

**Ministry Team: Outreach and Social Ministry**

**Meeting Date:** September 8, 2009

**Attendees**

Pastor Bauer  
Jim and Joann Moard  
Dana Olson  
Jean Manteufel  
Judy Snavely

**Items that my require council action:** None

**Items that my require budget/finance coordination:** None

**Ministry team minutes:**

- Financial/budget review: No review
  
- Reviewed the Time and Talent Sheet:
  1. Suggest separating out Bell Ringers and Salvation Army meals on the form. More volunteers are needed for Thursday morning preparation and serving of meals.
  2. Suggest adding Fox Valley Warming Shelter to time & talent.
  
- St Joseph's Food Pantry: Four congregation members have signed up to volunteer, but OSM is unsure of the expectations. Pastor Bauer will contact the Food Pantry
  
- Crop Walk: Scheduled for October 11, 2009. Pastor Bauer will contact Julie Doerfler or another member to find if someone is willing to work with youth and congregation to organize this event.
  
- Fill the Trailers: Andy Moscinski is in charge of this event, but is asking OSM to assist in promotions. OSM suggests small flyers that students can put on car windshields on October 25 and November 1 to remind families to bring in non-perishable food items on November 1 or 8. OSM will supply the flyers.
  
- LWR Box Car: October 17, 2009. Traditionally Amy and Mike Truby have organized this event. Layettees (Linda Hash & Lisa Hoff), School Supplies (Miriam Circle), Health Kits (Judith Circle), and Quilts are collected. All supplies are to be collected by October 1, 2009. Discussion revolved around ways to celebrate the work of the all of the groups of women with a celebration date tentatively set for October 11, 2009. At that service we will hopefully have a "blessing of the quilts" and a prayer for the other supplies that will be sent.
  
- Would like to find more ways to promote the concerns of world hunger. Pastor Bauer will report on Leaven meeting to see how the congregation can support local hunger/shelter needs.
  
- Discussed possibility of having a large hunger event such as Tour de Revs every other summer.
  
- OSM Celebration points for the last year:

1 Warming Shelter	4 2X4 sale
2 Habitat build	5 Sole Burner
3 Bread Drive	6 Tour de Rev

Submitted by: Judy Snavely & Pastor Bauer