



## “Souper Bowl of Caring”

The **Son’s Rays** greeted everyone in the narthex before and after worship on **Super Bowl Sunday**, February 7<sup>th</sup>, with large soup pots. They collected change (and dollar bills) and/or canned food as part of the national *“Souper Bowl of Caring”* campaign. 100% of all the donations will go to the **Dallas-High Shoals Christian Social Ministry**. **Saints fans** donated **\$83 and 19 food items** and **Colts fans** donated **\$35 and 12 food items**. A **Grand Total** of **\$118 and 31 items of food** will go to support the **Dallas High Shoals Christian Social Ministry**. A special word of **“THANKS”** to the **Son’s Rays** and **Everyone** who helped in the *“Souper Bowl of Caring”* effort. We commend both the **Colts** and the **Saints** for playing in Sunday’s Game and **congratulations to the Saints who emerged as Super Bowl Champions for 2010**.

## *A Ministry of Discipleship and Servanthood*

*THE DALLAS / HIGH SHOALS CHRISTIAN SOCIAL MINISTRY*

*“...and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice, love kindness and to walk humbly with your God.”*

*---Micah 6:8*

In an effort to enhance the quality of life for all the citizens in the North Gaston area and in response to a number of urgent needs, *The Dallas Ministerial Association (DMA)*, initiated a local food pantry which soon became known as *The Dallas / High Shoals Christian Social Ministry*. For more than 32 years, the *DHSCSM* has served faithfully in the North Gaston Community and continues to receive generous and wide spread support from both the area churches and the local community.

### A MINISTRY of KINDNESS and CARE

Between Nov. 2008 and Nov. 19, 2009

- ✦ 640 Families (1,920 individuals) were assisted with Food ✦
- ✦ 413 Families assisted with Utilities (water, electricity, oil, gas) ✦
- ✦ Provided 125 individuals with financial help for Medication ✦