



# FESTIVAL OF SHARING

## A KIT BLESSING

**Leader:** Over the past \_\_\_\_\_ (*time period*), members of our \_\_\_\_\_ (*Mission Committee, SS Class, Youth, etc.*) have gathered supplies and given of their time to make \_\_\_\_\_ (*e.g. 50 health/school*) kits. Today we bless their work and dedicate these kits to aid the continued work of Festival of Sharing.

**Leader:** Will you please join me a time of responsive prayer.

*God, you said that anything we do for the overlooked or ignored among us, we do for you. Please give us eyes to see the people in need among us, both near and far and help us to use our time, abilities and resources to be a part of your miraculous work in our world.*

**Leader:** You are a part of the miracle!

**People:** When we don't forget...

**Leader:** When you don't forget what?

**People:** To do good and share with those in need!

**Leader:** You are a part of the miracle!

**People:** When we share our time, abilities and resources to bring aid to others in their time of need.

**Leader:** You are a part of the miracle!

**People:** When we use our hands to collect and assemble kits that provide for the basic needs of the overlooked, ignored, and most vulnerable among us.

**Leader:** You are a part of the miracle!

**People:** When we don't forget to share and do good for those in need.

*God, we ask that you bless these kits, all those who shared in their creation, and the work of Festival of Sharing to deliver the kits. We pray that each kit would provide hope to the one who receives it and that they would serve as a tangible reminder of your love for all people—which is perhaps the greatest miracle of all.*

**All:** Amen.