

Operation Christmas Child

St. Luke Mission Project



Operation Christmas Child brings joy and hope to children in desperate situations worldwide through gift-filled shoe boxes and the Good News of God's love. St. Luke Lutheran School is being challenged to share our love with other children throughout the world. Our challenge is to pack **200** shoe boxes with the items listed below within the next 6 weeks.

Mission Project Details: Our project begins **October 1 and will run through Friday,**

November 13, 2015. The following week students will pack shoe boxes that will be sent to Operation Christmas Child headquarters in North Carolina. The boxes will then be forwarded to children worldwide.

Any of the following items (*preferably 1-2 items from each category*) are needed to filled one box. **Remember everything must fit in an adult-size shoe box.** Large plastic tubs are located in the school lobby and church narthex for items to be placed in. **All boxes will be provided by Operation Christmas Child.**

Gift Suggestions

School Supplies: hand-held sharpeners, crayons, colored pencils, scissors, erasers, pencils, pens

Toys: small cars (Matchbox) , playing cards or card games, yo-yos,

Hygiene Items: toothbrush, toothpaste, mild bar soap, washcloth

DO NOT INCLUDE: Used or damaged items; war-related items such as toy guns, knives or military figures; chocolate or food; out-of-date candy; liquids or lotions; breakable items such as snow globes or glass containers; aerosol cans.

Financial contributions will also be accepted to help defray shipping expenses and supplies. **Make checks payable to St. Luke Lutheran Church, memo: Operation Christmas Child.**

Operation Christmas Child Shopping List

(1-2 items from each category makes a great gift)

School Supplies

- ___ Pencils
- ___ Pens
- ___ Pencil Sharpeners
- ___ Crayons (pkg. of 24)
- ___ Colored Pencils (pkg. of 12)
- ___ Children's scissors
- ___ Erasers

Toys

- ___ Matchbox cars
- ___ Yo-yos
- ___ Playing cards or card games

Hygiene Items

- ___ Toothbrush
- ___ Toothpaste
- ___ Mild bar soap
- ___ Washcloth

All items listed above are suggested items. Feel free to add others. Remember all items must be able to fit in a shoe box.

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