Interfaith Ministries for Greater Houston

Refugee Services

Interfaith Ministries for Greater Houston’s Refugee Services program, in conjunction with the U.S. State Department, Episcopal Migration Ministries and Church World Service, resettles refugees fleeing their homeland in fear of political, social or religious persecution. Today there are an estimated 13 to 15 million refugees throughout the world, with women and children constituting the majority of these displaced people.

Refugee Services staff works to ensure that every client feels welcomed, is self-sufficient within six months of arrival and becomes a productive member of the Houston community. The department works with local congregations and other partners to provide services such as: airport pickup, housing, English classes, cultural orientation, document application and job placement.

IM, through its services and support, equips refugees with the tools they need to make a new life, find work, care for their families, and take part in the American Dream.