



Stewardship Committee Ministry Series #1

Christian Service and Responsibility Committee



The CSR committee is the social concerns ministry of Stella Maris parish. The committee plans and organizes the parish response to those in need of service and advocacy.

The committee provides funds and service to many Door County service organizations such as Feed My People, Habitat for Humanity, Loaves and Fishes, Altrusa "Back to School" program and the Northern Door Children's Center just to name a few.



Help is also provided to individuals in the area who need assistance with the necessities of life. We even reach out to the world such as our most recent project of working to provide donations to an orphanage in Benin, Africa. This assistance will help a group of nuns to establish a farm and enable the orphanage to become self-sufficient.

In the future, we need to continue these activities in addition to exploring further ways of continuing our Christian mission of helping others. This includes establishing a parish Health and Wellness group and expanding our parish's role in social justice issues. We are working on a social justice issue right now. See the weekly bulletin to learn more about the social justice post card campaign.



How Can I Help?

Everyone can help and it can be as simple as bringing a food item to be donated to Feed My People during the monthly Power of One weekend.

The needs are great especially during these difficult economic times. Donations are always needed and appreciated. You can always drop a check in the collection basket made out to Stella Maris noting in the memo "for CSR" or you can direct it to a specific project such as the Orphanage in Benin, Africa.

However, we especially need your time, talent and energy. Please join us at one of our CSR meeting to learn more and then perhaps you will become a member. Please call Ken Beutler at 839-1145 with your questions. Thank you!

