

# Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

We are in our fourth year of operation, and thought this would be a good time to report the activity to our donors. We could not exist without your generous Financial Support. Thank You

This Year we have received \$33,524 in Donations and have disbursed \$32,497 to 91 needy families, that's 218 people, here in South Walton County. In addition, our prescription assistance program obtained \$41,973. dollars in free medications for our clients. A grand total of \$75,497 dollars was disbursed to the needy.

Financial assistance was provided to our clients in the following categories

\$10,210	Rent
3,805	Food
715	Gas
9,406	Electric
8,361	Other
<u>41,973</u>	Prescription Med's
75,497	Total

The other category includes such items as water bills, auto repair, propane gas, etc.

The number of requests for assistance has increased dramatically in the last few months. In Addition to the annual layoff of housekeepers and lawn care services at the end of the summer tourist season, There have been big cutbacks in the construction industry. The cost of fuel and energy have had a devastating impact on low-income families,

Our Conference needs new Members !! Anyone Interested in "hands – on" assistance to the less fortunate in our area, Please call 888-229-6582 and leave a brief message and one of our members will return your call.

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