



**LIGHTHOUSE
FOR LIFE**

We **FIGHT** to eradicate human trafficking by
educating our community and empowering survivors.

SURVIVOR SUPPORT VOLUNTEER POSITIONS

LEVEL 1

Level 1 volunteers have no contact with survivors. Opportunities include the following:

Meal Sponsor

We offer an 11-session support group in the spring and fall for survivors and will need weekly volunteers to provide a meal. There may be other opportunities to provide meals for various events and gatherings throughout the year.

Freedom Bag Sponsor

Freedom Bags will be given directly to survivors in need and to agencies across South Carolina who work with victims of exploitation and trafficking. Bags contain practical goods to support an individual's immediate need for clothing and personal care items. Helping professionals use freedom bags as an important tool to build rapport, show kindness, and help survivors feel valued. Volunteers can assist by purchasing and assembling bookbags and the required inclusions. We will provide our Freedom Bag Volunteer Kit upon need for fulfillment.

LEVEL 2

Level 2 volunteers have low-level contact with survivors. Volunteers should be available during daytime hours Tuesday – Thursday. Opportunities include the following:

Class Instructor

The Survivor Support Program will provide a variety of classes to help grow survivors' souls, skills, and confidence to navigate next steps in their journey. Classes may fall into one of two categories: life skills or holistic care (mental-emotional, physical, relational, and spiritual health). These may include topics such as financial literacy, fitness (yoga and fitness practices rooted in other beliefs will not be permitted), sewing/crocheting, relational competency, identity formation; coping skills, art, and personal care. Instructors should prepare all projects, copies, and set up before class. Instructors should have relevant experience/training to lead classes. Classes will be held Tuesdays – Thursdays between the hours of 1:00 – 2:30 PM.



Kitchen Mate

Kitchen Mates will prepare and break down lunch on the days the Empowerment Center is open. This will entail heating pre-made meals and setting up the lunch bar. Kitchen Mates will store leftover food, labeling and dating items. Guests will not be permitted to take leftover food home. Kitchen Mates will clean any used cookware/dishes, wipe counters/stove, take out trash, and sweep/mop as needed. Kitchen Mates should arrive at 9:30 AM. Lunch will be served from 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM. Kitchen Mates will be required to communicate; stand; walk; use hands to touch, handle, or feel; and reach with hands and arms and climb stairs. They must be able to lift and/or move objects up to 10 pounds and occasionally lift and/or move objects up to 25 pounds.

LEVEL 3

Level 3 volunteers have more intentional and one-on-one connections with survivors. Currently, only at-birth females may serve in Level 3 volunteer positions. Some Level 3 roles may require survivor transport; additional requirements must be met prior to transporting survivors. Volunteers will be required to communicate; stand; walk; use hands to touch, handle, or feel; and reach with hands and arms and climb stairs. They must be able to lift and/or move objects up to 10 pounds and occasionally lift and/or move objects up to 25 pounds. Opportunities include the following:

Deck Monitor

Deck Monitors oversee the survivor common area for laundry, showers, and meal/coffee bar services. Monitors will ensure the cleanliness of the space and restock supplies as needed. They will be responsible for the opening and closing operations to include cleaning and sanitizing the bathrooms, laundry area, sitting area, and kitchenette area; sweeping and mopping; and emptying the trash. Deck Monitors will be gatekeepers of traffic and interactions as they engage with survivors in general conversation. Deck Monitors may be asked to lead a short devotion during the community lunch. They may assist with other center projects as needed. Volunteers will need to arrive at 9:30 AM and preferably be available until 3:30 PM on their scheduled shift days. Deck Monitors may volunteer for as little or many shifts as they are available in a calendar month.

Relationship Builder

Relationship Builders are available during Empowerment Center hours to establish healthy relationships with survivors. They engage in genuine conversation and seek out opportunities to share truth and encouragement with survivors. They participate in activities with survivors such as Bible studies, crafts, and games. Relationship Builders will be responsible for leading a short devotion during the community lunch. They will assist with cleaning tasks or other center projects as needed. Relationship Builders should arrive by 9:30 AM and preferably be available until 3:30 PM on their scheduled shift days. Relationship Builders may volunteer for as little or many shifts as they are available in a calendar month.