



1 SHOE BOX

Use an empty shoebox (standard size, please) or a small plastic container. You can wrap the box (lid separately), but wrapping is not required. You can pick up a shoe box in the Worship Center foyer, in front of the Worship Center stage, at the Missions Desk, in the Chapel, and in front of the logo wall in the People Street. Most importantly, pray for the child who will receive your gift.

2 BOY OR GIRL

Determine whether your gift will be for a boy or a girl, and the child's age category: 2-4, 5-9, or 10-14. Print out the appropriate boy/girl label by downloading the artwork to the right. Mark the correct age category on the label, and tape the label to the top of your box.

3 FILL WITH GIFTS

Fill the box with a variety of gifts that will bring delight to a child. See the list of suggested gifts on the following page. Please include at least one item a child can immediately embrace such as a stuffed toy, doll, ball or toy truck.

4 INCLUDE \$7 DONATION

Please donate \$7 or more for each shoebox you prepare to help cover shipping and other project costs. You can give online by using our "Follow Your Box Donation" option, or you can write a check to Samaritan's Purse (note "OCC" on memo line) and place it in an envelope on top of the gift items inside your box. If you or your family are preparing more than one shoebox, please make one combined donation.

5 DROP OFF

Place a rubber band around each closed shoebox and drop it off in the People Street or the Worship Center foyer, Sundays, November 9, 16, or 23.



GIFT SUGGESTIONS:

TOYS: Include items that children will immediately embrace such as dolls, toy cars, stuffed animals, kazoos, harmonicas, yo-yos, jump ropes, balls, toys that light up and make noise (with extra batteries), etc.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES: pens, pencils and sharpeners, crayons, markers, notebooks, paper, solar calculators, coloring and picture books, etc.

NON-LIQUID HYGIENE ITEMS: toothbrushes, bar soap, combs, washcloths, etc.

ACCESSORIES: t-shirts, socks, hats, sunglasses, hair clips, jewelry, watches, flashlights (with extra batteries), etc.

DO NOT INCLUDE: Used or damaged items; war-related items such as toy guns, knives or military figures; chocolate or food; out-of-date candy; liquids or lotions; medications or vitamins; breakable items such as snow globes or glass containers; aerosol cans.