



## **Sunday School offering to support Heifer International January 2012 – June 2012 Los Altos United Methodist Church**

### **HOW DOES HEIFER INTERNATIONAL HELP OTHERS?**

- Heifer International works with poor communities around the world to end world hunger.
- Heifer helps people in need with gifts of animals to help them learn how to provide food for their families.
- Families are given an animal and are taught how to care for them and help feed their families and friends in their community.
- When the animals have babies, the young animals are given to another family in need. Each family that receives the gift of animals learn how to care for them and how to make milk, cheese and other needed food items to feed their families.

### **HOW DO OUR SUNDAY SCHOOL DONATIONS HELP OTHERS?**

- Donations from our children in Sunday School will be collected each Sunday and when enough is collected an animal will be sent to a family.
- Classes will work toward sending different animals to families around the world.
- When the animal(s) are sent we will add these animals to our ark display on our outside Sunday School bulletin board!
- Each class will work toward sending the following animals:

**Our 2, 3 and 4/5 year olds - a trio of bunnies  
Our Kindergarten class – a flock of chicks  
Our 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> graders – a goat  
Our 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> graders – a sheep  
Our 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Junior High - a llama**