**FPC-Athens Community Concerns & Missions Committee.** 

## Spotlight

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Each month, FPC-Athens highlights a mission, ministry, or community outlet in our Communique newsletter.

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## CHRISTMAS BENEVOLENCE PROJECT

- PROVIDES LOW-INCOME FAMILIES FROM LOCAL SCHOOLS WITH CHRISTMAS GIFTS.
  - PROVIDES EACH FAMILY WITH STORY BIBLE.
  - PROVIDES EACH FAMILY WITH A BROOKSHIRE'S GIFT CARD.



Volunteer packets are now available for pick up in the church office for those who have signed up to shop. We are still seeking additional volunteers for the Nursing Home recipients. Please contact Terri Budow 210-204-0375 if you are interested.

Here we are quickly approaching the Christmas Season and with that comes the Christmas Benevolence Project. Many of you are already aware of how this project affects our community, but for those who are not familiar, here is a brief summary.



Each year letters are sent to local elementary schools, requesting names of families that are in need of a "little extra help" at Christmas. Volunteers then contact the family they are assigned to and set up a time to go shopping with them. This is when the real blessings begin, because we have the opportunity to not only meet "Christmas Wishes" but also have the opportunity to engage with the parents of these children and pray with them and for them all year long.

Please, prayerfully consider volunteering this year. We would love for you to be included and to witness the many blessings that are received.