



2012

It's a New Year!
but ... with the same
timeless calling to share with
those who need our help....

On Jan. 21st & 22nd
we will be collecting Paper Towels for the
St. Vincent De Paul "soup kitchen"

Our grateful thanks from all of us in
"The Social Concerns Committee" at
Immaculate Heart of Mary Church!



February's item will be :

COFFEE



January 5, 2012

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church
4500 Norquest Blvd.
Youngstown, OH 44515
Rev. Msgr. Kenneth Miller, parishioners

CHRISTMAS IS A REMINDER THAT WE ARE ALL SENT BY GOD TO BE A GIFT TO THE WORLD.*
-Joan Chittister

Dear Rev. Msgr. Miller, parishioners, and Rebecca,

Thank you for your generous donation of time, resources, and gifts to the Ursuline Sisters HIV/AIDS Ministry this Christmas season. On behalf of the children and adults we serve, who are living with HIV/AIDS and poverty, we thank you for your generosity and your willingness to share your treasure with others. May you be reminded this Christmas season that you are a gift to our broken world.

The amount of support that we receive from Immaculate Heart of Mary each year is truly remarkable. The clothes, toys, entertainment, blankets, and towels that our families are given from you helps to sustain them throughout the year. The effect of this support can not be underestimated as it renews their strength and hope.

The many services your donation helps to support are needed more than ever in the economic and societal turmoil our community is experiencing. We are so appreciative of continued assistance from individuals and groups who believe in the life-saving and life-changing work we do. Our pantries and Café continue to assist individuals and families with food and products that bring sustenance and restore dignity. Our clinic delivers quality HIV health care and support services to the poor and sick who have no other place to turn for healing. And our children's program and home, Casa Madre, provides a safe haven for children to flourish in mind, body and self esteem.

We join the Ursuline Sisters in praying that God continues to bless you and your loved ones and to sustain you in your generosity. May you have a joy-filled Christmas and New Year.

Sincerely,

Sr. Kathleen Minchin

Linda Titus