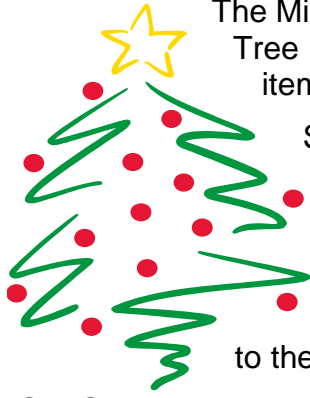


MISSION & OUTREACH 2017



The Mission & Outreach Board is once again sponsoring the Christmas Tree as well as the Shoebox Ministry – shoeboxes will be filled with items suitable for both men and women.

Shoeboxes will be available for you to pick up on the 1st Sunday of Advent, December 3, following worship. The shoeboxes can be filled with necessities for a homeless person (see list below). The box should be wrapped in Christmas paper and placed under the Christmas tree in the narthex. On December 18th members of the Mission & Outreach Board will deliver the gifts to the Homeless Services Center in Santa Rosa.

Our Shoebox Ministry gifts can be an important part in the life of a homeless person. Please fill your shoebox generously using “regular” size products (not “sample” sizes). It is important to stick to the list and include all the items as these gifts are opened in a group setting

SHOEBOX MINISTRY

Toothpaste	Toothbrush	Pocket comb
Washcloth	Shampoo/conditioner	Deodorant
2 granola bars (soft)	Hand towel	Package of tissues
Disposable razors	Hand sanitizer	Large bar of soap
1 Pair of warm socks	Hat/Scarf/Gloves	Pen and notepad
Shaving cream	Chapstick	Box of band aides

Our tree will be decorated with “Socks, Warm Hats & Underwear.” There is always a tremendous need for men’s, women’s and children’s socks and new packaged underwear in all sizes. Socks, packages of underwear, hats and gloves can be brought in to decorate the Christmas tree that will be placed in the narthex on the first Sunday of Advent, December 3. All the items collected will be delivered to agencies serving the needy on December 18 by members of the Mission & Outreach Board.