

## Greetings from the Mission and Community Outreach Ministry!

Summer is a busy time for Crossroads and we are so excited in how missions are part of that. This summer we mobilized teams of people in both our community and internationally. It is so exciting to hear your stories!

I wanted to share some important things with you:

First of all, back-to-school time is just around the corner, and with back-to-school comes "Shoes for Scholars." This is an opportunity to buy new shoes for students in Tamina. You can help by stopping by the Mission Center and leaving a donation to be used to purchase Payless Shoes giftcards. We will be receiving monetary donations at the Mission Center on July 25th, August 1st and 8th.



Secondly, The Montgomery County Food Bank (MCFD) is in dire need of food. Currently, the inventory is down to just a one week supply. Through MCFD there are 30,000-32,000 people helped monthly. How can you help? Purchase food and bring it to the Crossroads' commons Collection Bins on July 25th, August 1st and 8th. Here are the items on their emergency list: jelly, peanut butter, Vienna sausage, pork and beans, canned meats (tuna, chicken, ham, spam), cans or cups of pasta, cans of soup, bottled water, dried milk, fruit cups, canned fruit, pudding, ramen noodles, juice boxes, whole wheat snacks, breakfast bars, crackers, individual cereals, pasta, macaroni, and spaghetti.



Finally, Debbie McCabe, President of Spring Assistance Ministries ([www.springassistanceministries.org](http://www.springassistanceministries.org)), will be our guest at the Mission Center this Sunday. They have many opportunities for you to be involved. Stop by the Mission Center and speak with Debbie to learn how you can be of use.



If you have questions about these or other mission opportunities, feel free to call the Mission and Community Outreach Ministry at 936-273-5683.

Blessings,

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