

**ALASKA'S
FAITH-BASED AND COMMUNITY INITIATIVES TASK FORCE
Mission Statement**

The mission of the Faith-Based and Community Initiatives Task Force is:

- To enhance Alaska's health and social service capabilities by expanding the contribution of faith-based and community initiatives.

To accomplish its mission, the Task Force will:

- Develop and help launch innovative ideas for increasing the contribution of faith-based and community initiatives.
- Foster partnerships between and among government agencies and faith-based and community organizations.
- Identify and work to eliminate barriers that hinder faith-based and community initiatives.
- Promote the expansion of volunteerism and highlight outstanding examples of neighbors helping neighbors.