

COMMUNITY MATTERS CAFE

Coffee. Food. Restored Hope.

SMALL PLATE

FOCACCIA DU JOUR 8

House-made Focaccia | Extra Virgin Olive Oil

APPLES & BEETS 11

Apples | Beets | Whipped Farmstead | Arugula | Sorghum Vinaigrette | Granola

ROASTED CABBAGE 11

Roasted Cabbage | Tahini Green Goddess | Crispy Chili Oil | Pinenuts

CRISPY BRUSSEL SPROUTS 8

Tahini Green Goddess

PICKLED PLATE 8

House-made Pickled Things | Lavash

FARMHOUSE EGG SANDWICH & SIDE*

Duck-Pork Sausage | Chili Pepper Cream Cheese | Chow-Chow | Arugula | Brioche
Substitute Fried Chicken | English Muffin \$1

EGG SANDWICH & SIDE*

Brioche | Sharp Cheddar | Applewood Smoked Bacon or Turkey Sausage
Substitute Duck-Pork Sausage \$4 | Fried Chicken \$3 | English Muffin \$1

THE OATS

Steel Cut Oats | Apple Butter | Thyme Streusel | Honey Ginger Butter

CLASSIC CAFE BREAKFAST*

Two Eggs | Two Sides | Whole Wheat Toast

SIDES \$3

Honey Ginger Oats (+\$2) | Home Fries | Fresh Fruit | Yogurt Parfait | Bacon | Turkey Sausage | Toast | English Muffin | Grits (add cheddar +\$1) | Flapjack (+ \$3) | Duck-Pork Sausage (+ \$4) | Garden Salad | Cup of Soup (+\$1) | Tahini Green Goddess Brussel Sprouts (+\$1, Large \$5) | Apples & Beets (+\$8)

BREAKFAST

FLAPJACKS 13

Buttermilk Pancakes | Whipped Ricotta | Seasonal Garnish | Maple Syrup

SUGAR CRUSTED FRENCH TOAST 15

Whipped Ricotta | Seasonal Garnish | Brioche | Maple Syrup

CAJUN SAUSAGE SKILLET* 14

Andouille Sausage | Blackened Onion, Pepper, & Celery | Home Fries | Remoulade | Scrambled Eggs | Wheat Toast

PULLED PORK JOHNNY CAKE* 18

Cornmeal Pancake with Jalapeños, Bell Peppers, and Corn | Sweet Braised Pulled Pork | Sunny Egg | Green Onion | Honey Ginger Glaze

LUNCH

SQUASH GNOCCHI 20

Gnocchi | Country Ham | Squash Cream Sauce | Arugula | Parmesan | Chives

NEW ORLEANS CHICKEN SANDWICH & SIDE 16

Buttermilk Fried Chicken | Cajun Hot Sauce | Slaw | Pickles | Brioche
Substitute Grilled Chicken

DELI ON RYE & SIDE 15

Turkey & Ham | Smoked Provolone | Lettuce | Tomato | Black Garlic Mayo | Lusty Monk Mustard

BLT & SIDE* 14

Applewood Smoked Bacon | Little Gem Lettuce | Local Tomato | Black Garlic Mayo | Tomato Jam | Brioche
Add Egg \$2

FALL SALAD 15

Pears | Pickled Sea Island Red Peas | Farmstead Cheese | Red Onion | Red Leaf | Cabbage | Lusty Monk Vinaigrette
Add Grilled or Fried Chicken \$4

KALE CAESAR SALAD 13

Kale | Fresh Grated Parmesan | Garlic Croutons | Vegan Cashew Caesar Vinaigrette
Add Grilled or Fried Chicken \$4

GRILLED CHICKEN GARDEN SALAD 13

Local Tomatoes | Carrots | Cucumber | Red Leaf Lettuce | Choice of Dressing
Substitute Fried Chicken

Dressings:

Ranch, Balsamic Vinaigrette, Vegan Cashew Caesar Vinaigrette, Lusty Monk Vinaigrette

Add a cup of

SOUP DU JOUR! \$4

CHAYIL JOHNSON | EXECUTIVE CHEF + TCHE CARTER | SOUS CHEF

*Items may be cooked to order. Consuming raw or undercooked meats, poultry, seafood, shellfish, or eggs may increase your risk of foodborne illness

SIGNATURES

Cinnamon Bun Mocha ❄️	16oz	5.00
Honey Bee Latte ❄️		5.00
Caramel Macchiato ❄️		5.00

HAND CRAFTED ESPRESSO

Espresso ❄️	16oz	single 3.00 double 3.75
Shot in the Dark ❄️		single 3.25 double 4.00
Cortado		4.25
Americano ❄️		4.00
Latte ❄️		4.25
Cappuccino		4.25
Cafe Mocha dark white ❄️		5.00

FROZEN

Frappe	16oz	5.00
made with your choice of syrup or sauce		

❄️ Available Iced

Fall Seasonal Drinks

S'MORES MOCHA ❄️	7
Topped with house-made Marshmallow	
PUMPKIN SPICED LATTE ❄️	6
Pumpkin Pie Spice	
CANDIED PECAN LATTE ❄️	6.50
House-made candied pecans	
SPICED CARAMEL APPLE CIDER	6
House-made Pumpkin Whipped Cream	
SPICY WHITE GINGER TEA	4
Queen City Tea Shop	



House-made Syrups +0.75

vanilla bean, brown sugar, caramel, hazelnut, lavender, sugar-free vanilla

Queen City Tea

green, ginger peach, earl grey, english breakfast, decaf english breakfast, spicy white ginger

House-made Sauces +0.75

dark chocolate, white chocolate, salted caramel, sugar-free dark chocolate

Dairy Alternatives +0.75

almond, soy, oat

FRESH BREW COFFEE

House Roasted Coffee dark light decaf	16oz	2.75
Iced Coffee		3.50
Cafe Au Lait		3.25
Cold Brew		4.25
French Press		4.50

HOT DRINKS

Queen City Tea see below for selections	16oz	3.50
London Fog		4.25
Chai Tea Latte ❄️		4.25
Hot Chocolate spiced vanilla		4.25

ICED DRINKS

Iced Tea sweet unsweet	16oz	3.50
Housemade Lemonade		4.00
Arnold Palmer		3.75
Coke Products		2.75

CHARLOTTE RESCUE MISSION

Community Matters Café is a division of Charlotte Rescue Mission who together, we work to transform the lives of those at the intersection of addiction and homelessness.

All tips are considered donations that directly support the Life Skills Program here at Community Matters Cafe.

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