Church-Based Financial Assistance Programs

*Emergency financial assistance on a case-by-case basis for gas vouchers, food, IDs, limited utility assistance, and other emergency needs. They are unable to provide rental assistance.*

**Requirements:** Many of these locations require some form of valid ID. For gas vouchers, it is helpful to have current driver’s license, vehicle registration and proof of insurance.

**Process:** Depending on the amount of financial assistance needed, you may be asked to visit several churches to get “pledges” that add up to the full amount.

**Churches:**

- **St. Paul’s Episcopal Church Alms Ministry**
  
  Address: 2117 Walnut St – Corner of Eldridge Ave and Walnut
  
  **Tuesdays:** 9-10am

- **Assumption Catholic Church**

  Address: 2116 Cornwall Ave – In red/white shed behind church (temporarily)
  
  **Wednesdays:** 9-11am

- **Bellingham Unitarian Fellowship Humanitarian Ministry**

  Address: 1708 I Street – Just off Dupont St
  
  **Wednesdays:** 10-11am

- **St Vincent de Paul / Sacred Heart Catholic Church**

  *Emergency gas and food vouchers.*

  Address: 1110 14th St. Phone: (360) 734-2722
  
  **Tuesdays & Wednesdays:** 3-4pm, **Thursdays:** 11-12pm

- **Hillcrest Chapel**

  *Emergency financial assistance for gas, food, utilities, and other emergency needs.*

  Address: 1400 Larrabee Ave (in Fairhaven) Phone: (360) 733-8400
  
  **Mondays – Thursdays:** 9am-4pm

- **The Salvation Army**

  *Food, clothing, household items, utility assistance with shut off notice, and holiday programs.*

  *No assistance for gas.*

  Address: 2912 Northwest Ave. Phone: (360) 733-1410
  
  **Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays:** 9:30am-3pm
  
  **Wednesdays:** 9:30am-11:30am

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