



From Asheville:

Take I-40 west to exit 27 (Hwy 19&23)
 Take exit 107 (Jones Cove Rd)
 When exit ramp ends, take first right at bottom of hill (Jones Cove Rd)
 Go to stop sign.
 Turn right on Lee Rd.
 Turn first left on Life Way (Gravel Road)
 Bear right at top of hill. Large White Office.

From Waynesville:

Take hwy 19&23 north to exit 105 (Jones Cove Rd)
 Turn left at stop light.
 Turn left at bottom of hill.
 Go under the highway to stop sign.
 Proceed straight to Jones Cove Rd to end of road.
 Turn right on Lee Rd.
 Turn first left on Life Way. (Gravel Road)
 Bear right at top of hill. Large White Office



Voice Mail Extension Numbers:

Jim Marks, Counselor:	Ext. 102
Susan Marks, Counselor:	Ext. 103
Janet Zander, Counselor:	Ext. 104
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Office Hours:

Monday to Friday
 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

The Life Center is a licensed mental health facility with a team of licensed Christian counselors for individuals, couples, families, and children.

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 counseling when your life
 needs a little help.





Counselor's Information

James D. Marks, D.Min., LMFT
Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist
Director of Facility

Jim has special training in psychoanalytic psychotherapy in association with Emory University. His unique compassion and understanding are a hallmark of his therapy. He works with individuals of all ages suffering from depression, anxiety, bipolar, and personality disorders, as well as couples and families with various individual and relationship problems. Dr. Marks is an ordained minister and the director of the facility.

Susan T. Marks, MSW., LCSW
Licensed Clinical Social Worker

Susan is a graduate of the University of North Carolina Chapel Hill with a Masters of Social Work. She has over 25 years of experience working with children and families. She has expertise in marriage and family therapy, physical and sexual abuse issues, and depression and anxiety issues. She enjoys working with adolescents and adults. She does family therapy with a family systems perspective.

Janet J. Zander, M.A., LPC
Licensed Professional Counselor

Janet holds a Bachelors from Florida State University and a Master's from Franciscan University of Steubenville. Janet has been in practice since 1992. She serves children, adolescents, and adults. Janet's clinical practice and passion has been in child abuse/neglect, adult survivors of abuse, step-family, parenting and school related issues.

Jennifer Clemons, MSW., LCSW
Licensed Clinical Social Worker

Jennifer Clemons has over twenty years experience in the field of Substance Abuse, beginning as a Licensed Practical Nurse in a detoxification unit in Portland, Maine. She earned her Masters of Social Work Degree at Florida International University in Miami, Florida. She serves both adolescents, and adults. Jennifer's clinical practice includes treatment of comorbid disorders, substance abuse/dependency, mood and anxiety disorders. Jennifer is a North Carolina Licensed Clinical Social Worker, and Licensed Clinical Addictions Specialist as well as a nationally certified Master Addiction Counselor.

Lori Clancy, M.A., LPC
Licensed Professional Counselor

Lori is a licensed professional counselor, specializing with dually diagnosed clients. Lori has a special heart to work with adolescents who struggle with substance abuse issues. Lori works with K.A.R.E. To provide trauma-focused cognitive behavioral therapy to children who have experienced abuse. Lori has a long history of working with children and adolescents in a variety of settings and with a variety of behaviors, issues and family dynamics. Lori's mission is to help the hurting through a Christ-centered cognitive-behavioral approach to healing from past traumas and current psychological and substance abuse issues.

Ken Cook, MSW., LCSW
Licensed Clinical Social Worker

Ken is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker with a Masters of Social Work from Andrews University in Michigan. He serves children, adolescents, adults, couples and families with expertise in pre-adolescence and adolescent boys. Ken's emphasis is on Cognitive Behavioral and Solution Focused Therapies.

Shellie Higgins, M.S.
Licensed Professional Counselor

Shellie is a graduate of East Carolina University with Masters degrees in Substance Counseling and Rehabilitation Counseling. Shellie has more than 20 years experience working with adolescents in various settings. She specializes in adult and adolescent addictions, depression, abuse and behavioral issues.

Part-time Counselors
Linda Patton EdD, LPC, LMHC
Licensed Professional Counselor

Community Support
Kim Comeau, M.A. John Basel, M.A.
Susan Fowler, Elise Radney
Chris Dugdale, Angel Pressley

Specialties

- Relationship and Personal problems
- Individual Counseling
- Marriage Counseling
- Family Issues
- Grief
- Depression
- Substance Abuse
- SA-Intensive O/P
- Community Support Adult
- Mood
- Anxiety
- Abuse Issues
- Personality Disorders
- Children
- Adolescents
- Adults
- DWI Services
- Eating Disorders
- Community Support Child

Conveniences

- Sliding Scale Fee
- Evening and Weekend Appointments
- Limited Childcare
- Accept most Insurances and Credit Cards

All of our staff are members and abide by the Code of Ethics of the American Associations of Christian Counselors.

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