

## **CORNERSTONE ASSISTANCE NETWORK**

### *A Philosophy of Ministry Statement*

The following describes the work that Cornerstone is called to do and the values that define and drive the ministry:

We are committed to Jesus Christ and His lordship. We submit ourselves and all of our activities to His will and good pleasure.

We are committed to people, especially to those who are in need.

We are committed to the Christian church. As “servant-partners” with the church, we affirm its role and responsibility for ministering to persons in need, both inside and outside the community of faith.

We are committed to the provision of a holistic ministry that meets the physical, emotional, and spiritual needs of persons.

We are committed to a relational approach to helping those in need through face-to-face friendships.

We are committed to seeing all lives changed and becoming more like Christ.

We are committed to Christ-honoring approaches and strategies that empower individuals rather than engender dependency.

We are committed to achieving and sustaining excellence and quality in all of our programs and services that are offered.

We are committed to financial responsibility and good stewardship.