

FREEDOM SUNDAY

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YOUR SUPPORT WILL MAKE A DIFFERENCE

The Church of the Nazarene is active in many areas where people are vulnerable to human trafficking. Nazarene Compassionate Ministries (NCM) supports church-led anti-trafficking efforts.

Join in support of church-led ministries designed to prevent human trafficking and to minister to survivors of trafficking.

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YOUR FREEDOM OFFERING WILL CHANGE LIVES

Include "Freedom Offering / 124463" on your check, or give online through [NCM.org/FreedomSunday](https://www.ncm.org/freedom).

Gifts given through the Freedom Offering support church-led ministries that are offering freedom to survivors of human trafficking and preventing the trafficking of at-risk children and youth. Nazarene Compassionate Ministries currently supports ministries that include:

> INDIA DROP-IN CENTER

In India, the Hope for Life drop-in center provides women a way out of the red-light district through vocational training and other support; at-risk children find a safe space, education, and care. It serves more than 200 women and children.

> MOLDOVA MOBILE INTERVENTION CLINIC

In Moldova, the Nazarene church runs a mobile clinic that is actively working to get girls and women off the streets. They help victims of sexual exploitation by providing hopeful alternatives, including vocational opportunities, medical care, and psycho-social support.

> PREVENTION IN THE PHILIPPINES

In the Philippines, the church is protecting at-risk children and youth through education designed to prevent them from becoming trafficking victims, as well as partnering with others toward ministering to children who have been rescued from online exploitation.

> MOLDOVA FREEDOM BUSINESS INCUBATOR

In Moldova, the church is partnering with a transition home for orphaned teens who are at high risk for being trafficked, helping them start businesses so they won't be vulnerable to poverty-induced trafficking.



SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITY

You can sponsor a child in an area where children are at higher risk for human trafficking, including the Philippines, India, South Africa, Nepal, Romania, Ukraine, and Madagascar.

Sign up at [NCM.org/sponsor](https://www.ncm.org/sponsor) or contact the NCM Child Sponsorship Office at 800-310-6362 or cs@ncm.org.



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