

Missions and Service Commission News:



Children's Book Collection – The Missions and Service Commission is sponsoring a collection of children's books in good condition during the months of May and June. The books will be distributed during a work camp in Flint, Michigan during the month of July. Every aspect of life has been affected by the water crisis in Flint, Michigan – including literacy. Please bring books to the coat room and place in the marked container beginning May 7 through June 25.



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During the month of May the Missions and Service Commission will provide the opportunity for the congregation to make financial donations to benefit Heifer International. A brochure and giving envelope will be included in the bulletin on Sunday, May 7. You may choose to use your envelope on any Sunday in May to benefit this program supported by the Church of the Brethren. **Thank you – Missions and Service**



Annual Disaster Auction – Sat., May 6

at the Westminster Agricultural Center.

Breakfast is served beginning at 7 am followed by lunch.

Food vendors are available throughout the day.

Outside household auction (9 am)

Quilt and specialty item auction held inside beginning at 12 noon.

Many Churches of the Brethren will have various types of booths available.

Come for a fun day of food and fellowship while you support Brethren Disaster Ministries.

Baked items are needed for the bake table. If you will be attending the auction, please bring your baked items to the bake table provided by Bush Creek Church. If you would like to donate a baked item, but cannot attend, please see Lou Gloyd.

Please see detailed posting on bulletin board with acceptable items for the auction and instructions.

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Meat Canning volunteers – April 17, 2017 - Ephrata, Pennsylvania

Thank you to all of the volunteers for your participation in meat canning this year.



Greater Urbana Food Bank Donations - June. Beginning June 4 through June 25 the Missions and Service Commission will be sponsoring a food collection to benefit the Greater Urbana Food Bank for children facing the summer with no free breakfast or free lunch at school. Please bring the following items to the coat room and deposit in the container: cereals, instant flavored oatmeal packets, granola bars/multi-grain bars, canned fruit, peanut butter, grape and strawberry jelly, cheese crackers/peanut butter crackers, microwave meals, canned Chef Boyardee pasta products and healthy snacks.
