

Social Action Ministry Report

December, 2011

Past Events/Thank You's To:

- Manna Bible Study for providing 20 dinners for H.O.P.E.
- The Manna member for going out “on the streets” to hand out food and supplies to homeless people for H.O.P.E.
- Everyone for supporting the **Nicaragua Bake Sale** on Sunday, December 11th. A total of \$408.50 was raised and another \$340.00 in matching funds was given by an anonymous donor to bring the total raised to \$748.50.
- The following people who helped on Saturday, December 17th to get the Habitat house for the Lino family ready for dedication: Kristen Baltrum, Bob Cotton, Jenny and Mike Kelley, and Debby Olson.

Upcoming Events:

- **H.O.P.E.:**
 - Manna Bible Study will provide 20 dinners for H.O.P.E.
- **OUR Center Lunches:** The lunches are scheduled for the following Sundays: February 12 (Jenny Kelley will be crew chief), April 29, June 3, and October 14.
- **Habitat Lunches:** The lunches are scheduled for the following Saturdays: March 10, May 12, August 11, and October 27. Debby Olson is now coordinating this outreach.
- **Nicaragua Mission Trip 2012:** The mission trip is scheduled for June 5-15, 2012. Cathy Goodman will lead it.
- **New Orleans Mission Trip 2012:** The mission trip is planned for October 14-20, 2012. Bob Cotton will lead it.
- **Habitat Build 2012:** Thrivent Financial will fund another Habitat house in 2012. It is hoped that Bethlehem will support this build financially, with work groups, and with lunches.

Respectfully submitted,

Colleen Beyer and Debby Olson