

## **Christmas Outreach**

Each year we do a Christmas Outreach project for about 65 families. In December we assemble several bags of food for each family – non-perishable food, some fresh produce and a chicken. We also try to meet other needs for each family: clothing, household items, etc. Rather than try to gather everything in December, we gather non-perishable foods all year a month at a time. Here is the list in case you missed a month:

January:

February: canned soup and Ramen noodles

March: spaghetti sauce, spaghetti and other pasta (elbows, noodles, penne, etc.)

April: canned or boxed broth and canned meals (ravioli, spaghetti, etc.)

May: canned meats (tuna, etc.) and macaroni and cheese

June: canned fruits and canned vegetables