

Three Year Impact of Project SHINE Locally and Internationally

Esteeming the Elderly

- 2nd grade annual program for residents of the Baptist Village Retirement Center.

Helping the Homeless, Caring for Crisis Shelters & Filling Food Banks

- 4800 items of food collected for "Kitchen on the Street" a ministry for hungry kids
- Annual support of Phoenix Rescue Mission: 361 PB & J sandwiches, 46 Thanksgiving meals donated and packed, 36 sweaty hours of warehouse work & a love gift of \$300
- 50 lunches including ham and cheese sandwiches prepared for 50 homeless veterans
- 12 hours of administrative assistance for the Lost Boys of the Sudan
- 6 giant boxes decorated to collect blankets for Church of the Nations Street Ministry
- 2 classes scrubbed Neighborhood Ministries; including the toilets
- 1 class served at St. Mary's Food Bank; making family food boxes

Caring for Children

- In 4 years: 1800 shoe boxes filled with donated toiletries, toys & gifts for children around the globe, distributed by Operation Christmas Child, a division of Samaritan's Purse.
- 86 soccer balls purchased, deflated & packed for soldiers to give to kids in Afghanistan
- 2 classes created books about Arizona and sent them with a missionary to Africa
- 250 cookies baked for an inner-city church's community outreach program to kids
- 118 eye coverings were cut out & decorated for a local children's vision testing program
- 50 book bags decorated and filled with children's books for UMOM shelter for women and kids
- 50 dinners prepared for kids served by an inner-city church's community outreach program
- 15 hours of reading to second graders at Shaw Butte Elementary School
- Making & gathering books for Hurricane Katrina victims
- 1 class adopted Chester Newton Charter School in the Verde Valley, providing food, shoes, clothing, coats, library books & school supplies
- 3rd grade "gives away" their annual Christmas party to underserved school in Sunnyslope
- Administrative support for Juvenile Diabetes Foundation
- Encouragement cards made & delivered to Phoenix Children's Hospital

Appreciating Active Duty Military

- 500+ postcards written and sent to active duty military
- 60 minutes of touching thank you messages video-recorded for distribution to active military
- 45 hours contributed to the assembly of care packages for soldiers at "Packages from Home"
- 10 big care packages filled and sent to soldiers in Afghanistan

Loving on Local Churches

- 42 energetic students scrubbed Cactus Christian Fellowship Church top to bottom
- 1 elegant brunch hosted to honor wives of pastors in our community
- 2 classes cleaned, painted and landscaped at Church of the Holy Innocents

Encouraging Public Servants

- 24 hours worth of food (breakfast, lunch, dinner & snacks) given to Phoenix Fire Station #24
- 3 classes served local firemen (treats, crafts & landscape services)
- Delivered baked goods & letters of encouragement to 3rd shift Sky Harbor Police Department

Embracing the Environment & Helping Horses

- 21 hours shoveling manure at the "Luv Shack Ranch Horse Rescue"
- 5 fifty gallon barrels artistically painted and used for collecting donations and recyclables
- 3 classes served neighbors on 24th street; picking up trash & cleaning alleys.