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Care, Share, Serve

In this time of a heightened sense of vulnerability to virus transmission, social distancing and home quarantine, all of us are acutely aware of our health status and that of our loved ones. For seniors who are vulnerable, what most of us might experience as a bad cold or mild flu, is a life-threatening reality.

Presbyterian Homes of Georgia serves on the front line of the COVID-19 coronavirus public health challenge. They care for many of the most vulnerable among us, providing excellent care – even if residents have outlived their financial resources.

In 71 years of ministry, *“No resident has ever been asked to leave Presbyterian Homes’ care because they have outlived their financial resources.”* With your help this year, that promise will continue. A gift to *Caring Hands*, is life-changing for seniors at Presbyterian Homes of Georgia. It may provide a meal. It may pay for a dental visit, hearing aids, foot care, or a ride to the doctor. It may help a frail elderly resident remain in skilled nursing to receive excellent care.

Each year, approximately \$3 million is needed to provide *Caring Hands* help to over 400 of the 1,000 residents served by Presbyterian Homes of Georgia. These are elderly residents who have served their communities and who saved for their future care, but longevity and the high cost of medicine and increasing costs of care, have depleted their financial resources.

Please help! Members from over 200 congregations, just like ours, contribute to this important cause. Make a life-changing difference! *As Matthew 25-40 reminds us: “In as much as you did for one of the least of these, you did for me.”* Please visit www.phgainc.org to contribute or mail your donation in the envelope accompanying the *Caring Hands* brochure that will be in the pews on **(Insert Date of offering.)**