

Anna Maria College

Multicultural

Resource Guide

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We have adapted this guide based on Assumption College's willingness to share their template.

Places of Worship

African Methodist Episcopal,
Belmont
AME Zion Church
55 Illinois Street, Worcester, MA
<http://belmontamezion.com/>

United Methodist, Aldersgate United
Methodist Church
1048 Main Street, Worcester, MA
(508)-755-2867
<http://www.umc.org/find-achurch/church/10888>

All Saints Episcopal Church
10 Irving Street, Worcester,
MA (508) 752-3766
<http://allsaintsw.org/>

Chabad Lubavich Orthodox,
Yeshiva Tifereth Synagogue (Jewish)
22 Newton Avenue, Worcester, MA
(508) 752-0904

Christ Tabernacle Apostolic Church
1188 Main Street, Worcester,
MA (508) 756-0238
<http://www.ctac-ministries.com/>

Church of Pentecost Worcester
Twi Speaking: 41 Providence St
Worcester
English Speaking: 5 Blackstone
River Road
(508)-799-0408
<https://www.piwcworcester.org>

Congregation Beth Israel
(Conservative)
15 Jamesbury Drive, Worcester,
MA (508) 756-6204
<http://bethisraelworc.org/>

Congregation Shaarai Torah West
Synagogue (Modern Orthodox)
835 Pleasant Street, Worcester,
MA
(508)791-0013
<http://www.shaaraitorah.org/>

Emmanuel Baptist Church
717 Main Street, Worcester,
MA (508) 756-0009
<http://www.ebcmass.org/>

First Baptist Church of Worcester
111 Park Avenue, Worcester, MA
(508) 755-6143
<http://fbc-worc.org/>

First Congregational Church of
Paxton
1 Church St Paxton, MA
(508) 756-2818
<http://paxtonucc.org/>

First Presbyterian Church
125 Holden Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 852-2111
<http://worcesterpresby.org/>

Grace Community Church of God in
Christ
67 Vernon Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 755-8221

Greendale Peoples Community Church
25 Francis Street, Worcester, MA
(508)-852-7727
<http://www.greendalepeopleschurch.org/>

India Society of Worcester
152 Main Street, Shrewsbury, MA
(508) 842-3737
<http://iswonline.org/iswsite3/>

Inter-Denominational Service of Praise and Worship at Holy Cross
1 College Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 793-2429
<http://www.holycross.edu/faithservice/interdenominational>

John St Baptist Church
43 John Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 753-4991
<http://jsbc-worc.org/home.php>

Ministry of Reconciliation (Christian Non-denominational)
315 Hamilton Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 296-3701

Mount Olive Pentecostal Church
60 Highland Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 753-0950
<http://mtolivepentecostal.com/>

Mount Sinai Church of God in Christ
63 Wellington Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 754-9609

Pleasant Street Church of Seventh Day Adventist
370 Pleasant Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 797-5009
<http://www.pleasantstreetsda.org/>

Roman Catholic, Saint Peter's RC Church
929 Main Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 752-4674

Sarvadev Hindu Mandir
6 Main Street, Oxford, MA
(508) 987-8441
<http://www.sarvadevmandir.org/>

Second Baptist Church
14 Hammond Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 752-8869

St. Andrews Covenant United Methodist Church
24 Hamilton Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 755-2321
<http://www.umc.org/find-a-church/church/10878>

St. Columba Parish
10 Richards Ave, Paxton MA
(508) 755-0408
<https://stcolumbapax.org/>

St. Joan of Arc Church (Catholic)
(English, Hispanic, Ghanaian)
570 Lincoln Street, Worcester,
MA (508) 852-3232
<http://joanarc.org/>

Saint Spyridon Greek
Orthodox Cathedral
102 Russell Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 791-7326
<http://spyridoncathedral.org/>

Temple Sinai (Jewish)
661 Salisbury Street, Worcester,
MA
(508) 755-2519
<http://www.emanuelsinai.org/>

Trinity Lutheran Church
73 Lancaster Street, Worcester,
MA
(508) 753-2989
<http://trinityworc.org/>

United Church of Christ, United
Congregational Church
6 Institute Road, Worcester,
MA
(508) 752-3785
<http://www.ucc-worcester.org/>

United Faith Baptist Church
475 Burncoat Street Worcester, MA
(508) 854-3138
<https://www.faithstreet.com/church/united-faith-baptist-church-worcester-ma>

Upper Room Family International
Church (multicultural church)
75 Alvarado Ave, Worcester MA
(774)-262-6227
<https://urfic.org/>

Vietnamese Buddhist Center
96 Dewey Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 755-7817

Worcester Islamic Center
248 E. Mountain Street, Worcester,
MA
(508) 595-0298
<http://www.wicmasjid.org/>

Worcester Pleasant Street Friends
Meeting (Quaker)
901 Pleasant Street, Worcester,
MA (508) 754-3887
<http://www.worcesterfriendsmeeting.org/>

Grocery Stores

Big Y World Class Market
160 Reservoir St Rt 31, Holden MA
(508) 829-9614

Walmart Supercenter
20 Soojian Dr, Leicester MA
(508) 892-9461

Price Chopper
72 Pullman St
Worcester, MA 01583

Stop & Shop Supermarket
940 W Boylston St, Worcester, MA
(508) 852-0505

Trader Joe's
77 Boston Turnpike, Shrewsbury, MA
(508) 755-9560

Whole Foods
193 Boston Turnpike, Shrewsbury, MA
(508) 749-5520

Price Rite
117 Gold Star Blvd, Worcester, MA
(508) 853-7443

Target
529 Lincoln St, Worcester, MA 01605
(508) 852-3094

Shopping Malls & Movie Theaters

Blackstone Valley Mall & Movie Theater
70 Worcester Providence Tpke, Millbury, MA
(617) 232-8900
www.shopsatblackstonevalley.com

Solomon Pond Mall
601 Donald Lynch Blvd, Marlborough, MA
(508) 303-6255
www.simon.com/mall/solomon-pond-mall

Auburn Mall
385 Southbridge St, Auburn, MA
(508) 832-2314

Greendale Mall – TJ Maxx, Best Buy & DSW Shoes
7 Neponset St, Worcester, MA

Showcase Cinemas Worcester North
135 Brooks St, Worcester, MA

West Boylston Cinema
101 W Boylston St, West Boylston, MA

Leicester Triple Drive-In Theatre
1675 Main St, Leicester, MA

Restaurants and Markets

East African

Fatima's Café
43 W Boylston St, Worcester, MA
(508) 762-9797
<http://www.fatimascafe.com/>

West African

Gold Coast
8 Blackstone River Rd, Worcester
MA
(774) 420-7766

Anokye Krom African Restaurant
687 Millbury Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 753-8471

Elder Paintsil's African Restaurant –
Bofrot on Saturdays!
984 Main St Worcester MA
(508) 755-5110

Accra Girls
1280 Grafton St Suite 1 Worcester
(508) 459-0054

African Markets

Kumasi Market (African, American
and
Spanish)
850 Main Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 797-3692

Albino Fruit Market
92 Belmont Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 753-9280

Monrovia African Market
78 Waverly St Worcester MA
(508) 579-4803

Peace African Market
1104 Main Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 753-5950

Asian

Siam 9 (Thai)
456 Main St, Holden MA
(508) 210-0535
www.siam9holden.com

Wong Dynasty and Yankee Grill
(American Chinese)
176 Reservoir St Rt 31, Holden MA
(508) 829-2188

Cheoy Lee's (American Chinese)
684 Main St, Holden MA

CheoyLee (American Chinese)
1205 Main St, Leicester MA
(508) 892-8441

Red Pepper (Authentic Sichuan
Chinese)
1083 Main St, Worcester,
MA (774) 243-6488
<http://www.redpepperworchester.com/>

Saigon Vietnamese Restaurant
(Vietnamese)
976 Main Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 799-5250

Nancy Chang Restaurant (Chinese,
Japanese, Thai)
372 Chandler Street, Worcester,
MA (508) 752-8899

<http://nancychang.com/>

Pho Bowl (Vietnamese, Asian
Fusion)

580 Park Ave, Worcester,
MA (508) 757-2695

<http://phobowlrestaurant.com/>

Pho Dakao (Vietnamese)
593B Park Avenue, Worcester,
MA (508) 756-7555

<http://www.phodakao.com/>

Choose & Mix (Korean, Japanese)
5 East Mountain Street, Worcester,
MA (774) 530-6123

Thai Time
107 Highland St, Worcester, MA
(508) 756-7267

Loving Hut (Vegan-Asian)
415 Chandler Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 459-0367

<http://lovinghut.us/worcester/>

Asian Markets

Asian Supermarket
50 Mill St, Worcester, MA
(508) 373-2613

Mekong Market
747 Main Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 304-1437

Ha Tien Market
892 Main St #3, Worcester, MA
(508) 791-2220

Brazilian

Miranda Bread (Brazilian Bakery)
140 Shrewsbury Street, Worcester,
MA (508) 791-2030

<http://mirandabread.com/>

Pampas Churrascaria
145 East Central Street, Worcester,
MA (508) 757-1070

<http://www.pampasusa.com/>

Terra Brasilis Restaurant
480 Shrewsbury St, Worcester MA
(508) 752-0390

Salgabom Snacks
358 Shrewsbury St Worcester MA
(508) 926-8640

Caribbean

Aretha's Kitchen (Caribbean)
118 Cambridge St, Worcester, MA
(774) 530-6114

Belmont Vegetarian (Jamaican,
Vegetarian)
157 Belmont St, Worcester, MA
(508) 798-8898
<http://www.belmontvegetarian.com>

59 Chandler St, Worcester, MA
(508) 798-9160

Cibao Market
805 Main Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 831-0604

Extreme (Puerto Rico)
848 Main Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 752-1400

Home Style Cuisine (Jamaican)
33 Canterbury Street, Worcester,
MA (508)795-3307

Maria's Kitchen (Dominican)
826 Main St, Worcester MA
(508) 373-2944

Spanish Grille "El Primo"
(Dominican)
703 Main Street, Worcester, MA
(508)-791-5144

Jamaica Thymes (Jamaican)
169 Lincoln Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 868-1511

Café Reyes (Cuban)
421 Shrewsbury Street, Worcester
MA (508) 762-9900

South and Central American Food

El Patron (Mexican)
192 Hardling Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 757-8000

Fuente de Vida (Salvadorian)
Restaurante Y Pupuseria Fuente De
Vida
1159 Main Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 929-3266

Hacienda don Juan (Mexican and
Salvadorian)
875 Main Street, Worcester, MA
(508)-756-2076
<http://haciendadonjuan.com/>

La Cabana Restaurant (Ecuadorian)
181 Millbury Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 755-626

La Terraza (Mexican)
591 Park Ave, Worcester, MA
(774)530-6360

Plaza Azteca
539 Lincoln Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 853-3536

Sazon Latino Restaurant
130 Chandler Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 797-5645

Sol de Mexico (Mexican)
538 Pleasant Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 756-2660
<http://www.solofmexico.com/>

Tacos Parilla (Mexican)
138 Millbury Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 798-3496

Talyta's
20 Front Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 929-3355

Caribbean, Latin, Hispanic Markets

Oretga's Market
260 Pleasant St, Worcester MA
(508) 459-7080

Albino Fruit Market
92 Belmont Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 753-9280

Compare Foods
664 Main St, Worcester MA
(508) 438-3663

Plaza Supermarket
100 Main St, Worcester MA
(508) 752-5406

Middle Eastern

Bay State Shawarma & Grill
96 Water Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 753-6000
<http://www.baystateshawarmaandgrill.net/>

Crown Fried Chicken
443 Lincoln St, Worcester, MA
(508) 595-0220

El-Basha Restaurant
424 Belmont Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 797-0884
<http://elbasharestaurant.com/>

Pomir Grill – Advance Reservation
Required
119 Shrewsbury St, Worcester, MA
01604 (508) 755-7333
<http://www.pomirgrill.com/>

Sahara Cafe & Restaurant
143 Highland Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 798-2181
<http://www.eatsahara.com/>

Shiraz Restaurant
259 Park Avenue, Worcester, MA
(508) 767-1639

Tandoori Kebab & Pizza
560 Lincoln St, Worcester MA
(508) 459-9355

Zorba's Taverna
97 Stafford St, Worcester, MA
01603
(508) 796-5828
<http://zorbastaverna.com/home.htm>

Middle Eastern Markets

Ed Hyder's Mediterranean Market
408 Pleasant Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 755-0258
<http://www.edhyders.com/>

Bahnans's International Marketplace
344 Pleasant Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 791-8566
<http://bahnans.com/>

Indian Food

Udupi
378 Maple Ave, Shrewsbury, MA
(508) 450-5099

Bollywood Grill
97 Boston Tpke, Shrewsbury MA
(508) 793-9888

Indian Market

Indian Market
1000 Boston Tpke, Shrewsbury MA
(508) 925-5427

Vegan

The Vegan Nest Café
6 Waldo St, Worcester, MA
(508) 333-0095
www.thevegannestcafe.com

NU Kitchen
356 Chandler St, Worcester, MA
(508) 926-8800
www.nucafe.com

Southern & Soul Food

Crown Fried Chicken
443 Lincoln St, Worcester, MA
(508) 595-0220

Addie Lee's Soul Food
596 Main St, Worcester, MA 01608

Kosher

Kosher Take-Out
22 Newton Ave Worcester, MA
01602
(508) 752-0904

Loving Hut
415 Chandler Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 459-0367
<http://lovinghut.us/worcester/>

Belmont Vegetarian (Jamaican,
Vegetarian)
157 Belmont St, Worcester, MA
01605 (508) 798-8898
<http://www.belmontvegetarian.com>
59 Chandler St, Worcester, MA
508-798-9160

Local Events & Festivals

For a complete and updates list visit the Worcester Cultural Coalition website:

<https://worcesterculture.org/>; Discover MA:

<https://www.discovercentralma.org/>;

January - MLK Breakfast

February – Several Black History month Activities

March - Latino Film Festival ;
Women’s History Events

June

African American Festival and Juneteenth

Asian Festival:

<http://www.seacma.org>

Brazilian Festival Celebration

Greek Festival:

<http://spyridoncathedral.org/>

Paulie's NOLA Jazz and Blues Festival :

<http://baeevents.com/pauliesnola/bluesandjazzfestival/>

stART on the Street:

<http://www.startonthestreet.org>

August

CENTRO Latin American Festival (all events):

<http://www.centroinc.org/news/>

Caribbean American Carnival:

<http://www.worcestercarib.com>

WooChella

September

ALANA Support Network Welcome

BBQ - ask the Director of Diversity & inclusion for the event details

Worcester Pride

<http://www.worcesterpride.com/>

stART on the Street

www.startonthestreet.org/

Hair Salons & Barbershops

Salons

Amazing Styles – Sonia
1174 Main St., Worcester, MA

(508) 754-5511

Bebe's African Hair Braiding
2 Chandler Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 791-8628

Josefina's Hair Salon
763 Main Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 752-3344

Clarissa's Hair Salon
Midtown Mall - Lower Level
22 Front Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 831-9692

L 'image Salon
227 Chandler Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 798-2722

Clarisse Hair Braiding
139 Pleasant St, Worcester, MA
(508) 459-4980

Shi-Shi's Lounge
376 Chandler Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 304-7870
<http://www.shishisalon.net>

Hair & Grace
1066 Main Street, Worcester, MA

Total Touch Salon
312 Grafton Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 459-5950

Barbers:

Main Attractionz - Great Line ups,
Ask for Phil!
974 Main street, Worcester, MA
(508) 767-0333

Henrok's Barbershop
1082B Main Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 752-5800

Colin's Barber
375 Pleasant Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 752-9895

Michaelangelos's Gent Barbershop
138 Green Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 209-8800

G's Cuttin Up
315 Pleasant Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 798-3718

MVP's Barbershop
258 Grafton St, Worcester, MA
01604
(508) 792-3334

Pleasant Style Barbershop
809 Pleasant Street, Worcester, MA

(508) 304-7217

Community Resources

African Community Education
24 Chatham Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 799-3653
<http://acechildren.org/>

Ascentria Care Alliance (Immigrant
& LGBTQ+ Resources)
(774) 243-3100
https://www.immigrationadvocates.org/nonprofit/legaldirectory/organization.392951-Ascentria_Care_Alliance_Worcester_Office

Boys and Girls Club of Worcester
65 Tainter Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 754-2686
<http://www.bgcworcester.org>

CENTRO
11 Sycamore Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 798-1900
<http://centroinc.org>

ESL Academy Computer Systems
Institute
10 Mechanic Street # 110,
Worcester, MA
(774) 317 6900
esl.csinow.edu/en/

Ethiopian Dream Center
18A Millbury Street, Worcester, MA
(508)752-0849
<http://www.ethiopiandreamcenter.org>

Intensive English Language
Institute
486 Chandler Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 929-8120
<https://www.worcester.edu/Intensive-English-Language-Institute/>

Jewish Community Center
633 Salisbury Street, Suite 1,
Worcester, MA
(508) 756-7109
<http://www.worcesterjcc.org>

Latino Education Institute
537 Chandler Street, Worcester, MA
(508) 798-6507

Martin Luther King, Jr. Business
Empowerment
Center
237 Chandler Street, Worcester, MA
(508)756-6330
<http://www.mlkj-oc.org/>

Multicultural Wellness Center
250 Commercial Street, Suite 330,
Worcester, MA
(508)752-4665
<http://www.multiculturalwellness.org>

Southeast Asian Coalition of Central
Massachusetts
484 Main Street, Worcester, MA
(508)791-4373
<http://www.seacma.org>

Worcester Youth Center
326 Chandler Street, Worcester, MA
(508)791-4702
<http://www.worcesteryouthcenter.org>

YMCA
766 Main Street, Worcester, MA
(508)755-6101
75 Shore Dr, Worcester MA
(508) 852 6694
<https://www.ymcaofcm.org/>

YWCA
One Salem Square, Worcester, MA
(508)791-3181
<http://www.ywca Worcester.org>

AIDS Project Worcester
85 Green Street
Worcester MA, 01604
(508) 755-3773
<https://www.aidsprojectworcester.org/>

Planned Parenthood
470 Pleasant Street,
Worcester MA 01610
(800) 258-4448
<https://www.plannedparenthood.org/health-center/massachusetts/worcester/01609/central-massachusetts-health-center-2660-90610>

LGBTQ+ Resources

Open Sky Community Services: Provides various community resources

<https://www.openskycs.org/>

Safe Homes: A program providing specialized services to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and questioning (LGBTQ) young people, and their straight allies, between the ages of 14 and 23. The group is led by youth peer leaders, professional staff, and volunteers who offer support, resources, and opportunities for socialization in a safe and nurturing environment.

<http://www.safehomesma.org>

**Feel free to contact the
Office of Diversity & Inclusion if you are
seeking any type of support, and we can
point you in the right direction!**

We provide resources such as:

Advising/Mentorship

A.L.A.N.A.

AMCAT Scholars

B.R.I.D.G.E.

PRIDE

Student Success Workshops

International Student Support

**We are located in the Bishop Flanagan
Campus Center**

***Director's Office:* Upper level near the
Student Activities Office**

***Diversity & Inclusion Lounge:* Lower Level
across from the Bookstore**

Or you can call us at 508-849-3396

**E-mail Briana-Allyn Amissah, the Director at
BAMISSAH@annamaria.edu**