

Dear Sisters and Brothers of SOTH,

Dan and I committed last fall to a mission project to raise money for the charity, *Food for the Poor*. We committed to hosting dinners monthly (from October 2019 thru September 2020) at our house to raise donations. We were blessed to have hosted 5 dinners before COVI-19 struck in March. We received donations of \$1655 up to that point. Our ultimate goal was to raise \$3800 to build a house for a family with plumbing/running water. We still need \$2145.00 to build a home. We felt since Pastor Jon and other SOTH volunteers are committed to working locally to build homes through *Habitat For Humanity*, this would be a lovely compliment to provide a home for a family in another country. I picture in my mind hands outstretched from SOTH reaching beyond Lockport, to help those that are in need of a home.

In March I received a phone call from a fellow parishioner wanting to donate a check to help build a house. So, this brings me to presenting an opportunity to SOTH for the month of November (the month of Thanksgiving) to raise \$2145.00. If we do not meet our challenge rest assured the money will benefit many children. Twenty five dollars will provide breakfast for 500 children. Thank you in advance for your generous donations. Donations can be sent to Shepherd of the Hill, 925 E. 9th Street, Lockport, IL 60441. Please make checks payable to **SOTH for Food for the Poor**.

In Christ, Pricie and Dan Rogan

Food for the Poor distributes aid to support the feeding, clothing, and sheltering of the poor. Over 52 million pounds of food including rice, beans, grain, canned food and other assorted food, enough to feed millions of malnourished children and their families was distributed in 2014. We have built over 7,367 housing units for families in need of adequate shelter and since our inception in 1982, have constructed over 98,000 housing units for the poor.