



The Red Tent Ministry of Kenilworth Church

The Red Tent is rooted in ancient Christian history as a gathering place for women. In biblical times, women were admitted to the Red Tent when giving birth or menstruating because the men in their communities feared contamination from these biological processes. The Red Tent eventually became a sacred gathering area where women went to celebrate life as they learned from one another to strengthen themselves, their families, and their communities.

(history from womenoftheredtent.com)

The Red Tent Ministry focuses exclusively on collecting and distributing feminine hygiene products to homeless and low income women in Asheville. We are following the Holy Spirit's guidance by ministering to the unique needs of women in our community. Feminine hygiene products, including pads and tampons, are very expensive and cannot be purchased with food stamp benefits. These products are necessary for seeking employment and attending school and very often women are arrested for shop lifting these items!

If you would like to make a tax deductible donation to the Red Tent Ministry, please write a check to Kenilworth Presbyterian Church and write "Red Tent" on the subject line. You may also drop off donations at 123 Kenilworth Road Asheville 28803 or call Katie Adams for pick up at 828-273-3747.

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