

Outreach Meeting      January 11, 2012  
Members present:      Steve Schafroth, Pam Miller, Ava Kerr, Janet Fullmer,  
   Ron Fullmer, and Diane Walworth

1. There was a brief discussion of the Warming Place, in particular the need to replace the heating system.
2. Haiti: Diane reported the Haiti team is ready to go. The recent Haiti dinner netted \$1,500. Diane told of a shipping bill that was unexpected and very expensive. There is money in the account to cover the bill.
3. Pam will do an intergenerational activity Sunday, Feb 5 about Nets for Life, an ERD project.
4. Quarterly Thank Offerings:  
First quarter: Nets for Life  
Second quarter: Daniel Kuot and Sudan Sunrise  
Third quarter: SMART  
Fourth quarter: Warming Place
5. Coins for Kids—this will help fund a partnership with Dry Hollow Elementary School. Details are still being worked out. It was agreed that considerable publicity within the parish is needed.
6. March 17 is the next Highway Clean-up day.
7. Ava would like to give the job of organizing Thanksgiving and Christmas baskets to someone else. Rosemary Ross was suggested.  
We had excellent response to our food and gift baskets from Haven.  
We need to encourage donations to our food pantry. Janet suggested making an announcement the last Sunday of each month reminding people the first Sunday of each month is an ingathering of food for the pantry and donations for rector's discretionary fund. Both serve as part of our local outreach mission.
8. Pam will write a report about Outreach activities for the annual meeting January 29. She will include a request for input about projects or programs the congregation would like us to include in the Outreach budget.
9. Our next meeting is February 1 at 8 am. It will be an important meeting to discuss distribution of Outreach funds.