

**Mission Committee Report to the Church Council
June 8, 2016**

Imagine No Malaria: CUMC has made a **\$30,000** pledge to Imagine No Malaria. This commitment is over a three-year period starting in 2014. In 2014, CUMC sent the Northern Illinois Conference **\$10,058.25** and in 2015 a total of **\$7317.44**. So far, in 2016 we have collected **\$1328.63** for a total of **\$18,704.32** or **62%** of CUMC commitment.

Honduras Missions Trip Planning: Pat Becker attended the Honduras Summit in in Corpus Christi Texas, April 14-16, 2016. The conference was attended by about 20 people and good connections were made with other churches in US. The Honduran participants were connected via technology and it worked very well.

Pat Becker and Bill and Jayne Denwood met on June 4 with two churches from Central Illinois that have performed five Medical Missions to Honduras. They were very forthcoming in sharing their experiences and the effort needed to pull off such a mission. We are tentatively target September 2017 to send a medical team. The recruitment of medical personnel in the biggest issue. We believe we will need a pharmacist (two would be better), nurse practitioner, two nurses and 6-7 support staff.

Daily Mission Trips: On June 11, 6-8 individuals from CUMC are scheduled to participate in a Habitat for Humanity project in Aurora. This is our second one day Missions Trip.

Statesville: No Update

Trinity

We have had several discussions with Trinity and they are very grateful for our support and ask that we continue to prayer for them. Cristo Es El Camino continues to reach new people in the community. They are looking for volunteers particularly to help with the summer tutoring program and the summer nutrition program. They are looking for donations of gently used children (and youth) books that they can give away to children and youth who do not have access to a free public library. And, they are looking for donations of bicycles in roadworthy condition.

Refugee Support Planning: The second monthly collection was a moderate success. We had less time to advertise since the collection was around Easter. We are starting the third collection now, mostly looking for kitchen related items.

Respectfully submitted,
Pat Becker
Chair, Missions Committee