

INTRODUCING AGAPE CHARITIES

Agape Charities was conceived in 2014 as a means of supporting the charitable works of St. Katherine Greek Orthodox Church with human and financial resources.

We exist to heal and bring joy to people in need by sharing God's love.



"Agape means love and we express our love in the giving of ourselves to others"

-Father Demetre



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Agape Charities is a ministry of the St. Katherine
Greek Orthodox Church in Naples, Florida.
We are a Non-Profit 501(c)(3)



AGAPE CHARITIES

We respond to opportunities in our parish, our community, and our nation to help people in need.

Agape for Hellas, a branch of Agape, identifies and responds to people in need in Greece.



Sharing Christ's love with
people in need.

ABOUT OUR LOGO

Our logo, a wheel made of interconnecting hearts forming eight right-angled spokes and a beautifully centered cross, represents the wheeled device used to intimidate Saint Katherine into denying her faith in the Lord Jesus.

Wise and courageous beyond her 19 years, the young Katherine instead persuaded her 50 philosopher debate challengers into becoming Christians.

The hearts remind us that God offers everyone His unconditional love.

He has compassion upon the poor and needy, and He expects us to do the same.

The eight spokes formed from the hearts represent both righteous living and the "eighth day of creation", Sunday (Greek: "Kyriaki", lit. "The Lord's Day"), the day of the Resurrection.

The central cross reminds us that, "faith, hope and love abide, but the greatest of these is love."
1 Cor. 13:13

We pray that you will join with Agape Charities in sharing God's love with everyone in need.



OUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Since inception in 2014 Agape Charities has concentrated on helping those in our community in need and building a financial reserve to support those efforts.

This has been manifested through countless volunteer hours and financial aid to individuals and charities. Recipients include: Barbara's Friends (kids with cancer), Habitat for Humanity of Collier County (affordable housing), and St. Matthew House (hunger, homelessness, drug and alcohol addiction), IOCC (international relief), and direct aid to people in need in Greece.



WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Join us in our mission of sharing Christ's love with those in need:

BECOME A PRAYER PARTNER

"Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working." James 5:16

VOLUNTEER FOR SERVICE & OUTREACH

"And let our people also learn to maintain good works, to meet urgent needs, that they may not be unfruitful." Titus 3:14

MAKE A TAX-FREE DONATION

If you cannot give your time, you can still become a part of the mission of Agape Charities by simply writing a check to: St. Katherine Greek Orthodox Church and put "Agape Charities" or "Agape for Hellas" in the memo box. You can donate online at www.AgapeCharities.com.

God richly rewards those who help the needy

"Come, you blessed of My Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world: for I was hungry and you gave Me food; I was thirsty and you gave Me drink; I was a stranger and you took Me in; I was naked and you clothed Me; I was sick and you visited Me; I was in prison and you came to Me." Matthew 25:34-36



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We would love to connect with you!

Your Name _____

Home Phone _____

Mobile Phone _____

Email _____

Mailing Address _____

Please see other side.



Please tell us how you would like to be involved:

- ☐ Become a Prayer Partner
- ☐ Volunteer for Service & Outreach
- ☐ Make a Tax-Deductible Donation

Amount _____

☐ Other _____



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