

CHRIST CHURCH IN SHORT HILLS OUTREACH GRANTS – 2008

DIOCESE + LOCAL

St. Philip's Academy – \$4,000

This grant to St. Philip's Academy's Scholarship Fund will provide assistance to low income and minority students in the greater Newark area to attend St. Philip's. St. Philip's strives to provide a strong education that prepares its students to be placed in challenging and selective secondary schools.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church – \$5,000

This grant will help fund the cost of a Priest Associate/Hispanic Missioner at St. Paul's. This inner-city missionary effort based at St. Paul's is known as La Nueva Comunidad en San Pablo (the New Community at St. Paul's). St. Paul's is reaching out to the growing Hispanic population in Paterson. Growth among this population has blossomed in terms of new leaders, increased attendance for worship and increased active membership.

Jersey City Episcopal Community Development Corporation - \$4,500

This grant will support the operating expenses for its Jersey City Customer Service Skills Center. They provide customer service skills training to area residents by helping them develop their sales/service and customer contact skills and by offering English as a second language classes. Based upon their training, area residents from all segments of the community can obtain employment in retailing and other service sector jobs.

Haven of Hope for Kids - \$5,000

This grant will support a program initiated by St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Hope, NJ, that provides vacations in the country to lower-income families caring for inner-city children suffering from life limiting illnesses, families who have suffered the loss of a child, and healthcare professionals caring for such children and families.

Interfaith Hospitality Network (IHN) for the Homeless of Essex County, Inc. - \$5,000

This grant will support the transitional housing project called "Families in Transition" for two homeless families from Interfaith's 14-bed shelter program. This program is managed by the IHN staff in congregations throughout Essex County and will give the families the opportunity to live off-site for 18 months in a regular apartment (instead of in facility-based housing).

The Apostles' House - \$5,000

This grant will support The Multigenerational Program which is a group home that houses six homeless teen-aged mothers and their infants. The girls are given an array of supportive services. Generally the girls and their babies remain at TAH until they reach the age of 18. During their stay the mothers are enrolled in school while the babies attend day care.

Episcopal Community Development, Inc.– \$5,000

This grant will be used for operating expenses related to the Home Buyer Training Services Program. The mission of ECD is to provide community development in disadvantaged communities throughout the seven northern counties of New Jersey. The goal of the Homebuyer Training Program is to increase the level of financial stability of low income families, with the ultimate achievement of home ownership.

GreenFaith Interfaith Partners in Action for the Earth - \$3,000

This grant will support GreenFaith, an interfaith coalition in New Jersey, in their program to distribute 40,000 energy-saving, compact fluorescent bulbs, 10,000 energy-efficient desk lamps, and energy-conservation information and coupons in low-income communities throughout New Jersey.

Overlook Hospital – \$1,000

This grant will support Overlook Hospital's Chaplaincy Program.

St. Barnabas Medical Center - \$1,000

This grant will support St. Barnabas' Chaplaincy Program.

NATIONAL

Episcopal Preaching Foundation, Inc. – \$2,000

This grant will be used to help support the 22nd Annual Preaching Excellence Program, a supplemental program of theological education for Episcopal seminarians from across the country for the purpose of enhancing preaching skills.

INTERNATIONAL

El Hogar Ministries, Inc., Honduras – \$2,500

This grant will be used to help fund the cost of education and boarding a child at El Hogar, an Episcopal orphanage that provides education and training within a Christian community for over 200 children in Honduras.

Our Little Roses Foreign Mission Society, Inc. - \$2,000

The grant will support the operating costs of Little Roses Ministry, a home for destitute girls in Honduras.

SUMMARY - GRANTS 2008

<u>GRANT RECIPIENT</u>	<u>GRANT AMOUNT</u>
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Episcopal Community Development, Inc.....	5,000
GreenFaith – Interfaith Partners in Action for the Earth.....	3,000
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NATIONAL

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Total – 2008 Grants.....	\$45,000
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