



# LOCAL MISSIONS

## L.O.V.E. (Loving Orphans Via Everyone)

These ministry partners are all serving children and families who are impacted by the foster system. They serve to equip the church, support and empower families, and to show the love of Christ to children and families in this space.

### **AWC Centers**

[www.awccenters.com](http://www.awccenters.com) • Contact: [bit.ly/Julie-Goudge](https://bit.ly/Julie-Goudge)

- Volunteer Client Advocate
- Volunteer to assist with administrative tasks
- Man 2 Man Mentors
- In-kind donations (diapers, formula, blankets, clothing, etc.)

### **Chosen Care**

[www.chosen.care](http://www.chosen.care) • Contact: [bit.ly/fpcmissions-contact](https://bit.ly/fpcmissions-contact)

- Connect through Prayer
- Meet practical needs that are sometimes barriers to stability
- Help spread the message of healing and hope offered by Chosen Care.

### **Connections Homes**

[www.connectionshomes.org](http://www.connectionshomes.org) • Contact: [bit.ly/fpcmissions-contact](https://bit.ly/fpcmissions-contact)

- Become a mentoring family
- Support this work in prayer

### **FPC Love Initiative and Grandfamilies**

Contact: [bit.ly/fpcmissions-contact](https://bit.ly/fpcmissions-contact) or [bit.ly/Molly-Schluter](https://bit.ly/Molly-Schluter)

- Sign up to provide meals for foster families within FPC (<https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/lkq9r4>)
- Prayerfully discern the possibility of becoming a foster parent
- Attend a training to become a babysitter for a foster family
- Help with a Parent's Night/Day Out at FPC for Foster Families
- Become a hospital sitter
- Serve with GrandFamilies (home repair projects, Interpreter, care)
- Become a prayer partner

### **One by One Ministries**

[www.onebyoneusa.org](http://www.onebyoneusa.org) • Contact: [bit.ly/Anne-Scates](https://bit.ly/Anne-Scates)

- Serve as a mentor to expectant and new moms. Mentors make an 18-month commitment to walk with a mom beginning prenatally and continuing until the baby's first birthday.
- Be a prayer partner for a mentor and mom
- Serve as an area coordinator to assist One by One staff with training and managing volunteers.

### **San Antonio Marriage Initiative (SAMI)**

[www.samarriage.org](http://www.samarriage.org) • Contact: [bit.ly/Downie-Mickler](https://bit.ly/Downie-Mickler)

- Advocate for healthy marriages through leading in marriage ministry at FPC
- Participate in FPC Marriage Ministry as mentors with Merge Modified or the Foundations Marriage Enrichment Class

### **South Texas Alliance for Orphans (STAFO)**

[www.alliance4orphans.org](http://www.alliance4orphans.org) • Contact: [bit.ly/Molly-Schluter](https://bit.ly/Molly-Schluter)

- Wrap around foster families with meals, help with errands, babysitting, donations, tutoring or commit to interceding in prayer.
- Join the Alliance Prevention Network to meet family's tangible needs and begin transformational relationships with families on the brink of entering the foster care system.
- Fill Caseworker kits to serve children at removal
- Volunteer at Parent's Night Out events
- Serve in hospitality at training events held at FPC
- Serve with one of STAFO's collaborating organizations to mentor, advocate, meet tangible needs, or donate skills, services or business to families.
- Donate and serve at KinMart to ensure children placed in kinship families (grandfamilies) have needed school supplies



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## Next Generation

The ministries in this group are all serving towards evangelism, discipleship, and mentorship on school campuses, from elementary age all the way to college.

### ***Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) – Ashlee Smith***

[www.alamofca.org](http://www.alamofca.org) • Contact: [ashleesmith@fcsa.org](mailto:ashleesmith@fcsa.org)

- Serve as a character coach for a local college team
- Volunteer at UIW and Trinity Events and Chapter nights
- Help connect with other people in their circles for support
- Sponsor a college students to help send them to our College Weekend in February and September

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