

Orphan Grain Train, Inc.

MN SO DIVISION 2009 Activity Report

- Jan. 19** D990 Van load of blankets, crib sheets, and caps to New Life Family Service, Rochester, MN.
- Feb. 28** Gave five crank beds and mattresses to Compassion Evangelical Hospital at Mamou, Guinea via Diane Witzig, Rochester, MN
- Mar. 17** 15 pallets of Medical Supplies plus sheets and scrubs to Norfolk, NE warehouse.
- April 2** 900G 40' container of hospital clothing, clothing, and blankets from Rochester to Bishkek, Kyrgyztan.
- April 10** 40' container of canned corn (shared the load with Wisconsin Division) to Tex/Mex border.
- April 16** 908G 40' container of men's and women's clothing with a few crutches, walkers, wheel chairs from E. Heights, St. Paul to Belarus.
- July 14** 922G 40' container of hospital beds, blankets, medical clothing, cribs, gurney, and x-ray viewer to Uzbekistan.
- July 23** 10 pallets of Medical supplies from Rochester to Norfolk, NE warehouse shipped by Brakebush Tran., Inc.
- Oct. 8** 936G 40' container of hospital beds, exam table, walkers, wheel chairs, other supplies, and blankets and quilts to Kyrgyzstan.

The Abundant Life African Project

Six volunteers from MN SO Division and three from Nebraska left on Thanksgiving Day to Malakal, Sudan to continue work on the Abundant Life Project. The project turned out to be very successful. The Evangelical Lutheran Church Sudan is now holding their church services at this site that was prepared by our volunteers and local volunteers. All Glory be to God!

Fish Feeds Served in 2009

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| Mar. 22 | Christ the King, Spencer, IA |
| Mar. 29 | Trinity Lutheran, Mountain Lake, MN |
| Apr. 26 | First Lutheran, Rice Lake, WI |
| May 24 | Zion Lutheran, Hopkins, MN |
| Jun. 14 | Martin Lutheran High School, Northrop, MN |
| Aug. 16 | Lutheran Church of our Savior, Windom, MN |
| Sep. 13 | Trinity Lutheran, St. Francis, MN |
| Sep. 20 | Emmanuel Lutheran, Milbank, SD |
| Sep. 27 | Trinity Lutheran South Shore, White Bear Lake, MN |
| Oct. 4 | Peace Lutheran, Rock Rapids, IA |
| Oct. 11 | St. Paul's Lutheran, Melrose, MN |
| Oct. 18 | St. Johns Lutheran, Stewartville, MN |

Nov. 1 Immanuel Lutheran, Lakefield, MN

As Fish Feeds are our main fundraiser. We would like to **thank everyone** that sponsored, helped, or contributed their support for a Fish Feed or any other support given the Orphan Grain Train. Anyone wishing to sponsor a Fish Feed in 2010 should contact Hank Wiemann at **507-831-4804** or Loren Ulbricht at **507-662-6270** or e-mail **lmulbricht@frontiernet.net**.