

2013 Mission Committee Annual Report

This was a busy year for the Mission Committee. In addition to the many charitable organizations that were selected and generously supported by our congregation, the Mission Committee spent many months researching and planning a new model for the Missions of Caldwell Presbyterian Church to begin January, 2014. It was decided to support fewer missions more generously, rather than dividing our resources more widely (and thinly.)

Selected so far:

Local – Caldwell Presbyterian Church’s Food Pantry

Regional – North Country Ministry

National – to be decided (research continues)

International – Haiti Mission School.

The new plan will be presented to the congregation on “Mission Sunday,” January 26, 2014.

Benevolences of 2012

Souper Bowl Mission - \$426

“Our Pot Runneth Over” Kitchen Debt - \$2218.24

Double H Hole in the Wall Ranch - \$435

One Great Hour of Sharing - \$553.30

World Vision – “Malaria Sunday” - \$657.00

National Disaster Search Dog Foundation - \$458.00

Feet First and Lake George Nurse’s Fund - \$1027 (divided equally)

Church World Service’s “Emergency Clean-Up Buckets” – 14 Buckets (\$56 value each = \$784)

(+) \$42 (shipping) (+) \$50 (to Hartford Church for delivery of buckets) (+) \$245.78

donated to NYS Disaster Relief for continued need in Schoharie County following the 8/11 flood from Hurricane Irene. Total Value = \$1121.78

Haiti Mission School and Gourmet Luncheon (Nov. 4, 2012) - total \$2706

Caldwell Preschool Mission - \$1938

Alternative Gifts - \$563, Joy Offering - \$416

Total Benevolences = \$11,956.32

Ecumenical Community Dinner Program – Prepared and served a dinner at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Lake George, with the assistance of numerous Caldwell Church members on November 28, 2012.

Respectfully submitted, Linda Nicols, Missions Elder

