area of service is right for your family. Be creative. Have fun. Keep adding ideas to your own list in the future!



1. Grocery shop for elderly
2. Make and deliver meals for those in need
3. Babysit for single moms or young couples
4. Make and deliver “goodies” to encourage someone
5. Make “Hygiene Bags” for the homeless
6. Volunteer together at a rescue mission
7. Teach a Sunday School Class together at church
8. Clean up streets in your neighborhood
9. Visit care facility residents
10. Have a garage sale and donate the money made to the charity of your choice
11. Do yard work for your neighbors
12. Write letters to service men and women
13. Mentor or tutor a child in need
14. Organize a Coat/Blanket Drive for the homeless
15. Invite a widow/widower to dinner at your home
16. Car repair for elderly or poor
17. Anonymously donate money to someone you know is in need
18. Make birthday cards for foster kids
19. Start filling shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child (<https://www.samaritanspurse.org/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child/>)
20. Create “Busy Bags” for Children’s Hospitals (Check their guidelines first)
21. Take treats and hand drawn cards to first responders
22. Host a cookie decorating party for neighborhood children
23. Start a sports “hang out” at your local park (Just play sports with the kids there and develop relationships)
24. Volunteer at “Feed My Starving Children” or another local food bank.
25. Find an area at your church in which you can both serve together, regularly.