



## Winter Warming Centers

November 26, 2025, to March 31, 2026

### HOMELESS HOTLINE

614-274-7000

For anyone in need of shelter.

### FOOD LINE

614-341-2282

Monday–Friday: 8am – 4pm.

### MOUNT CARMEL HOUSING OUTREACH

(614) 234-4646

Community members can leave a message for Mount Carmel Housing Outreach regarding someone living outside who may want or need access to safe shelter this winter, but anyone in need of emergency shelter can call the Homeless Hotline directly and will receive an overnight shelter option; there is no need to contact Mount Carmel prior to calling the Hotline and in addition to the Warming Centers listed below, there is 24/7 emergency shelter access available by calling the Hotline. Please note, Mount Carmel Housing Outreach is not a crisis or emergency hotline, if there are ever immediate concerns with someone's health or safety, 911 is the appropriate step.

To get help or help with other community resources, call 2-1-1.

**Additional Warming Center locations and options will be added on 1/1/2026.**

**Plan your COTA bus route from your current location to any of the listed Warming Centers below at**

<https://ride.cota.com/#/>

Warming Centers	Address	Zip Code	Phone	Hours of Operation
<b>Jordan's Crossing</b>	342 N. Hague Ave.	43204	(614) 564-9616	Monday-Friday: 9am-4pm Friday: Open back up for dinner at 5:30pm. Saturday: 9am-12pm Sunday: Closed
<b>The Open Shelter</b>	1037 Parsons Ave.	43206	(614)-222-2885	Monday-Friday: 10am – 2pm
<b>Third Shift Warming/ Cooling Center in partnership with First English Lutheran Church</b>	1015 E. Main St.	43205	(614) 252-3191	24 hours/7 days per week, Co-ed and pet friendly overnight options based on availability
<b>Columbus Relief</b>	2000 Parsons Ave.	43206	(614) 517-2038	Tues., Wed., Thurs., and Sat.: 10am-2pm 11am-2pm. Laundry & Showers can be scheduled during the weekdays by calling the phone number listed.
<b>Star House</b>	1220 Corrugated Way	43201	(614) 826-5868	Drop-In Center: 10:30pm to 2 pm (open 365 days/per year, no need to call ahead), ages 14-24  Clinical Therapy and Case Management Services: 8 am to 6 pm Mon-Fri and 8 am to 2 pm on Saturday (by appointment, email <a href="mailto:clinical@starhouse.us">clinical@starhouse.us</a> )

**Columbus Metropolitan Library**

Though the libraries and Rec Centers are not warming centers. They are open for any community member to walk in when it is cold outside during normal business hours. If any of these locations are 'turned on' as Warming Centers per their policy, this information will be updated to reflect that.

Check out their website for more information about each branch. [columbuslibrary.org/library-locations](http://columbuslibrary.org/library-locations)

<b>Barnett Branch</b>	3227 E. Livingston Ave.	43227	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am – 8pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1- 5pm
<b>Canal Winchester Branch</b>	115 Franklin St.	43110	614-645-2275	<b>Dec. 1- Jan. 9, 2026</b> Monday-Thursday: 9am – 8pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: CLOSED <b>Jan.10. 2026- Mar. 31. 2026</b> Monday-Thursday: 9am-9pm Friday-Saturday: 9am-6pm Sunday: 1pm-5pm
<b>Driving Park Branch</b>	1422 E. Livingston Ave.	43205	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am – 8pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1- 5pm
<b>Dublin Branch</b>	75 N. High St.	43017	614-645-2275	Monday– Thursday: 9am – 9pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>Franklinton Branch</b>	1061 W. Town St.	43222	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 8pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>Gahanna Branch</b>	310 Granville St.	43230	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 9pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>Hilliard Branch</b>	4500 Hickory Chase Way	43026	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 9pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>Hilltop Branch</b>	511 S. Hague Ave.	43204	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 9pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>Karl Road Branch</b>	5590 Karl Rd.	43229	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 9pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>Linden Branch</b>	2223 Cleveland Ave.	43211	614-645-2275	<b>Dec 1- Jan. 31, 2026</b> Monday-Thursday: 9am-8pm Friday-Saturday: 9am-6pm Sunday: closed <b>Feb. 1- Mar. 31, 2026</b> Monday-Thursday: 9am - 8pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>Main Library</b>	96 S. Grant Ave.	43215	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 9pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm

<b>Marion-Franklin Branch</b>	2740 Lockbourne Rd.	43207	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 8pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6 pm Sunday 1pm-5pm
<b>Martin Luther King Branch</b>	1467 E. Long St.	43203	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 8pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>New Albany Branch</b>	200 Market St.	43054	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 9pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>Northern Lights Branch</b>	4093 Cleveland Ave.	43224	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 8pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>Northside Branch</b>	1423 N. High St.	43201	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 8pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1pm-5pm
<b>Parsons Branch</b>	1113 Parsons Ave.	43206	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 8pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>Reynoldsburg Branch</b>	1402 Brice Rd.	43068	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 9pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1pm-5pm
<b>Shepard Branch</b>	850 N. Nelson Rd.	43219	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 8pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>South High Branch</b>	3540 S. High St.	43207	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 8pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>Southeast Branch</b>	3980 S. Hamilton Rd.	43125	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 9pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>Whetstone Branch</b>	3909 N. High St.	43214	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 9pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>Whitehall Branch</b>	4445 E. Broad St.	43213	614-645-2275	Monday-Thursday: 9am - 9pm Friday-Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: 1 – 5pm
<b>Columbus Recreation and Parks</b> Check their website for more information about each site. <a href="http://columbusrecparks.com/facilities/communitycenters">columbusrecparks.com/facilities/communitycenters</a>				
<b>William H. Adams Community Center</b>	854 Alton Ave.	43219	614-645-3051	Monday-Friday: 8am – 8pm Saturday: 9am – 4pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Barack Community Center</b>	580 Woodrow Ave.	43207	614-645-3610	Monday-Friday: 8am - 8pm Saturday: 9am – 4pm Sunday: CLOSED

<b>Barnett Community Center</b>	1184 Barnett Rd.	43227	614-645-3065	<b>Dec. 1-12, 2025</b> Monday-Thursday: 9am-8am Friday-Saturday: 9am-8pm Sunday: Closed <b>Dec 13-Mar. 31, 2026</b> Monday-Friday: 8am - 8pm Saturday: 9am – 4pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Beatty Community Center</b>	247 N. Ohio Ave.	43203	614-645-3218	Monday-Friday: 8am - 8pm Saturday: 9am – 4pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Blackburn Community Recreation</b>	263 Carpenter St.	43205	614-645-7670	Monday-Tuesday: 8am – 8pm Wednesday: 3 – 8pm Thursday-Friday: 8am – 8pm Saturday: 9am – 4pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Brentnell Community Center</b>	1280 Brentnell Ave.	43219	614-645-7640	Monday: CLOSED Tuesday-Friday: 12 – 9pm Saturday: 9am – 6pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Carriage Place Community Center</b>	4900 Sawmill Rd.	43235	614-645-3715	Monday: CLOSED Tuesday-Friday: 9am – 9pm Saturday: 9am – 6pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Dodge Community Center</b>	667 Sullivant Ave.	43215	614-724-8151	Monday-Friday: 8am – 8pm Saturday: 9am – 4pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Douglas Community Center</b>	1250 Windsor Ave.	43211	614-645-7407	Monday-Friday: 8am – 8pm Saturday: 9am – 4pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Driving Park Community Center</b>	1100 Rhoads Ave.	43206	614-645-3228	Monday-Friday: 8am – 8pm Saturday: 9am – 4pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Far East Community Center</b>	1826 Lattimer Dr.	43227	614-645-3159	Monday-Tuesday: 8am – 8pm Wednesday: 3 – 8pm Thursday-Friday: 8am – 8pm Saturday: 9am – 4pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Feddersen Community Center</b>	3911 Dresden St.	43224	614-645-3083	Monday-Friday: 8am – 8pm Saturday: 9am – 4pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Gillie Community Senior Center</b>	2100 Morse Rd.	43229	614-645-3106	Monday: 8am – 9pm Tuesday: 8am – 5pm Wednesday: 8am – 9pm Thursday-Friday: 8am – 5pm Saturday – Sunday: CLOSED

<b>Glenwood Community Center</b>	1888 Fairmont Ave.	43223	614-645-3282	Monday-Friday: 8am – 8pm Saturday: 9am – 4pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Holton Community Center</b>	303 N. Eureka Ave.	43204	614-645-3208	Monday: CLOSED Tuesday: 12 – 9pm Wednesday: 3 – 9pm Thursday-Friday: 12 – 9pm Saturday: 9am – 6pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Howard Community Center</b>	2505 Cassidy Ave.	43219	614-645-3713	Monday-Friday: 8am – 8pm Saturday: 9am - 4pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Lazelle Woods Community Center</b>	8140 Sancus Blvd.	43081	614-645--5330	Monday-Friday: 8am – 9pm Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Linden Community Center</b>	1254 Briarwood Ave.	43211	614-645-3067	Monday-Friday: 8am – 8pm Saturday: 9am – 4pm Sunday CLOSED
<b>Marion Franklin Community Center</b>	2801 Lockbourne Rd.	43207	614-645-3160	Monday-Friday: 8am – 8pm Saturday: 9am – 4pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Milo-Grogan Community Center</b>	862 E. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Ave.	43201	614-645-7376	Monday-Friday: 8am – 8pm Saturday: 9am - 4pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Schiller Community Center</b>	1069 Jaeger St.	43206	614-645-3156	Monday-Friday: 9am – 9pm Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday CLOSED
<b>Scioto Southland Community Center</b>	3901 Parsons Ave.	43207	614-645-3224	Monday: CLOSED Tuesday-Friday: 9am – 9pm Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Sullivant Gardens Community Center</b>	755 Renick St.	43223	614-645-8171	Monday-Friday: 8am – 8pm Saturday: 9am - 4pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Thompson Community Center</b>	1189 Dennison Ave.	43201	614-645-3082	Monday-Friday: 8am – 8pm Saturday: 9am - 4pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Tuttle Park Community Center</b>	240 W. Oakland Ave.	43201	614-645-3613	Monday: CLOSED Tuesday-Friday: 12 – 9pm Saturday: 9am - 6pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Westgate Community Center</b>	455 S. Westgate Ave.	43204	614-645-3264	Monday: CLOSED Tuesday-Friday: 9am – 9pm Saturday: 9am - 6pm

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<b>Whetstone Community Center</b>	3923 N. High St.	43214	614-645-3217	Monday-Friday: 8am – 9pm Saturday: 8am - 6pm Sunday: CLOSED
<b>Woodward Park Community Center</b>	5147 Karl Rd.	43229	614-645-3158	Monday-Friday: 9am – 9pm Saturday: 9am – 6pm Sunday: CLOSED

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