

**BABY KITS FOR NEW MOTHERS!**

Several times over the years King of Kings has sent baby layette kits to Church World Service (CWS) for Mothers' Day. These are small bundles given to women and babies in a crisis situation, to help them get by for a few days. Social Action Ministry invites you to again participate in this outreach.

**Each Kit will contain (all should be new):**

Six cloth diapers  
Two T-shirts or undershirts (no onesies)  
Two washcloths  
Two gowns or sleepers  
Two diaper pins  
One sweater or sweatshirt  
Two receiving blankets (one can be a hand-knitted or crocheted baby blanket).

You can go directly to Church World Service at [http://www.churchworldservice.org/baby\\_kits](http://www.churchworldservice.org/baby_kits) and download patterns for a sweater to knit or a gown to sew. Several copies of these patterns will be available from the Social Action mailbox across from the office.

**These items should be placed in a box in the narthex labeled Baby Layette Kits between April 19 and May 24th.**

*Do not feel you have to donate all these items as a Kit is valued at \$39, but donate what you are able to. We will put these Kits together early in June. (Want to help with this part? Contact Joyce Deren or Ellen Magee).*

**Funds are needed to cover sorting, packing, and insurance, as well as shipping Kits to their final destination.** At least \$2 is needed for each Baby Kit we send. Cash donations in lieu of assembled Kits will also help provide much-needed supplies. If you would like to donate directly, you can write "baby kits" in the memo line of a check, make it out to King of Kings Lutheran, and place in the offering plate. This money will be used for our shipping costs to CWS headquarters in Maryland, to buy needed items to complete Kits, and any remainder sent to CWS.

Thank you in advance for your participation

*Your Social Action Ministry*