

☐ **Yes, I want to give hope and comfort this winter**

Winter  
Appeal 2021

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**My Gift is:** ☐ **Monthly** ☐ **Once off** ☐ I'm interested in leaving a gift in my will.

**Amount** ☐ \$45 ☐ \$60 ☐ \$198 ☐ \$250 ☐ Other Amount \$

Payment type: ☐ VISA ☐ Mastercard ☐ Cheque

Card Number:

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Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Online:**  
baptistcare.org.au/donate

**Cheque:**  
Please make cheques  
payable to: **Baptist Care SA**

**Thank you for your gift.**  
A tax deductible receipt will  
be sent to you promptly.

**Mail to:**  
Fundraising Team  
130 Rose Terrace, Wayville SA 5034

☐ Please do not send any further  
appeal material.

## Who are we?

Beginning in 1913, Baptist Care SA has grown to over 1000 dedicated staff and volunteers, working tirelessly to help South Australians achieve their full potential. We're committed to working with the State's most disadvantaged, championing local issues and connecting with people to enable positive change.

It isn't easy tackling such tough issues, but our clients' successes mean it's often extremely rewarding.

Learn more about us at  
[baptistcaresa.org.au](http://baptistcaresa.org.au)



### WestCare Centre

11 – 19 Millers Court Adelaide SA 5000

T 08 8118 5200

Open Monday to Friday 9.00am – 3.00pm  
Sunday 11.30am – 1.00pm

If assistance is required outside business hours,  
please contact the SA Homelessness Gateway  
on 1800 003 308.

# Nobody chooses homelessness.

Together we can give hope  
and comfort this winter  
to South Australians with  
nowhere safe to live.





**“ After living in an abusive relationship I discovered I had no one to turn to. I couldn’t go home. I didn’t have anywhere to live and was constantly on the move.”**

Jess knows homelessness. Her childhood was tough with an alcoholic, violent father. Her mother did her best to protect the children but unfortunately, it wasn’t enough. Jess left home as soon as she could. The price she paid was a lost education. She left school and didn’t get any qualifications so the only work she could find was unstable and low paid.

**“ WestCare saved my life. Not only have they given me real, practical help; they have given me a shoulder to lean on. I don’t feel like I’m alone anymore. They have looked after me, they really care. It makes such a difference when someone believes in you.”**

Jess.\*

Did you know hundreds of South Australians just like Jess come to Baptist Care SA’s WestCare Centre every week for help? They are met with nutritious meals, emergency food parcels, low cost groceries, hot showers and laundry facilities.

At WestCare they find people who care!

\* Not her real name

\* Domestic and family violence is the most common reason given for homelessness. Homelessness In Australia, 2016

#### In an average week at WestCare we provide:



**90**  
Showers



**32**  
Loads of washing



**78**  
Emergency relief food parcels



**670**  
Meals



**58**  
Hours health, legal, financial counselling



**305**  
Customers for low cost groceries

## We need your help to continue to help people like Jess.

Baptist Care SA’s WestCare Centre is open six days a week and receives no government funding and relies on the generosity of our donors to continue these vital services.

**\$45** Nutritious breakfast and lunch for 2 weeks

**\$60** Family food parcel

**\$198** Fruit & vegetables for the WestCare kitchen

**\$250** Specialised support including housing assistance, legal counsel and health support

## Would you consider becoming a monthly supporter?

A monthly donation is one of the most effective and convenient ways you can support people like Jess. At the end of the financial year you will receive a tax deductible statement to assist you with your tax return.

☐ **Yes I want to become a monthly supporter**

☐ **\$15 a month** helps provide hot showers and laundry

☐ **\$25 a month** helps provide warm nourishing meals

☐ **\$35 a month** helps provide emergency food parcels for hungry families

☐ **\$..... other**

Please debit my credit card monthly until further notice.

**Please provide credit card details on reverse.**