## **YOU** Can Have a Positive Impact...

Help us fill a bag with much-needed first-aid, basic healthcare, and personal hygiene items. The Vision of God Clinic distributes customized bags to meet the needs of children, pregnant women, seniors, and families.



Or consider making a tax-deductible contri**bution** to the clinic. Volunteers are especially welcome! We'd be glad to tell you more. Simply fill out the form below or contact:

Rev. Carolyn Richar Bethel United Church of Christ La Luz Verdadera Iglesia 703-505-0265

VOGclinic@cox.net

Pastor Faustino Diaz 571-277-2740



**Bethel UCC** 

4347 Arlington Blvd. Arlington, VA 22203

**Yes**, I would like to help support the Vision of God Clinic in El Salvador.

☐ Enclosed is a tax-deductible gift of \$ . We thank you very much! ☐ I'd like to learn more about how I can help—please contact me.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email address

Mailing address \_\_\_\_\_

Send to: Bethel United Church of Christ • 4347 Arlington Blvd. • Arlington, VA 22203 Make checks payable to Bethel UCC and write "Vision of God Clinic" on the memo line

## **Donations of these items** are greatly appreciated:

Children's chewable vitamins Prenatal vitamins Adult vitamins Ibuprofen Acetaminophen Antacids

Benadryl (Diphenhydramine)

Band aids Antibiotic ointment Ace bandages Gauze pads (2x2, 3x3, 4x4)

Toothbrushes (children and adult) Toothpaste

Socks (children, men, women) Underwear

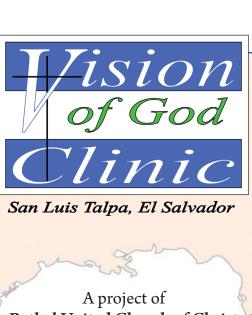
(children, men, women) Undershirts (men, boys) Infant and children's clothing

Protein energy bars Peanut butter

Children's books in Spanish Notebooks and pencils Coloring books and crayons

AA & AAA batteries

Drop off donations at:



**Bethel United Church of Christ** La Luz Verdadera Iglesia Arlington, VA



A Way to Have a Positive Impact

In a village near the Pacific Ocean in El Salvador, the people of San Luis Talpa live a simple life. Most families live on only a few dollars a day—woefully little to cover



housing, a healthy diet, medical care, clothes, and education.



The **Vision of God Clinic** makes a big difference for the adults and children in the community. From a church basement, it serves as a center where people can access medical supplies and basic health care services, food, clothing, and help with children's education.

Members and friends of Bethel United Church of Christ in Arlington, Virginia, and La Luz Verdadera, which uses Bethel's building, donate funds needed to staff the clinic with a doctor.

The two congregations also collect first-aid supplies; over-the counter medicines such as pain relievers; vitamins; clothing; and other items that are transported periodically to the clinic.





Above and left: *Grateful recipients* of food and medical care from the Vision of God Clinic.

Below: Pastor Abram Bustamante and his family; the Vision of God Clinic operates out of the basement of the church Pastor Bustamante serves.

Vision of God Clinic services are expanded as more volunteers are involved in Virginia. Donated items and tax-deductible gifts of any amount are vitally needed and greatly appreciated.



To see how YOU can have a positive impact, please turn the page.